

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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In the Matter of:	)	
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EXTENDING WAIVER OF PROBATION	)	Administrative Order
OFFICER MINIMUM HIRING	)	No. 2020 - <u>140</u>
REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MOHAVE	)	(Affecting Administrative
COUNTY ADULT PROBATION	)	Order No. 2019-108)
DEPARTMENT	)	
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Administrative Order No. 2019-108 was entered on September 11, 2019 and permitted the Mohave County Probation Department to hire Evelyn Smith from the list of surveillance officer applicants to the position of probation officer, contingent on meeting the bachelor's degree educational requirements within a year from that date.

On August 7, 2020, Presiding Judge Charles W. Gurtler, Jr. advised the Administrative Office of the Courts that due to unforeseen circumstances Officer Smith will not be able to fulfill the educational requirements by the September 11, 2020 deadline. Presiding Judge Gurtler requested that the waiver be extended for an additional six (6) months, to expire March 11, 2021, to allow Officer Smith to obtain her Bachelor of Science in Liberal Studies from Purdue University Global.

Therefore, pursuant to Article VI, Section 3, of the Arizona Constitution,

IT IS ORDERED that the time within which Evelyn Smith is to achieve her bachelor's degree is extended an additional six months to expire March 11, 2021.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this extended waiver is effective on and after the date of signature.

Dated this 19th day of August, 2020.

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ROBERT BRUTINEL  
Chief Justice