

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Administrative Order No. 36

Governor John Carlin has requested that the Judicial Branch of Kansas Government voluntarily comply with his request to defer merit pay increases for all nonjudicial personnel funded by monies appropriated to the Judicial Branch of government from the State General Fund for fiscal year 1983, until it becomes apparent that State General Fund revenues in fiscal year 1983 will meet or exceed the estimates upon which the State's 1983 budget is based.

After consideration of the various communications between officials and staff representatives of the Judicial Branch and officers of the Executive and Legislative Branches about current and estimated State revenue collections as they pertain to the serious fiscal problems currently facing the government of the State of Kansas relative to State General Fund appropriations, it is the decision of the Supreme Court that it will voluntarily comply with the Governor's request to defer merit pay increases.

Pursuant to the Supreme Court's general administrative authority over the Judicial Branch of Kansas Government, the Court orders that merit pay increases, including longevity increases and six-month increases from a Step A to a Step A1 of the same Grade, of all non-judicial personnel whose salaries are specifically identified with a Grade and Step on the pay plan of the Kansas Judicial Branch be deferred, effective June 18, 1982, until further order of the Court.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT this 15th day of July 1982.


ALFRED G. SCHROEDER
Chief Justice