

Supreme Court
of the
State of New York



HON. PETER H. MOULTON
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE FOR CIVIL MATTERS

60 CENTRE STREET
NEW YORK, NY 10007


ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Pursuant to the authority vested in me as Administrative Judge of this court, and in accordance with Rule 1 of the Rules and Procedures of the Alternative Dispute Resolution Program of the Commercial Division (“the Program”), I hereby issue this Order to bring up to date the Administrative Order on this subject previously issued by me dated May 24, 2016. I hereby authorize all Justices of this court who are not members of the Commercial Division and who are assigned to receive commercial cases to refer such cases to mandatory mediation in the Program in accordance with those Rules and Procedures. For the purpose of this Order, a “commercial case” shall mean a case designated as such in the court’s Civil Case Information System and any successor case management system, including cases of the types listed in Uniform Rule 202.70 (b) (1) through (11) (but without consideration of any threshold amount) that are pending outside the Commercial Division. In addition, a “commercial case” shall encompass non-Division cases of the types listed in Uniform Rule 202.70 (c) (1), (3), and (5). Cases in which a party is unrepresented shall not, however, be referred to mediation.

If administrative necessity so requires, the ADR Coordinator shall fix a limit on the number of cases that may be accepted by the Program from all of the foregoing Justices or any of them.

Dated: New York, New York

April 19, 2017


Hon. Peter H. Moulton