

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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In the Matter of: )  
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WAIVER OF PROBATION OFFICER ) Administrative Order  
MINIMUM HIRING REQUIREMENTS ) No. 2023 - 74  
FOR MOHAVE COUNTY JUVENILE )  
PROBATION DEPARTMENT )  
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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 Mohave County has requested a waiver of this requirement. The waiver will permit the Mohave County Probation Department to hire the following probation officer applicant to the position of deputy probation officer in the juvenile division: Roger Brown.

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 Mohave County Probation Department, Juvenile Division, to appoint Roger Brown to the position of deputy probation officer.

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

Dated this 19th day of April, 2023.

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ROBERT BRUTINEL  
Chief Justice