

**FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA
PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT**

President Judge Administrative Order

No. 32 of 2021

In re: Emergency Appointment of Substitute Court Magistrate

ORDER

AND NOW, this 19th day of August, 2021, this Court finds that due to the increase of volume in search warrant applications and arraignments, an emergency which requires the appointment of a qualified attorney who is a court employee to act as a substitute court magistrate, as provided in 42 Pa.C.S.A. § 1125, and it is hereby **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that Joseph P. Capone, Esquire, the Director of Legal Services for the Philadelphia Municipal Court, shall act as a substitute Court Magistrate, with all duties and powers vested in the duly appointed Philadelphia Magistrates, as requested by the President Judge from time to time.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Patrick F. Dugan

**Patrick F. Dugan, President Judge
Philadelphia Municipal Court**