

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA



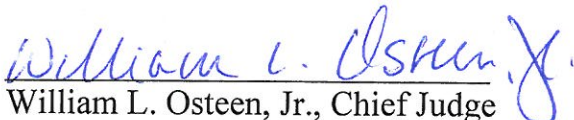
CARRYING OF FIREARMS IN DURHAM)
COURTHOUSE BY CREDENTIALLED) STANDING ORDER NO. 05
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS OR)
AGENTS OF THE UNITED STATES)
No. 5

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.8, firearms or weapons are prohibited in courtrooms except for 1) employees of the United States Marshal's Service, or 2) credentialed law enforcement officers or agents of the United States, who have been given express approval by the United States Marshal or the Marshal's designee on a case by case basis. The Court finds that the U.S. Marshal's Office does not have adequate holding facilities in the Durham, North Carolina Courthouse (Durham Courthouse), and is in need of assistance from credentialed law enforcement officers or agents of the United States to secure and transport those charged with a criminal offense, who are making an initial appearance before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in the Durham Courthouse. The Court also finds that the U.S. Marshal approves of credentialed law enforcement officers or agents of the United States carrying firearms in the Durham Courthouse for the purpose of securing and transporting those making an initial appearance.

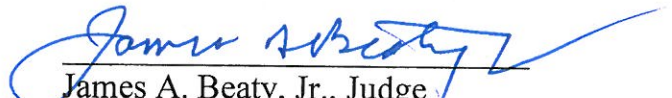
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that credentialed law enforcement officers or agents of the United States are given an exception to Local Rule 83.8 and shall be allowed to carry firearms in the Durham Courthouse for the limited purpose of securing and transporting those who are making an initial appearance before a

U.S. Magistrate Judge. This exception shall not apply to any other courthouse and does not extend to any other matters beyond initial appearances in the Durham Courthouse.


This the 29th day of May, 2013



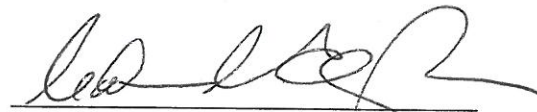
William L. Osteen, Jr., Chief Judge
United States District Court



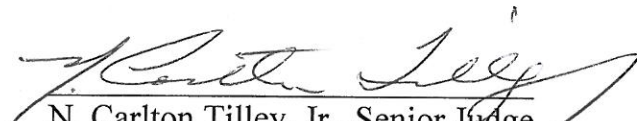
James A. Beaty, Jr., Judge
United States District Court



Thomas D. Schroeder, Judge
United States District Court



Catherine C. Eagles, Judge
United States District Court



N. Carlton Tilley, Jr., Senior Judge
United States District Court