

In the  
**Indiana Supreme Court**



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JUDGE PRO TEMPORE IN )  
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MARION SUPERIOR COURT )

Case No. 49S00-0811-MS-613

ORDER APPOINTING JUDGE PRO TEMPORE

On November 25, 2008, this Court issued Orders suspending the Honorable Grant W. Hawkins, Judge of the Marion Superior Court, Criminal Division No. 5, and appointing the Honorable James B. Osborn Judge *Pro Tempore* of the Marion Superior Court, Criminal Division No. 5, both effective at the close of business that day. This Court has been advised that the Hon. James B. Osborn will be sworn in as a Judge of the Marion Superior Court, effective January 1, 2009, and that it is therefor necessary to appoint a successor Judge *Pro Tempore* for the Marion Superior Court, Criminal Division 5. Accordingly, we find that in the interests of continuing the orderly administration of justice and pursuant to Ind.Trial Rule 63, a successor Judge *Pro Tempore* should be appointed to discharge temporarily the duties of that office. Further, the Honorable Mark Alan Jones, an attorney admitted to practice law in this state, is willing to serve as Judge *Pro Tempore*.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that that the Hon. Mark Alan Jones is appointed as Judge *Pro Tempore* in the Marion Superior, Criminal Division 5, effective January 1, 2009. This appointment will continue in effect until further order of this Court.

This Order shall be sufficient authority for Judge Jones to continue the employment of court personnel and otherwise discharge the duties of Judge of the Marion Superior Court. Judge Jones

shall be entitled to compensation for this service, paid by the State of Indiana, computed at the same rate as the regular judge commencing from the effective date of his appointment, pursuant to T.R. 63(D).

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a certified copy of this Order to the Clerk of the Marion Superior Court, who is directed to enter this Order into the Record of Judgments and Orders; to the Hon. Grant W. Hawkins, Marion Superior Court, 200 East Washington Street, W305, Indianapolis, IN 46204; to the Hon. Mark Alan Jones; to the Division of State Court Administration, payroll department; and to the Indiana Judicial Center.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008.

*RT Shepard*

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Randall T. Shepard  
Chief Justice of Indiana