

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of:)
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MANDATORY JUDICIAL EDUCATION) Administrative Order
PROGRAM ON SETTING CONDITIONS) No. 2017 - 101
OF RELEASE)
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The Fair Justice for All Task Force was established by Administrative Order No. 2016-16. On October 17, 2016, the Arizona Judicial Council supported all the recommendations of the Task Force and proposed adopting court policies and procedures as necessary to implement the Task Force recommendations. Those recommendations include directing all full-time and part-time judicial officers to attend an educational program regarding alternatives to financial release conditions (*Report and Recommendations of the Task Force on Fair Justice for All*, Recommendation 63).

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

IT IS ORDERED that all judicial officers including full-time and part-time judges, judges pro tempore, magistrates, commissioners, and referees who routinely perform initial appearance hearings, who did not attend the 2017 Annual Judicial Conference, shall attend a judicial education program on setting of release conditions. The training program will be developed and presented by the Administrative Office of the Courts.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all requests to be excused from attendance of the training shall be submitted to the Chief Justice in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

Dated this 29th day of August 2017.

SCOTT BALES
Chief Justice