

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA**

**AUG 18 2006**

JAMES N. HATTEN, Clerk  
By: *J. Metz*  
Deputy Clerk

**IN RE: ELECTRONIC CASE FILING                      STANDING ORDER 06-01  
AND ADMINISTRATIVE  
PROCEDURES**

**ORDER**

In Standing Order 04-01, In re Electronic Case Filing and Administrative Procedures, June 1, 2004, the Court adopted Administrative Procedures for Filing, Signing, and Verifying Pleadings and Papers by Electronic Means in Civil and Criminal Cases.

Having reviewed a proposal to amend its Administrative Procedures to provide that members of the Bar of this Court may use hyperlinks in materials which are filed electronically,

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

That effective on the date of this order, the Administrative Procedures for Filing, Signing, and Verifying Pleadings and Papers by Electronic Means in Civil and Criminal Cases are amended to include the following provision as paragraph I.A.1.a. in both the civil and criminal procedures:

Electronically filed documents may contain the following types of hyperlinks:

- (A) Hyperlinks to other portions of the same document; and
- (B) Hyperlinks to a location on the Internet that contains a source document for a citation

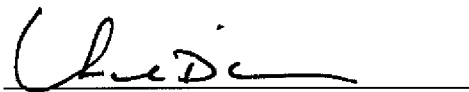
Hyperlinks to cited authority may not replace standard citation format.

Complete citations must be included in the text of the filed document. Neither a hyperlink, nor any site to which it refers, shall be considered part of the record. Hyperlinks are simply convenient mechanisms for accessing material cited in a filed document.

The court accepts no responsibility for, and does not endorse, any product, organization, or content at any hyperlinked site, or at any site to which that site may be linked. The court accepts no responsibility for the availability or functionality of any hyperlink.

Dated this 18 day of August, 2006.

BY THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Orinda D. Evans", is written over a horizontal line.

ORINDA D. EVANS  
Chief United States District Judge