STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN SUPREME COURT

FILE NO. 51027

In Re Proposed Supreme Court Rule
to Support SJIS Reporting Requirements   O R D E R

WHEREAS, the State Court Administrator is authorized by Minn. Stat. § 480.15, subd. 10b (1978) to promulgate and administer uniform require- ments for court information systems and the compilation of statistical information, and

WHEREAS, clerks of court and all other state and local officers are required by Minn. Stat. § 480.17, subd. 1 (1978) to comply with all requests made by the State Court Administrator after approval by the Chief Justice for information and statistical data bearing on the state of the dockets of the courts and such other information as may reflect the business transacted by them, and

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court is empowered by Minn. Stat. § 480.16 (1978) to provide by rule for the enforcement of that statute and Minn. Stat. § 480.17 (1978), and

WHEREAS, the Conference of Chief Judges and Assistant Chief Judges unanimously approved the rule as hereinafter provided on October 12, 1979, and
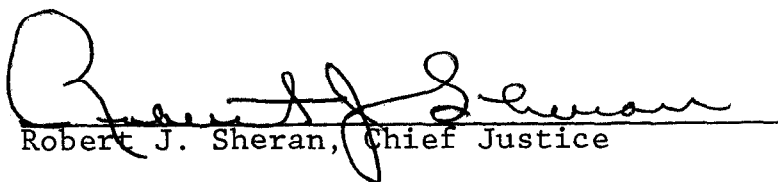
WHEREAS, the Supreme Court, after notice of public hearing duly published, held such hearing on June 6, 1980, to consider the merits of said rule,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following rule shall govern the reporting of statistical information by clerks of court and their employees to the State Court Administrator:

> The User's Manual of the State Judicial Information System (SJIS) published April 10, 1978 by the Information Systems Office of the State Court Administrator shall have the force of Supreme Court rule as provided in Minnesota Statute 480.16 and 480.17. This SJIS User's Manual and all subsequent revisions shall be made available

to all clerks of court and shall have effect upon receipt
by each clerk. The SJIS User's Manual and all subsequent
revisions shall be disseminated by the Information System
Office of the State Court Administrator and shall be on
file at the Information Systems Office and the Clerk of
Court's Office of the Supreme Court.

DATED: June 10, 1980.

Robert J. Sheran, Chief Justice