

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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In the Matter of: )  
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REDUCING THE ON-POST SERVICE ) Administrative Order  
TIME REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATION ) No. 2025 - 172  
OF A COURT SECURITY OFFICER )  
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The Arizona Code of Judicial Administration (ACJA) § 5-304 governs certification and training standards for court security officers. ACJA § 5-304 requires, among other things, that an officer successfully complete 90 calendar days of on-post service as determined by the presiding judge before the officer is eligible for certification.

Staff turnover and the time required for recruitment has resulted in a shortage of certified court security officers in the Superior Court in Pima County. For these reasons, the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court in Pima County has requested a waiver of the required on-post service time for Court Security Officer, Bobby Fortiz. The waiver will permit the Superior Court in Pima County to expedite certification of this court security officer.

Therefore, pursuant to Article VI, Section 3, of the Arizona Constitution and good cause existing,

IT IS ORDERED that the 90-calendar day on-post service requirement in ACJA § 5-304(F)(1) is reduced to 70 calendar days for the certification of Court Security Officer, Bobby Fortiz.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all other eligibility requirements of ACJA § 5-304 for the certification of this court security officer remain unchanged.

Dated this 17th of September, 2025.

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ANN A. SCOTT TIMMER  
Chief Justice