STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN SUPREME COURT C5-79-50712

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court previously approved a redistricting plan for the Third Judicial District which is contained in an order of this court dated April 16, 1980;

WHEREAS, said redistricting plan established a single county court district to be coterminous with the boundaries of the Third Judicial District;

WHEREAS, said redistricting plan provided that the location of chambers of county court judges in the Third Judicial District remained as then constituted;

WHEREAS, the Third Judicial District has filed with the Secretary of State its intention to reorganize the trial courts into one general trial court to be known as the District Court, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 487.191;

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. § 480.22 (1982) authorizes the Minnesota Supreme Court to designate the location of chambers for judges of all courts in the state after consultation with the judges of the affected district;

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court has consulted with the judges of the Third Judicial District with respect to chambers location; and

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court has studied the workload of the Third Judicial District and the geographic dispersion of currently designated chambers;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the chambers locations within the Third Judicial District shall be as follows:

| County | Number <u>of Judges</u> |
|----------|----------------------------|
| Wabasha | 1 |
| Winona | 3 |
| Houston | 1 |
| Fillmore | 1 |
| Olmsted | 5 |
| Dodge | 1 |
| Mower | 2 |
| Freeborn | 3 |
| Steele | 1 |
| Waseca | 1 |
| Rice | 3 |

Dated: 1747 16, 1984

BY THE COURT

Douglas K. Amdahl, Chief Justice

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