

In the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho

IN RE: MEMBERSHIP OF THE)
EDUCATION COMMITTEE)

AMENDED ORDER

WHEREAS the Idaho Supreme Court is committed to assuring the highest level of service by recruiting highly qualified judges and court personnel and advancing their professional development through educational opportunities.

WHEREAS the Education Committee is charged with providing leadership and guidance for the professional development of all judges and court personnel, including:

- Provide recommendations to the Court regarding enhancements to sentencing options for magistrate judges through review of relevant research on sentencing practices and sentencing alternatives with emphasis on community-based programs;
- Increase understanding of who is sentenced to probation, how those decisions are made, how long individuals are supervised, for whom and why probation is revoked, and the implications of all of these;
- Review and provide recommendations for enhancing information available to judges at sentencing, including information related to criminogenic risk and needs, the availability of behavioral health treatment, and other programing, as well as other sentencing information;
- Work with the Idaho Association of Counties Misdemeanor Probation Administrators Association and make recommendations to enhance misdemeanor probation services statewide and support evidence-based supervision practices;
- Serve as a liaison to each judicial district to increase understanding, develop recommendations for judicial education and receive feedback on misdemeanor sentencing practices for new and existing magistrate judges; and
- Review and provide recommendations regarding evidence-based practices for pretrial justice, risk assessment data, conditions of release information, and specific county policies relating to monitoring and reporting criteria to judges in concert with criminal justice stakeholders.

The Education Committee shall meet regularly and report periodically to magistrate court judges, the Administrative Conference, and the Supreme Court on actions taken, as well as recommendations for improvements to judicial and non-judicial education.

The Court, being advised that a request has been made for adjustments to the Education Committee membership roster due to the retirement of the chair, Justice John Stegner, and a change to the Magistrate Judicial Advisor position.

The following adjustments shall be made to the Education Committee Roster:

The Following Committee members shall be released from the duties associated with said committee, with our appreciation for their service:

Justice John Stegner, Chair
Judge Debra Heise

The following committee members shall be appointed to the committee:

Justice Cynthia Meyer, Chair
Judge Christopher Bieter

The following committee members shall remain on the said committee:

Hon. David Gratton, Judge, Court of Appeals
Hon. Darren Simpson, District Judge, Seventh Judicial District
Hon. Richard Christensen, District Judge, First Judicial District
Hon. Davis VanderVelde, District Judge, Canyon County
Hon. Calvin Campbell, Magistrate Judge, Twin Falls County
Hon. Daniel Steckel, Magistrate Judge, Ada County
Hon. Victoria Olds, Magistrate Judge, Nez Perce County
Tammie Whyte, Trial Court Administrator, Seventh Judicial District
Doug Miller, Elected Clerk, Valley County
Teresa Baker, Deputy Executive Director, Idaho State Bar
Don Burnett, Professor, College of Law, University of Idaho
Hon. Juneal Kerrick, District Judicial Advisor

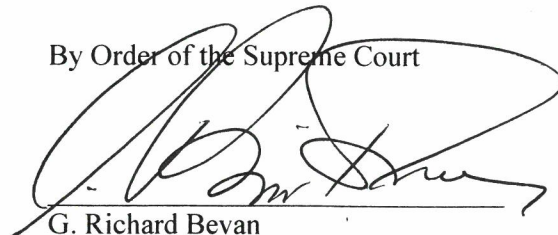
The team of Idaho court administrative experts, as well as legal counsel, assigned to support the Education Committee in fulfilling its charge are:

Sara Omundson, Administrative Director of the Idaho Supreme Court
Jared Hoskins, Court Management Director, Administrative Office of the Court
Andrea Patterson, Human Resource Director, Administrative Office of the Courts
Nate Poppino, Communications Manager, Administrative Office of the Courts
Ileen Gerstenberger, Sr. Education Manager, Administrative Office of the Courts
Nick Schultz, Education Specialist, Administrative Office of the Courts

This order shall be effective on the date signed.

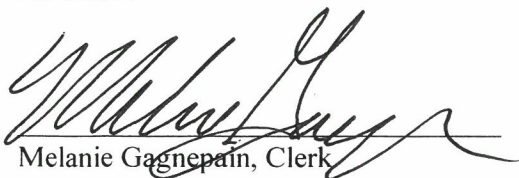
DATED this 12TH day of February, 2024.

By Order of the Supreme Court



G. Richard Bevan
Chief Justice, Idaho Supreme Court

ATTEST:



Melanie Gagnepain, Clerk

I, Melanie Gagnepain, Clerk of the Supreme Court/
Court of Appeals of the State of Idaho, do hereby
Certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the
Amended Order entered in the above entitled
cause and now on record in my office. WITNESS my
hand and the Seal of this Court 2-12-24
Melanie Gagnepain, Clerk

By  Deputy