

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of:)
)
WAIVER OF PROBATION OFFICER)
MINIMUM HIRING REQUIREMENTS)
FOR GREENLEE COUNTY JUVENILE)
PROBATION DEPARTMENT)
_____)

Administrative Order
No. 2023 - 208
(Replacing Administrative
Order No. 2023-206)

With respect to juvenile court, A.R.S. § 8-203(C) provides, "Probation department personnel shall qualify under minimum standards of experience and education established by the Supreme Court." ACJA § 6-106(F)(3)(a), Personnel Practices, states that probation officers must possess "[a]t minimum, a bachelor's degree with a preference in the behavior sciences or a related field from an accredited college or university."

The Presiding Judge of the Superior Court in Greenlee County has requested a waiver of this requirement. The waiver will permit the Greenlee County Probation Department to hire the following probation officer applicant to the position of deputy probation officer in the juvenile division: Jasmine Altamirano.

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

IT IS ORDERED that a waiver of ACJA § 6-106(F)(3)(a) is granted regarding the educational requirements allowing the Greenlee County Probation Department, Juvenile Division, to appoint Jasmine Altamirano to the position of deputy probation officer.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this waiver is effective *nunc pro tunc* to on and after November 23, 2023.

Dated this 6th day of December, 2023.

ROBERT BRUTINEL
Chief Justice