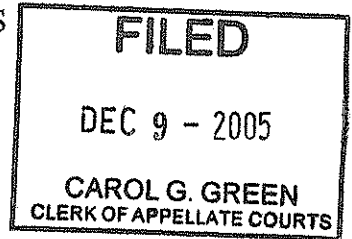


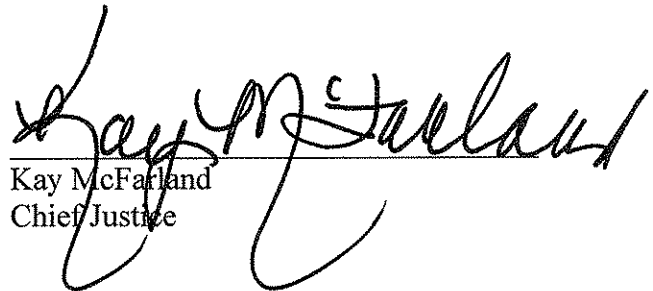
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF KANSAS



ORDER APPOINTING CHIEF JUDGE
FOR THE TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Pursuant to K.S.A. 20-329 and Supreme Court Rule No. 107, the Honorable Edward Bouker is hereby appointed Chief Judge for the Twenty-Third Judicial District of Kansas for a term commencing January 1, 2006, and continuing through December 31, 2007, or until further order of this Court.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT this 9th day of December, 2005.



Kay McFarland
Chief Justice

cc: Hon. Lawton Nuss
Departmental Justice

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