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COUNTY OF DUPAGE        )

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18th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT  
DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF LAW ENFORCEMENT        ) Administrative Order No. 16-2  
OFFICER-WORN BODY CAMERA ACT         )

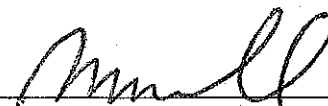
**WHEREAS**, except for situations involving Extended Media Coverage, the 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Court Local Rules prohibit the photography, videotaping, audio recording, televising or broadcasting of events and activities in a courtroom or its environs; and

**WHEREAS**, 50 ILCS 706 10-20(a)(3) includes a provision that the body camera is to be on at all times when the officer is uniform and engaged in any law enforcement-related encounter or activity; and

**WHEREAS**, the 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Court believes these two provisions conflict with one another and to avoid any issues or controversy;

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**, that effective immediately, a Law Enforcement Officer appearing in or entering a 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit courtroom or its environs, which include the private and public hallways, rooms immediately adjacent to said hallways and the jury assembly and deliberation rooms, shall have the body camera in an off or non-functioning position until the Law Enforcement Officer has left the courtroom and its environs.

ENTER:

  
Kathryn E. Creswell  
CHIEF JUDGE

Dated: February 29, 2016  
Wheaton, Illinois