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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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IN THE MATTER OF THE CONDITIONS OF SERVICE OF THE OFFICIAL COURT REPORTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON.	GENERAL ORDER

WHEREAS Earl V. Halvorson was appointed, by order of this Court effective July 1, 1948, an Official Court Reporter for the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington in which Judge Charles H. Leavy presided, and was by order of this Court on June 22, 1951, assigned to the court presided over by Judge William J. Lindberg, and

WHEREAS George F. Cropp was appointed by order of this Court of February 28, 1956, an Official Court Reporter for the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington in which Judge John C. Bowen presides, and has since been assigned to serve in the court in which Judge William T. Beeks presides, and

WHEREAS Gerald J. Popelka was appointed by order of this Court effective June 4, 1956, an Official Court Reporter for the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington in which Judge George H. Boldt presides, and

WHEREAS Wilford L. Mayrand was appointed by joint order of this Court and the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington effective May 2, 1966, to be Official Court Reporter for the United States District Court for the Eastern and Western Districts of Washington in which Judge William N. Goodwin presides, and

WHEREAS Section 753 of Title 28 U.S.C. contemplates that Official Court Reporters shall serve the whole Court rather than limit their service to a particular judge, and

WHEREAS from time to time it is necessary to provide court reporter service to senior judges and to judges of other courts of the United States serving on assignment in this Court, and from time to time the need to accommodate expeditious production of transcripts, illness, or other good and sufficient reason makes it impossible for the Official Court Reporter assigned to a particular Judge of this Court to be present at a session of court or other proceeding at which a reporter is needed, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Official Court Reporters of the United States District Court, Western District of Washington, are and shall be assigned primarily as follows: Earl V. Halvorson shall serve primarily at sessions presided over by Judge William J. Lindberg; George F. Cropp shall serve primarily at sessions presided over by Judge William T. Beeks; Gerald J. Popelka shall serve primarily at sessions presided over by Judge George H. Boldt; and Wilford L. Mayrand during such times as Judge William N. Goodwin is not engaged in the Eastern District of Washington, shall serve primarily at sessions presided over by Judge William N. Goodwin; but when any such reporter is not engaged at a session presided over by the judge to whom he is primarily

assigned, and is not engaged in the expeditious production of transcripts, ill, or unavailable for some other good and sufficient reason, he shall be considered available for service at other court proceedings, and may be assigned by the Chief Judge or, in his absence, the senior active judge present in the District, to serve at any session or other proceeding of Court where a reporter is needed and not otherwise readily available, and upon the retirement, resignation or death of any Judge of this Court, the reporter primarily assigned to him will be immediately available for general assignment, and upon the qualification in office of the succeeding Judge, shall be primarily assigned to such Judge.

DATED this 14th day of December, 1970.

William J. Lindberg
United States District Judge

Lea H. Beedt
United States District Judge

M. D. Belloz
United States District Judge

Wm. M. Goodwin
United States District Judge