

STATE OF MAINE
SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

Effective March 1, 1995

Docket No. SJC- 114

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

It is hereby ORDERED that in any civil action in which an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is made pursuant to Rule 91 of the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, there shall be a presumption that the requirements for granting the application have been met if the applicant's affidavit states (i) that the person's income is derived from poverty-based public assistance programs, such as AFDC, General Assistance or Supplemental Security Income (SSI), and (ii) that the action is brought or the motion filed In good faith.

Dated: March 1, 1995


Chief Justice