

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE)	AMENDED
APPOINTMENT OF SANTA PERFITT)	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
AS A CONTRACT COURT INTERPRETER)	NO. 2009-093
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Whereas the Superior Court of Arizona in Maricopa County is experiencing an urgent need for a qualified English<>Mam court interpreter owing to a demand for interpretation services for Mam speaking defendants and victims/witnesses, and lack of availability of current contractors;

Whereas the existing court interpreter vendors do not have qualified and reliable Mam language interpreters;

Due to these circumstances and the urgency in providing interpretation to the judicial divisions and other vital court programs, it is necessary to temporarily engage the services of qualified providers. This action will avoid delays and continuances of cases requiring English>Mam interpretation services.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. MS. Santa Perfitt, a California registered court interpreter, be allowed to work as an English<>Mam contract court interpreter during the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.
2. Ms. Santa Perfitt will be compensated at the rate of \$35.00 per hour with a minimum of two hours for telephonic interpreting and in-person at the rate of \$375.00 per day for a one-day assignment. For multiple day assignments, the rate will be \$475.00. All travel, lodging and ground transportation expenses will be borne by the Court. In addition, Ms. Santa Perfitt will receive a per diem of up to \$50.00 provided that receipts are submitted with invoice.
3. Ms. Santa Perfitt be exempt from providing proof of liability and professional insurance.
4. Ms. Santa Perfitt abide by the Code of Ethics and Standards of Conduct for Court Interpreters established by this Court.

Dated this 10th day of August, 2009.

Barbara Rodriguez Mundell
Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

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