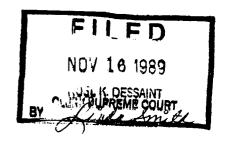
SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA



JUDICIAL ETHICS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Administrative Order No. 89-23

IT APPEARING that the Judicial Ethics Advisory Committee has been in existence and functioning for a number of years; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that no formal order has heretofore been issued establishing the committee and designating its membership or responsibilities; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that there is a need within the judiciary for an ethics advisory committee to entertain questions of judicial ethics, research the same, prepare and refer proposed formal advisory opinions to the Arizona Supreme Court for its consideration, approval, and distribution; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that there is a need for the Court to ratify the prior actions and opinions of the Judicial Ethics Advisory Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that a judicial ethics advisory committee is hereby created whose duties and responsibilities shall be to entertain questions on judicial ethics, research the same,

prepare and submit to the Arizona Supreme Court for its consideration, approval, and distribution formal judicial ethics advisory opinions.

The Judicial Ethics Advisory Committee shall consist of not less than seven (7) members representing the appellate, superior, and limited jurisdiction courts of the State of Arizona. Such members shall be appointed by the Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court, who shall designate a chairperson from the members. Members shall serve for a period of three (3) years.

That the prior authorized acts and opinions of the Judicial Ethics Advisory Committee are hereby ratified by the Court.

DATED AND ENTERED this 16th day of November, 1989, at the State Capitol, Phoenix, Arizona.

FRANK X. GORDON, ĴR. Chief Justice