

# RULES FOR LOUISIANA DISTRICT COURTS

## TITLE V

### Eighteenth Judicial District Court

#### Parishes of Iberville, Pointe Coupee and West Baton Rouge

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**Chapter:** 41                      **Chapter Title:** Court Organization and Sessions

**Appendix** 20

**Rule No:** 41.0

The Judge assigned to the Criminal Court of a parish shall, during this tenure, also serve as Juvenile Judge.

General Organization of Court:  
Divisions or Sections of Court

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**Appendix** 22

**Rule No:** 41.1

Assignments to the criminal bench shall be for one year (March 1st to the last day of February of the following year).

Court Administration: Duty  
Judges: Mediation

Starting March 1, 1991, assignments to the misdemeanor criminal bench are as follows:

March 1, 1991 to February 29, 1992 Division "D"

March 1, 1992 to February 28, 1993 Division "A"

March 1, 1993 to February 28, 1994 Division "B"

March 1, 1994 to February 28, 1995 Division "C"

Thereafter, assignments to the criminal misdemeanor bench will be allotted according to the rotation above.

The Judge assigned to the criminal misdemeanor bench shall be responsible for conducting, in each parish of the district: (1) misdemeanor trials; (2) arraignments and trials of criminal nonsupport; and (3) all juvenile matters. The misdemeanor Judge shall furnish to the Chief Judge, on or before December 15th of the year prior to that Judge assuming the misdemeanor bench, the schedule of misdemeanor trials, arraignments and trials of criminal nonsupport and juvenile matters for the oncoming year's misdemeanor term. The misdemeanor Judge shall not be assigned a felony criminal bench term.

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