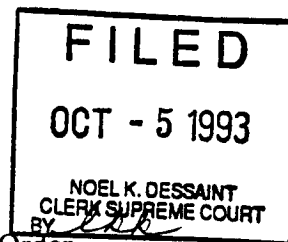


IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA



In the Matter of )  
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ARIZONA STATE-FEDERAL JUDICIAL )  
COUNCIL )  
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Administrative Order  
No. 93- 57

At the request of the Ninth Circuit Judicial Council, the Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court and the Chief Judge of the United States District Court for the District of Arizona have agreed to create an Arizona State-Federal Judicial Council. The Council shall provide a vehicle for direct and personal communication between judges of the state and federal courts in Arizona concerning matters of mutual interest and concern, including but not limited to:

1. Elimination of actual or potential conflicts between the two judicial systems.
2. Development of methods to improve the operation of the two systems.
3. Improvement of the quality of representation and ethics of attorneys practicing in the two systems.
4. Exploration and development of methods to utilize scarce judicial assets to benefit the two systems and the citizens of the state.
5. Sharing of materials and information that may apply to or impact on the two systems.
6. Fostering of closer cooperation on resolution of joint problems.

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, that the Arizona Supreme Court shall participate in the Arizona State-Federal Judicial Council for the reasons and purposes set forth above.

ORGANIZATION: The Council shall consist of at least five representatives from the state judiciary, who shall be appointed by the Chief Justice. At a minimum, the state court representatives shall consist of the Chief Justice or his designee, a Court of Appeals judge, two superior

court judges, and one limited jurisdiction judge. The Chief Justice shall determine the number of members of the delegation and the terms of membership. The number of members in the two delegations need not be equal.

MEETINGS: The Council shall meet at least once a year at the time of the annual state judicial conference. The Council may, from time to time, also schedule such other meetings as circumstances dictate.

DATED AND ENTERED this 5th day of October, 1993.

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STANLEY G. FELDMAN  
Chief Justice