

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of:)
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SPECIAL ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO) Administrative Order
SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS) No. 2006 - 9
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Arizona Supreme Court Rule 122 permits electronic and photographic access to court proceedings subject to certain specified limitations and subject to the trial judge's approval of the proposed access. It is in the public interest that people understand as fully as possible the operation of the justice system, and the courts in particular. A major national television network proposes to produce a program in Arizona that promotes this interest and that will require special access to judicial proceedings.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the Supreme Court's administrative supervisory authority (Arizona Constitution Art. 6, § 3) and rule-making authority (Arizona Constitution, Art.6 § 5) over all of the courts of the state,

IT IS ORDERED that the limitation in Rule 122 (n) to one camera in the courtroom is hereby waived for electronic coverage of *State of Arizona v. Bradley A. Schwartz*, CR-20043995, scheduled to be tried in the Superior Court in Pima County before Judge Nanette Warner. Judge Warner shall have sole discretion as to placement of cameras in the courtroom for this proceeding. All other provisions of Rule 122 shall apply to this proceeding.

Dated this 11th day of January, 2006.

RUTH V. MCGREGOR
Chief Justice