

General Order 98
11/01/1993

All full-time magistrate judges in the district will be included in the civil case assignment process. Failure of a litigant to file a written objection and/or demand for reassignment to an Article III Judge within 10 days after the last defendant appears shall be deemed as consent under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c)(1) and shall operate as a waiver to having any pretrial or trial matter heard or determined by an Article III Judge.

Unless the parties agree otherwise, under 28 U.S.C. § 636(c)(4), the appeal of any judgment entered by a full-time magistrate in a case assigned under this order shall be made directly to the Ninth Circuit. (Effective November 1, 1993. Supersedes D. Id. L.R. 72.1 only to the extent it is inconsistent or conflicts.)

