

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE)	
APPOINTMENT OF ANH PEARSON)	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
AS A CONTRACT COURT INTERPRETER)	NO. 2009-121
_____)	

Whereas the Superior Court of Arizona in Maricopa County is experiencing an urgent need for a qualified English<>Vietnamese court interpreter owing to a demand for interpretation services for Vietnamese speaking defendants and victims/witnesses, and lack of availability of current contractors;

Whereas the existing court interpreter vendors do not have qualified and reliable Vietnamese 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<>Vietnamese interpretation services.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Ms. Anh Pearson be allowed to work as an English<>Vietnamese contract court interpreter during the period October 5, 2009 – June 30, 2010.
2. Ms. Anh Pearson be compensated at the rates currently offered to other contract interpreters under current Court Contract (09005).
3. Ms. Anh Pearson be exempt from providing proof of liability and professional insurance.
4. Ms. Anh Pearson abide by the Code of Ethics and Standards of Conduct for Court Interpreters established by this Court.

Dated this 7th day of October, 2009.

Barbara Rodriguez Mundell
Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

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