

**FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY
TRIAL DIVISION—CIVIL**

NOTICE TO THE BAR

**RE: PRELIMINARY OBJECTIONS AND
MOTIONS TO DETERMINE PRELIMINARY OBJECTIONS**

In an effort to coordinate the filing and processing of Preliminary Objections with the Prothonotary, and Motions to Determine Preliminary Objections with the Civil Motions Program, effective immediately, upon presentation of the Preliminary Objections in the Second Filing Unit, the Preliminary Objections will be reviewed and processed forthwith. If acceptable for filing, and the requisite fees having been paid, the Preliminary Objections will be docketed immediately.

Thereafter, upon presentation of the Motion to Determine Preliminary Objections for filing with the Civil Motions Program, the Motions Filing Clerk will immediately review the docket to ascertain whether or not the Preliminary Objections have been docketed by the Prothonotary. The Motion to Determine Preliminary Objections will **only** be accepted for filing by the Civil Motions Program if (1) the Preliminary Objections have first been docketed by the Prothonotary, **and** (2) if it contains an “Attested” stamp from the Prothonotary.

**JAMES J. FITZGERALD, III
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE
TRIAL DIVISION**

**WILLIAM J. MANFREDI
SUPERVISING JUDGE
TRIAL DIVISION—CIVIL**