

In the
Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF)
THE APPOINTMENT OF)
ROBERT M. HALL AND)
E. DUANE DAUGHERTY)
AS SENIOR JUDGES IN)
THE NEWTON SUPERIOR COURT)

Cause No. 56S00-0810-MS-559

ORDER APPOINTING SENIOR JUDGES

The Honorable Daniel J. Molter, Judge of the Newton Superior Court, has requested the appointment of Senior Judges Robert M. Hall and E. Duane Daugherty for service in the Newton Superior Court for 2008, pursuant to Ind. Code §33-23-3-1.

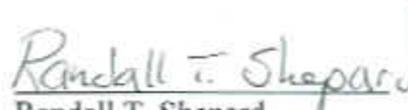
This Court adopted revisions to Administrative Rule 5 on December 3, 2003, which made certain changes to the senior judge program in recognition of the importance of senior judges to the administration of justice in Indiana trial courts. Accordingly, we find that Judge Molter has demonstrated the need for additional judicial resources. Senior Judges Robert M. Hall and E. Duane Daugherty have been certified as senior judges by the Judicial Nominating Commission pursuant to Ind. Code §33-27-4-1. This Court may re-examine the appointment made herein at a later date in light of other circumstances, and make adjustments accordingly.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Senior Judges Robert M. Hall and E. Duane Daugherty are appointed to serve in the Newton Superior Court at the discretion of the Judge of the Newton Superior Court, effective the date of this Order. This appointment shall remain in

effect until **December 31, 2008**. Pursuant to Ind. Code §33-23-3-5, the senior judges appointed by this Court in this Order may not be compensated as senior judge for more than one hundred (100) days in the aggregate during the 2008 calendar year.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a certified copy of this order to the Honorable Daniel J. Molter, Newton Superior Court, P.O. Box 143, Kentland, IN 47951-0143; to the Honorable Robert M. Hall; to the Honorable E. Duane Daugherty; to the clerk of the Clerk of the Newton Superior Court; to the Indiana Judicial Center; to the Judicial Qualifications Commission; and to the Division of State Court Administration, Payroll Section.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana this 14th day of October, 2008.


Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana