

**JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF CALIFORNIA**  
**Minutes of the Special Session Business Meeting—February 9, 2012**  
**By Teleconference**

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**CLOSED SESSION (RULE 10.6(B))—PERSONNEL MATTER**

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**Judicial Council members present:** Chief Justice Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye; Justices Judith Ashmann-Gerst, Marvin R. Baxter, Harry E. Hull, Jr., and Douglas P. Miller; Judges Stephen H. Baker, Emilie H. Elias, James E. Herman, Teri L. Jackson, Ira R. Kaufman, Mary Ann O'Malley, Kenneth K. So, Sharon J. Waters, David S. Wesley, Erica R. Yew; Ms. Angela J. Davis, Ms. Miriam Aroni Krinsky, and Ms. Edith R. Matthai; **advisory members:** Judges David F. De Alba, Terry B. Friedman (Ret.), Robert James Moss, David Rosenberg, and David M. Rubin; Commissioner Sue Alexander; Court Executive Officers Alan Carlson, Kim Turner, and David H. Yamasaki; and Mr. Frederick K. Ohlrich.

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**Appointment of Interim Administrative Director of the Courts**

***Judicial Council action***

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The council also received an update from its search committee as the national search for the Administrative Director of the Courts continues.

There being no further public business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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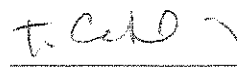
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