## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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In the Matter of: FLAGSTAFF JUSTICE COURT

Administrative Order <u>No. 2003- 102</u> (Rescinding Administrative Order No. 97-44)

The Supreme Court, having administrative supervision over all courts of the state pursuant to the Constitution of Arizona, Article VI, periodically conducts review and audits of court operations.

The Supreme Court issued Administrative Order No. 97-44 on August 20, 1997, ordering administrative supervision of the Flagstaff Justice Court be assumed by the Honorable H. Jeffrey Coker, Presiding Judge of the Superior Court in Coconino County, or his designee, until court operational problems identified during the AOC audit were corrected. It was further ordered that Presiding Judge Coker issue such orders required to ensure the proper operation of the Flagstaff Justice Court.

It is the desire of the Supreme Court to return administrative control of the Flagstaff Justice Court to Judge Brian Kolb, Flagstaff Justice of the Peace, in light of the court's correction of deficiencies identified in the performance review. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that the Honorable Fred Newton, Presiding Judge of the Superior Court in Coconino County, immediately return administrative control of the Flagstaff Justice Court to Judge Kolb.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all staff of the Flagstaff Justice Court be re-assigned to Judge Kolb.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Administrative Order No. 97-44 be rescinded.

Dated this <u>26<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>November</u>, 2003.

CHARLES E. JONES Chief Justice