

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS OF WEST VIRGINIA

RE: APPOINTMENT OF CIRCUIT JUDGES FOR SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WEST VIRGINIA WIRETAPPING AND ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE ACT

In accordance with West Virginia Code § 62-1D-7, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Appeals is required, on an annual basis, to designate five active circuit court judges to individually hear and rule upon applications for orders authorizing the interception of wire, oral or electronic communications.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, that the **Honorable William J. Sadler**, Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit; the **Honorable Michael D. Lorensen**, Judge of the Twenty-Third Judicial Circuit; the **Honorable Christopher D. Chiles**, Judge of the Sixth Judicial Circuit; the **Honorable Michael J. Olejasz**, Judge of the First Judicial Circuit; and the **Honorable Anita Harold Ashley**, Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, be, and they hereby are, appointed to serve under the provisions of West Virginia Code § 62-1D-7 for the purpose of individually hearing and ruling upon applications for orders authorizing the interception of wire, oral or electronic communications.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the terms for the aforesaid appointments shall run from July 1, 2022, through June 30, 2023.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia record this Order in the office of said Clerk.

ENTERED: MAY 24, 2022



JOHN A. HUTCHISON
Chief Justice