(A) GENERAL.

THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT IS THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER OF THE COURT AND RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MAINTENANCE, ADMINISTRATION, AND OPERATION OF THE COURT IN ALL ITS LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

(B) RULES.

THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT MAY MAKE RULES FOR THE GOVERNING OF THE DISTRICT COURT, SUBJECT TO AND NOT INCONSISTENT WITH THE RULES OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.

(C) ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGES.

THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT MAY ASSIGN A JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT TO SIT TEMPORARILY IN A COUNTY OTHER THAN THE JUDGE'S COUNTY OF RESIDENCE.

(D) OTHER POWERS AND DUTIES.

IN ADDITION TO THE POWERS AND DUTIES GRANTED AND IMPOSED IN SUBSECTIONS (A), (B), AND (C) OF THIS SECTION, OR ELSEWHERE BY LAW OR RULE, THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT SHALL:

- (1) APPOINT A CHIEF CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT, A CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK FOR EACH DISTRICT, AND OTHER PERSONNEL OF THE COURT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, §41F OF THE CONSTITUTION:
- (2) APPROVE THE APPOINTMENTS OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT COURT PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, §41G OF THE CONSTITUTION;
- (3) ESTABLISH UNIFORM RECORD-KEEPING PROCEDURES FOR THE COURT;
- (4) IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATOR, ESTABLISH UNIFORM PROCEDURES FOR REPORTING TRAFFIC CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT;
- (5) IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE STATE COMPTROLLER, ESTABLISH A SYSTEM FOR THE COLLECTION AND REMITTANCE OF COSTS, FINES, PENALTIES, AND FORFEITURES COLLECTED BY THE DISTRICT COURT;
- (6) APPROVE IN WRITING THE DESTRUCTION OF PLEADINGS, PAPERS, OR FILES PROPOSED FOR DESTRUCTION