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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PINAL

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPOINTMENT)
OF INDIGENT DEFENSE TO REPRESENT)
JUVENILES SUMMONED TO)
JUVENILE SUPERIOR COURT)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. A0202000043

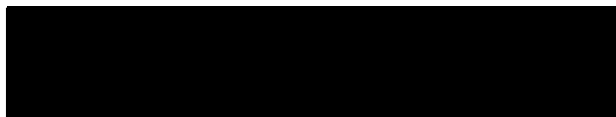
WHEREAS, Rule 1 of the Rules of Procedure for the Juvenile Court defines a juvenile as a person under the age of eighteen (18) years, or who is under the age of nineteen (19) years, if the juvenile court has retained jurisdiction over the person pursuant to A.R.S. § 8-202(H).

WHEREAS, A.R.S. §8-221 and Rule 10 of the Rules of Procedure for the Juvenile Court require the court to appoint counsel for the juvenile if the juvenile is determined to be indigent, or the parent or custodian is unable or unwilling to obtain counsel.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that counsel shall be provisionally appointed pursuant to this Administrative Order through the Office of Public Defense Services to represent juveniles prior to the juveniles' advisory hearing appearance, under the following circumstances:

- 1) The State filed a petition alleging a juvenile is a delinquent child within the purview of Arizona Revised Statutes, Section 8-201, and issued a summons requiring a juvenile to appear before the juvenile Superior Court;
- 2) The juvenile is unrepresented; and,
- 3) The juvenile, parent, guardian or custodian of the juvenile provide proof of financial resources by filing a financial questionnaire provided by the court, or the court questions the parent, guardian or custodian under oath at the advisory hearing; and,
- 4) The court makes a timely, formal determination of the juvenile's indigence at the earliest opportunity and relieves appointed counsel from representation of juveniles who are financially able to retain private counsel.

Dated JUNE 29, 2020



Presiding Judge
Pinal County Superior Court