

THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

ORDER NO. 181

Creating the Barrow Judicial Service Area within the Second Judicial District and Appointing a Superior Court Judge as Administrative Judge for the Service Area.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. In order to provide necessary judicial services to the Arctic region of the state and in recognition of the transportation and communication problems involved in providing such service from Nome, the Barrow Judicial Service Area is created.

2. The Barrow Judicial Service Area shall consist of all portions of the North Slope Borough except the areas designated on the attached map, and more particularly described as follows:

(a) That portion of the North Slope Borough

that is bounded by the Canadian border on the East, the Chukchi Sea on the West, the 68th parallel on the South and the Arctic Ocean on the North, excepting, therefrom, that corridor of land between 148° and 155° longitude lying north of the 68th parallel; and

(b) The pipeline corridor as described in Department of the Interior Public Land Order No. 5150 as amended by Public Land Orders, 5151 and 5182.

3. Superior Court Judge Gerald J. Van Hoomissen is appointed as the Administrative Judge for the Barrow Judicial Service Area.

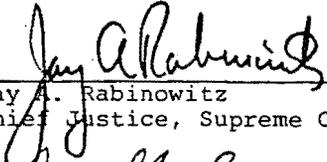
4. The Administrative Judge shall have the same duties and responsibilities within the Barrow Judicial Service Area as a Presiding Superior Court Judge within a judicial district.

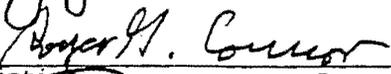
5. The Administrative Judge shall have discretion to call grand juries to convene at Barrow at such times and from such locations within the Service Area as he deems appropriate.

6. The court shall be entitled the Superior Court of Alaska for the Barrow Judicial Service Area.

DATED at Fairbanks, Alaska, this 5th day of June, 1974.

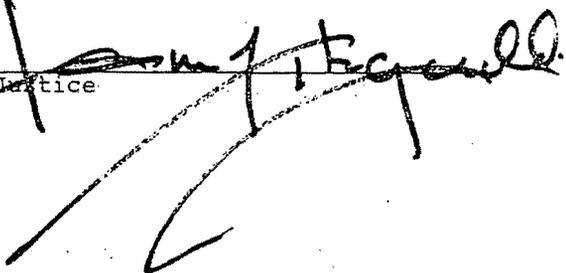
EFFECTIVE DATE: Nunc pro tunc, April 20, 1974.


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