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Clerk of Superior Court

Fulton County, Georgia

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF FULTON COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

STANDING ORDER REGARDING
USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
AND CERTIFICATION OF CITATIONS
IN FILINGS AND SUBMISSIONS IN
JUDGE WHITAKER'S DIVISION

26-EX-000343

JUDGE WHITAKER

STANDING ORDER REGARDING THE USE OF AI IN JUDGE WHITAKER'S
DIVISION

This Standing Order governs the use of artificial intelligence ("AI") tools in the preparation of briefs, motions, proposed orders, and any other written submissions filed in this Court's criminal and civil dockets, as well as to any oral submissions presented in open court, and it applies to all attorneys as well as to all parties and non-party litigants representing themselves ("self-represented litigants"):

Certification for Written Submissions:

Any attorney or self-represented litigant who uses AI in any capacity to generate, draft, prepare, or review a written filing shall disclose its use in the document with the following certification:

This document was created with the assistance of [identify the AI tool(s) used, e.g., Chat GPT, Perplexity, Claude, etc.].

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have independently reviewed this document to confirm its accuracy. I certify that I have confirmed the accuracy of every citation to the law, including all cases and statutes, in this document or that I have caused such to be confirmed by a human being under my direction, and I certify that all law cited in this document was good and existing law when the

document was filed and that each legal citation actually represents the proposition for which it is cited.

This certification must appear at the end of the document, before the signature block.

Oral Submissions:

Any attorney or self-represented litigant who uses AI in any capacity to assist in preparing an oral submission to the Court is equally bound to independently review the intended submission to confirm its accuracy, including the accuracy of every citation to the law, cases, and statutes, and to submit only good and existing law and only for the proposition(s) which that law, case, or statute stand for.

Compliance:

Failure to comply with this Order may result in the Court taking appropriate action, including without limitation striking the filing, imposing sanctions, or disciplinary referral.

Mistake, lack of technical expertise, or time constraints are not, and will not be accepted as, good faith excuses for non-compliance.

The use of AI does not relieve any attorney or self-represented litigant of their ethical and/or professional obligations of candor and honesty to the Court (such as Georgia Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1 and 3.1).

SO ORDERED this 20th day of February 2026.



Honorable Paige Reese Whitaker
Judge, Fulton County Superior Court