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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

OCT 31 1989

FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA

LOU ALEKSICH, JR., Clerk  
By SANDRA L. STUDNER

Deputy Clerk

STANDING ORDER NO. 26

NOTIFICATION OF JUDGES NAMED IN LAWSUIT

It appearing that a consistent policy is needed for handling of lawsuits against federal Judges, U.S. Magistrates and Bankruptcy Judges in this District,

IT IS ORDERED that the Clerk of Court shall immediately notify by telefax and/or telephone any Judge, U.S. Magistrate or Bankruptcy Judge named as a defendant in any lawsuit filed within this District, to be followed by sending a copy of the pleadings to the judge involved on the same day that such pleadings are received in the Clerk's office for filing.

Done and dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 1989.

*James F. Batten*  
Chief Judge