

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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In the Matter of: )  
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ASSIGNMENT OF A JUDGE OF THE ) Administrative Order  
SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA ) No. 2005-45  
TO SERVE IN DIVISION TWO OF )  
THE ARIZONA COURT OF APPEALS )  
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The Chief Judge of Division Two of the Arizona Court of Appeals has requested the assignment of a judge of the Superior Court of Arizona to serve in that court to aid and assist in the consideration and disposition of all matters relating to *Kaufmann v. M & S Unlimited, L.L.C.*, No. 2-CA-CV 2005-0037. Therefore, pursuant to Article 6, Section 3, of the Arizona Constitution,

IT IS ORDERED that, in addition to his regular duties as a judge of the Superior Court of Arizona, the Honorable James A. Soto is assigned to serve as a judge in Division Two of the Arizona Court of Appeals in the above-designated matter, as designated by the Chief Judge, beginning July 13, 2005, and ending December 31, 2005.

While serving as a judge in the designated matter, Judge James A. Soto shall have all of the powers and duties of a judge of the Court of Appeals. These powers and duties shall extend beyond the period of this assignment for the purpose of hearing and determining any proceeding necessary to a final determination of a cause heard in whole or in part during the period of this assignment.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this assignment is conditioned upon the agreement by Judge James A. Soto to serve in Division Two of the Arizona Court of Appeals for the designated matter and to do so for no additional compensation or benefits, fiscal or otherwise.

Dated this 8th day of July, 2005.

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RUTH V. MCGREGOR  
Chief Justice

cc: Hon. John Pelander, Chief Judge, Division Two  
Hon. James A. Soto, Presiding Judge, Santa Cruz County  
Clerk of Court, Division Two