## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

NO. 07-8500

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SUPREME COURT OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPROVAL OF A DRUG-FREE AND ALCOHOL-FREE WORK PLACE POLICY AND A DRUG/ALCOHOL TESTING POLICY FOR THE NEW MEXICO JUDICIAL BRANCH

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## ORDER

WHEREAS, this matter came on for consideration by the Court upon recommendation of the Administrative Office of the Courts to adopt a Drug-free and Alcohol-free Work policy and a Drug/Alcohol Testing policy for the New Mexico Judicial Branch, and the Court having considered said recommendation and being sufficiently advised, Chief Justice Edward L. Chávez, Justice Pamela B. Minzner, Justice Patricio M. Serna, Justice Petra Jimenez Maes, and Justice Richard C. Bosson concurring;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the recommendation hereby is ADOPTED and a Drug-free and Alcohol-free Work policy and a Drug/Alcohol Testing policy for the New Mexico Judicial Branch hereby are APPROVED; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, although state judges are not judicial employees bound by the New Mexico Judicial Branch Personnel Rules, all state, county, magistrate, metropolitan, municipal, and probate judges shall abide by these policies in the execution of their judicial duties.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, this <sup>24th</sup> day of January, 2007. Chief Justice Edward L. Chávez Justice Pamela B. Minzner Justice Patricio M. Serna

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Justice Richard C. Bosson