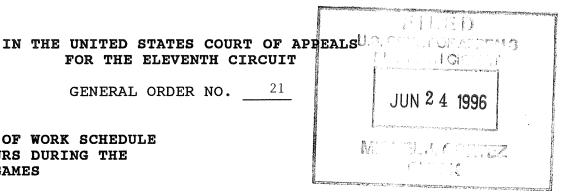
FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

GENERAL ORDER NO. 21

IN THE MATTER OF WORK SCHEDULE AND OFFICE HOURS DURING THE 1996 OLYMPIC GAMES



It appearing that the 1996 Centennial Olympic Games and the Paralympic Games are to be conducted in the Greater Atlanta Metropolitan Area during the forthcoming summer; and

It further appearing that the schedule for the conduct of the Games, projected spectator attendance, and substantial changes in downtown pedestrian and vehicular traffic patterns, will cause disruption to the work schedule of the court's judges and staff necessitating accommodation;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED that the official work schedule for the Court and its administrative support offices headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia, shall be from 7:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. daily beginning Monday, July 8, and continuing until Monday, August 5, 1996. In cooperation with Olympic International, transportation, and security officials, court unit executives are encouraged to grant employees liberal annual leave, authorized to use flexible work schedules, and are authorized and directed to establish a night shift with appropriate differential to facilitate receiving, processing, and dispatching incoming and outgoing mail and parcels. In the event actual traffic and related congestion during the Games dictate, this schedule may be modified as circumstances require.

Notice of this amended work schedule shall be broadly circulated throughout the Eleventh Circuit, to members of the Bar, and to National and State offices with which the Court has business.

FOR THE COURT:

Gerald Bard Tjofla

Chief Judge