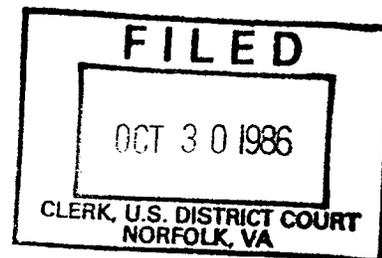


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
NORFOLK DIVISION



IN THE MATTER OF
PRO SE CASES

ORDER

It appearing to the Court that personal checks have been returned to the Norfolk Division of this Court for insufficient funds on several occasions resulting in an added expense to the government for bank charges and there being no economical procedure for having said funds repaid, it is hereby

ORDERED that personal checks are not to be accepted by the Clerk of this Court in this Division in pro se cases for the payment of fees, costs and expenses of any kind or nature. Any personal check proffered is to be returned to the plaintiff with instructions to certify same or have money order or cash replace same, within seven (7) calendar days of the receipt of the initial personal check.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

AT NORFOLK, VIRGINIA
October 30 , 1986