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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
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**Order Appointing  
Members to the Judicial Branch  
Technology Planning Committee**

**WHEREAS**, the Judicial Branch Technology Committee was established by Supreme Court order dated December 7, 1996 and has met continuously since 1997;

**WHEREAS**, the Judicial Branch Technology Planning Committee is charged with the following responsibilities:

1. Plan for and implement a technology vision and technology plan for the judicial branch.
2. Serve as a centralized decision-making body for:
  - Business Practices. Determining which business practices will be supported by technology and software application.
  - Standards. Determining the operational, industry and formal standards which will be adopted by the judicial branch.
  - Prioritization. Determining the percentage of time to be allocated between current system modification and new development, and among initiatives in support of the Courts, Criminal Justice System and other public agencies.
  - Funding Requests. Recommending requests for new funds for technology initiatives, including the source of those funds.
  - Communication. Serve as the central focus for communicating internally and externally the technology vision and technology plan of the judicial branch and as a centralized point for the sharing of technology related information across the judicial system;
3. Serve as the judicial branch information resource management (IRM) steering committee.

**WHEREAS**, vacancies have occurred, terms of membership have expired and new representative needs have become apparent;

**THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED**, the Judicial Branch Technology Planning Committee shall consist of twenty-six (26) members appointed by the Chief Justice as follows:

One representative of each of the ten judicial districts appointed by the Chief Judge; one Supreme Court Justice or designee and two at large members appointed by the Chief Justice;

one Court of Appeals Judge appointed by the Chief Judge; the Supreme Court Commissioner; the Clerk of the Appellate Courts; the State Court Administrator; the Director of the Information Technology Division, two representatives of the Conference of Chief Judges appointed by the Chair of the Conference of Chief Judges; the Minnesota District Judges Association President or designee; the Minnesota Association of Court Administrators' President or designee; and one member elected from each of the four TCIS State User Groups. The chair and vice chair shall be appointed by the Chief Justice.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, that the following persons shall be, and hereby are, appointed to the Judicial Branch Technology Planning Committee for the term indicated; subsequent terms shall be three years.

Honorable P. Hunter Anderson  
Tenth Judicial District  
Isanti County Courthouse  
555 18th Avenue S.W.  
Cambridge, MN 55008  
(612) 689-2292  
Three Year Term

Honorable Kathleen R. Gearin  
MDJA  
1550 Ramsey County Courthouse  
15 W. Kellogg Boulevard  
St. Paul, MN 55102  
(651) 266-9178  
One Year Term

Honorable Russell A. Anderson  
Supreme Court  
421 Minnesota Judicial Center  
25 Constitution Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 296-2484  
Two Year Term

Dale W. Good, Jr., Director  
Information Technology Division  
145 Minnesota Judicial Center  
25 Constitution Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 297-7636  
Ex Officio

Shannon Asselin  
Financial State User Group Representative  
Blue Earth County Courthouse  
204 South 5<sup>th</sup> Street, P. O. Box 0347  
Mankato, MN 56002  
(507) 389-8364  
One Year Term

Fred Grittner  
Clerk of Appellate Courts  
305 Minnesota Judicial Center  
25 Constitution Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 297-5529  
Ex Officio

James Attwood, Court Administrator  
MACA  
Fillmore County Courthouse  
P.O. Box 436  
Preston, MN 55965  
(507) 765-3356  
Three Year Term

Mary Helf, District Administrator  
Sixth Judicial District  
425 St. Louis County Courthouse  
100 N. Fifth Avenue W.  
Duluth, MN 55802  
(218) 726-2544  
One Year Term

Sue K. Dosal  
State Court Administrator  
135 Minnesota Judicial Center  
25 Constitution Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 296-2474  
Ex Officio

Honorable William R. Howard  
Fourth Judicial District  
12-C Hennepin Government Center  
300 S. Sixth Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55487  
(612) 348-9845  
Three Year Term

Honorable Philip T. Kanning  
First Judicial District  
Carver County Justice Center  
600 East 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Chaska, MN 55318  
(612) 361-1445  
Three Year Term

