IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of the

Election of

CHIEF JUSTICE

and

VICE CHIEF JUSTICE

ORDER

VICE CHIEF JUSTICE

IT IS ORDERED that Justice James Duke Cameron shall serve as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and Justice Fred C. Struckmeyer, Jr. shall serve as Vice Chief Justice beginning January 2, 1975.

DATED this 2d day of December 1974.

James Duke Cameron
Vice Chief Justice

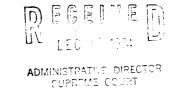
Fred C. Struckmeyer, Jr.

Justice

Lorna E. Lockwood
Justice

William A. Holohan
Justice

## NEWS RELEASE



## 30 December 1974

In an order filed by the Supreme Court today, Justice

James Duke Cameron was designated Chief Justice of the Arizona

Supreme Court. Justice Fred C. Struckmeyer, Jr., was designated
the Vice Chief Justice. Justice Cameron was the Vice Chief

Justice for the last three years and replaces Justice Jack D. H.

Hays whe served as Chief Justice for the last three years.

The new Chief Justice is a former Yuma County Superior Court Judge. He served on the Court of Appeals for six years before being elected to the Arizona Supreme Court in 1970. The new Vice Chief Justice, Fred C. Struckmeyer, Jr., is a former County Attorney of Maricopa County and former Superior Court Judge of Maricopa County. He has served on the Supreme Court of Arizona for twenty years and is a former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

The new Chief Justice praised the outgoing Chief Justice Jack D. H. Hays for his excellent leadership during the past three years. Under Justice Hays leadership many administrative changes have been made on the court, and under Justice Hays leadership the Rules of Criminal Procedure were adopted and put into effect by the Supreme Court of Arizona.

The new Chief Justice will commence his duties on the 2nd day of January, 1975.