## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

## ORDER

This Order is to reaffirm the long-standing policy of this court.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, unless superseded by Order of this Court, the United States Magistrate Judges of this District are authorized to perform all of the duties and functions prescribed and authorized by 28 U.S.C. 636 and any other statutes or Federal Rules of Procedure which authorize a Magistrate Judge to perform judicial duties or functions.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all civil and criminal matters which the law authorizes to be performed by a Magistrate Judge are referred to the Magistrate Judges of this District for appropriate disposition without the necessity of any additional orders of reference as to either subject matter or individual Magistrate Judge.

IT IS SO ORDERED this  $\underline{-7}$  day of September, 2007.

Ancer L. Haggerty, Chief Judge

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