

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of:)
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APPOINTMENT OF A JUDGE PRO)
TEMPORE TO THE SUPERIOR COURT)
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND)
FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ)
_____)

PRO TEMPORE ORDER
No. 2025 - 40

The presiding judge of the Superior Court of Arizona in Santa Cruz County has requested the appointment of a judge pro tempore to assist that court with the processing of cases. Therefore, pursuant to Ariz. Const. Art. VI, § 31 and A.R.S. § 12-141 et seq.,

IT IS ORDERED that Dee-Dee Samet, State Bar #001631, is appointed as a judge pro tempore to serve the Superior Court in Santa Cruz County for a term beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the appointee shall perform judicial duties authorized by A.R.S. § 12-144 as assigned by the presiding judge. This appointment is conditioned upon the approval of the Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors pursuant to A.R.S. § 12-141, and upon the agreement by the appointee to serve without compensation or benefits, as provided in A.R.S. § 12-142(C).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the appointee may perform duties of a judge authorized by A.R.S. § 25-121 et seq. and A.R.S. § 12-2222 without specific assignment by the presiding judge and subject to agreement by the appointee to perform these duties without public compensation or benefits.

DATED this 9th day of June, 2025.

ANN A. SCOTT TIMMER
Chief Justice