

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

PR 07-0011

FILED

IN THE MATTER OF CALLING
A RETIRED DISTRICT JUDGE
TO ACTIVE SERVICE

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ORDER

APR 23 2012

Ed Smith
CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF MONTANA

Pursuant to the request of the Honorable Karen S. Townsend, on April 18, 2012, we issued an order calling Judge Douglas G. Harkin, retired District Court Judge, to active service in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, to assume jurisdiction of Judge Townsend's September 4, 2012 Law & Motion calendar.

Judge Townsend now having advised the Court that she requires the assistance of Judge Harkin to assume jurisdiction on September 11, 2012 rather than September 4, 2012,

IT IS ORDERED that our April 18, 2012 Order calling Judge Harkin in to active service in the Fourth Judicial District, to assume jurisdiction of the September 4, 2012 Law & Motion calendar is VACATED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Honorable Douglas G. Harkin, retired District Judge, is hereby called to active service in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Montana, to assume jurisdiction of the September 11, 2012 Law & Motion calendar in the Fourth Judicial District, Missoula, County.

For all active service, the Honorable Douglas G. Harkin shall be paid the salary compensation to which he is entitled by § 19-5-103(2)(b), MCA, and actual expenses, if any, shall be reimbursed.

A certified copy of this order shall be filed with the District Court Clerk of Missoula County. A copy of this order shall be furnished to the Honorable Karen Townsend, the

Honorable Douglas G. Harkin and to Becky Buska and Shelly Grandy in the Office of the Court Administrator.

This order is entered by the Chief Justice pursuant to Art. VII, Section 6(3), 1972 Mont. Const., and statutes enacted in conformity therewith and in implementation thereof.

DATED this 24th day of April, 2012.



Chief Justice