

THE SUPREME COURT OF MINNESOTA  
ST. PAUL

OFFICE OF  
STATE COURT ADMINISTRATOR

June 19, 1972

Mr. Arlen I. Erdahl,  
Secretary of State  
Room 180, State Office Building  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Mr. Erdahl:

Enclosed please find a certified copy of the order, signed this day by The Honorable Oscar R. Knutson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Minnesota, reducing the number of judges in the Stearns-Sherburne-Benton County Court from five to four.

This certified copy of the order is sent to you for filing in your office, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1, Subdivision 7, Chapter 951, Laws of 1971.

Would you please acknowledge receipt of this order and advise when it has been filed.

Yours very truly,

*R. E. Klein*  
Richard E. Klein  
Court Administrator

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Enclosure

cc: Stearns County Board of Commissioners  
Sherburne County Board of Commissioners  
Benton County Board of Commissioners

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IN SUPREME COURT

WHEREAS, Chapter 951, Laws of 1971, provides for five judges in the Stearns-Sherburne-Benton County Court district; and

WHEREAS, the county boards of commissioners of the three counties, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1, Subdivision 7, Chapter 951, Laws of 1971, have recommended to the undersigned Chief Justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court that the number of county court judges authorized for the Stearns-Sherburne-Benton County Court district be reduced from five to four, and that an appropriate order to this effect be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED That the number of judges for the Stearns-Sherburne-Benton County Court district, as provided for in Section 1, Subdivision 5(1), Chapter 951, Laws 1971, be and hereby is reduced from five to four.

Dated this 19th day of June, 1972

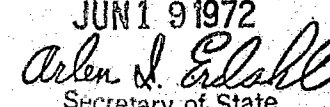


Oscar R. Knutson  
Chief Justice

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JOHN McCARTHY,  
CLERK

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State of Minnesota } ss.  
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I, John McCarthy, clerk of the above named court and custodian of the records thereof, do hereby certify that I have compared the within paper \_\_\_\_\_ writing, to which this certificate is attached, with the original order, dated June 19, 1972, made by the Honorable Oscar R. Knutson, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Minnesota, reducing the number of judges in the Stearns-Sherburne-Benton County Court from five to four, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1, Subdivision 7, Chapter 951, Laws of 1971.

\_\_\_\_\_ office  
now remaining on file in said action, and that the same is a true  
and correct copy \_\_\_\_\_ of said original \_\_\_\_\_ and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Supreme Court, at the

Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, Minnesota,

this 19th day of June, 1972

John McCarthy  
Clerk of Supreme Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk.

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