Sonja Kruger  
Juvenile State User Group Representative  
Blue Earth County Courthouse  
204 South 5<sup>th</sup> Street, P. O. Box 0347  
Mankato, MN 56002  
(507) 389-8312  
One Year Term

Honorable Herbert Lefler  
At Large Member  
12-C Hennepin Government Center  
300 South Sixth Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55487  
(612) 348-8302  
Two Year Term

Honorable Thomas G. McCarthy  
At Large Member  
Sibley County Courthouse  
400 Court Avenue - P. O. Box 867  
Gaylord, MN 55334  
(507) 237-2232  
Three Year Term

Honorable Thomas J. Mott  
Second Judicial District  
1010 Ramsey County Courthouse  
15 W. Kellogg Boulevard  
St. Paul, MN 55102  
(651) 266-9187  
Two Year Term

Honorable Dennis Murphy  
Conference of Chief Judges  
101 North Main  
Thief River Falls, MN 56701  
(218) 683-7023  
Two Year Term

Open  
Criminal State User Group Representative  
Washington County Government Center  
14900 61<sup>st</sup> Street North - P. O. Box 6  
Stillwater, MN 55082  
(651) 430-4420  
One Year Term

Honorable Gerard W. Ring  
Third Judicial District  
Olmsted Government Center  
151 4<sup>th</sup> Street S.E.  
Rochester, MN 55904-3712  
(507) 285-8243  
Two Year Term

Honorable Randall J. Slieter  
Eight Judicial District  
Renville County Courthouse  
500 E. DePue  
Olivia, MN 56277  
(320) 523-3680  
One Year Term

Richard Slowes  
Supreme Court Commissioner  
430 Minnesota Judicial Center  
25 Constitution Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 296-6125  
Ex Officio

Honorable John Smith  
Ninth Judicial District  
300 Minnesota Avenue  
Walker, MN 55484  
(218) 547-7200  
Two Year Term

Gregory Solien, District Administrator  
Seventh Judicial District  
705 Courthouse Square - Room 410  
P.O. Box 1836  
St. Cloud, MN 56302  
(320) 656-3650  
Three Year Term

Joy Steffel  
Civil State User Group Representative  
Renville County Courthouse  
500 E. DePue  
Olivia, MN 56277  
(320) 523-3680  
Two year Term

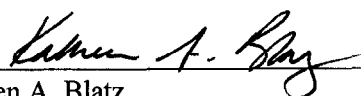
Barbara Worrell, Assistant District Administrator  
Fifth Judicial District  
410 South 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
P. O. Box 3366  
Mankato, MN 56002-3366  
(507) 388-5204  
Two Year Term

Honorable Edward Toussaint, Jr.  
Minnesota Court of Appeals  
314 Minnesota Judicial Center  
25 Constitution Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55155  
(651) 297-1006  
One Year Term

Honorable Donald J. Venne  
Conference of Chief Judges  
Anoka County Courthouse  
325 E. Main St  
Anoka, MN 55303  
(612) 422-7440  
Three Year Term

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, that the Honorable Thomas G. McCarthy shall be, and hereby is, appointed as chair of the Judicial Branch Technology Planning Committee and that the Honorable Russell A. Anderson shall be, and hereby is, appointed as vice-chair of the Judicial Branch Technology Planning Committee.

**DATED:** November 5, 1999

  
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Kathleen A. Blatz  
Chief Justice



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**Order Appointing An Additional  
Member to the Judicial Branch  
Technology Planning Committee**

**WHEREAS**, the Judicial Branch Technology Committee members were appointed by Supreme Court order dated November 5, 1999;

**WHEREAS**, the representative from the Criminal State User Group was not appointed and has now been designated to be:

Shari Wicks  
Morrison County Courthouse  
213 S.E. First Avenue  
Little Falls, MN 56345  
320-632-0327  
One Year Term


**THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED**, that Shari Wicks be, and hereby is, appointed to the Judicial Branch Technology Planning committee for an initial one year term:

**DATED:** November 17, 1999

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Kathleen A. Blatz  
Chief Justice