

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 4.405-9/08*

IN RE: APPLICATION OF FUNDS
RECEIVED FROM PROBATIONER

Persons placed on probation **or community control** may be required to make monetary payments through the Department of Corrections for multiple purposes. There is a need for consistency within the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit as to how monies shall be applied. The interests of victims are paramount in the view of the court.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority conferred by Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.215, it is **ORDERED** as follows:

The order in which monetary payments are to be distributed are as follows:

1. First, to any Restitution Order by the Court as a condition of probation until fully paid. Provided, this shall not apply to probationers while residing in a restitution center who shall pay in accordance with the rules of the center, then
2. Second, **according to statutory priority**, to any Court costs imposed as a condition of probation, until fully paid, and thereafter
3. Third, to costs of supervision as determined by Administrative Order 4.403-9/08 (as amended)
4. **Court Costs Which Are a Condition of Probation: If at the end of the probationary period the probationer has made a good faith effort to make payment of the court costs or exceptional circumstances exist where the probationer is unable to pay the court costs, then** the probation officer shall, upon termination of the probationary period, present to the judge a cost judgment for entry.

29 **DONE and SIGNED**, in Chambers, at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida this day of September, 2008.


Kathleen J. Kroll
Chief Judge

*supersedes admin. order 4.038-11/02