STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN SUPREME COURT

C7-00-1702

In Re Election Contest:

Ole Savior,

Plaintiff/Contestant,

vs. (Ramsey County File No. C9-00-8288)

Mark Dayton,

Defendant/Contestee.

ORDER

A complaint/notice of contest has been filed under Minn. Stat. § 209.021 (1998) regarding the September 12, 2000 Democratic-Farmer-Labor primary election for United States Senate. Because this was an election regarding a statewide office, Minn. Stat. § 209.045 (1998) requires that the contest be heard and determined in Ramsey County by three judges assigned by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

NOW, THEREFORE, based upon all the files, records and proceedings herein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Honorable Lawrence D. Cohen, the Honorable Charles A. Flinn, Jr., and the Honorable George O. Peterson, Judges of the Second Judicial District, be, and the same are, assigned to hear and determine the above-entitled election contest pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 209.045 (1998).

Dated: October 2, 2000

BY THE COURT:

OFFICE OF APPELLATE COURTS

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Kathleen A. Blatz Chief Justice

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