

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of:)	
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APPOINTMENT OF A JUDGE OF THE)	Administrative Order
COURT OF APPEALS TO SERVE IN)	<u>No. 2003- 93</u>
THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE)	
STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR)	
THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA)	
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The Honorable Maurice Portley was appointed to the Court of Appeals after a lengthy tenure on the bench of the Superior Court of the State of Arizona in and for the County of Maricopa.

While serving in the Superior Court, Judge Portley participated in Celebrate Adoption, where he finalized adoptions for a portion of that special day.

Judge Portley has expressed his willingness to continue this tradition by participating in Celebrate Adoption 2003, which will be held on Saturday, November 22, 2003 at the Southeast Juvenile Court facility in Mesa, and the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court - Juvenile Department desires his participation.

Appointing Judge Portley to act as a Superior Court judge in the Juvenile Department is appropriate and desirable, and in the best interest of children. Now, therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that Judge Portley is appointed to serve as a judge of the Superior Court of Arizona in and for the County of Maricopa to handle cases assigned to him by the Honorable Linda K. Scott, Presiding Juvenile Court Judge, for Celebrate Adoption 2003, and to perform any tasks related thereto.

Dated this 25th day of September, 2003.

CHARLES E. JONES
Chief Justice