IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MOHAVE

IN THE MATTER OF:

CONTINUING EDUCATION AND

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR

ALL JUDICIAL STAFF (INCLUDING)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

JUDGES PRO TEMPORE AND OTHER)

COURT PERSONNEL HOLDING

(Replaces Administrative Order 99-02)

TEMPORARY POSITIONS)

WHEREAS, Arizona Supreme Court Administrative Order 99-8 was adopted on January 27, 1999, to establish the educational policies and standards governing judicial branch education in Arizona and mandates that all judges, court commissioners, administrators, clerks, probation and court personnel shall complete a minimum of sixteen hours of approved course work each calendar year, including ethics training; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Superior Court in Mohave County that all judicial employees comply with the educational policies and standards established by Arizona Supreme Court Administrative Order 99-8; and

WHEREAS, the calendar year for COJET compliance for all judicial employees to receive their COJET training hours will continue to be the first day of January through the fifteenth day of December;

IT IS ORDERED that all judicial employees of the Superior Court in Mohave County comply with the provisions of Arizona Supreme Court Administrative Order 99-8 and educational standards and policies established therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Superior Court in Mohave County hereby adopts the Arizona Supreme Court's position that judges pro tempore and other court personnel holding temporary positions are exempt from compliance with the standards and reporting requirements established by Arizona Supreme Court Administrative Order 99-8.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Mohave County Committee on Education and Training shall develop training opportunities and encourage participation of temporary employees in non-judge pro tempore positions in continuing education programs to further judicial independence and competence in the Mohave County Court System.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Limited Jurisdiction Court Judge shall determine the training requirements for all pro tempore judges, collectively or individually, who serve on a regular basis in the limited jurisdiction courts. The Presiding Limited Jurisdiction Judge shall provide a training report to the Presiding Superior Court Judge by January 15 of each year.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order be effective as of January 1, 2001, nunc

pro tunc.

DATED this /// day of February, 2001.

Honorable Gary R. Pope, Presiding Judge

Mohave County Court System

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