

1 WHEREAS, the Chief Justice having determined that the need for a standing
2 designation order continues to exist and that it would be in the best interests of
3 judicial economy to amend the January 24, 2014, order to include the designation of
4 out-of-district judges when the minor child of a judge or employee of the Fourth
5 Judicial District Court is a party to case proceeding in the Fourth Judicial District
6 Court, and to provide an updated standing order for out-of-district designations for
7 cases filed in the Fourth Judicial District;

8 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the January 24, 2014, order
9 designating out-of-district judges for cases wherein judicial employees of the Fourth
10 Judicial District Court are parties is superseded by this order;

11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, pursuant to the authority of the Chief
12 Justice under Article VI, Sections 3 and 15, of the Constitution of the State of New
13 Mexico, the Chief Judge of the Eighth Judicial District Court shall have the authority
14 to designate a sitting district judge from the Chief Judge's judicial district, in any
15 order of priority, to preside over any district court case filed in San Miguel County
16 or Mora County when automatic recusal is required under Rule 1-088(C) NMRA,
17 Rule 5-105(C) NMRA, or Rule 10-161(C) NMRA because a judge or employee of
18 the Fourth Judicial District Court is a party to the case; or, when a judge or
19 employee's minor child is a party to the case;

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Chief Judge of the Tenth Judicial
2 District Court shall have the authority to designate a sitting district judge from the
3 Chief Judge's judicial district, in any order of priority, to preside over any district
4 court case filed in Guadalupe County when a judge or employee, or minor child
5 thereof, of the Fourth Judicial District Court is a party to the case;

6 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Fourth Judicial District
7 Court shall notify the Chief Judge of the Eighth or Tenth Judicial District Court, as
8 applicable, of the need for the designation of a judge to preside over a case under the
9 terms of this order if the parties to said case do not stipulate to a replacement judge
10 within the 10-day stipulation period in Rule 1-088(C), 5-105(C), or 10-161(C)
11 NMRA, as applicable;

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any judge designated under the terms of
13 this order may be reimbursed for mileage and per diem, provided that such costs are
14 paid directly by the Fourth Judicial District Court;

15 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, if a case remains pending on the docket
16 of the Fourth Judicial District Court after the designated judge is no longer a sitting
17 district judge, the case shall be referred to the Chief Judge of the Eighth or Tenth
18 Judicial District Court, as applicable, for a new designation under the terms of this
19 order;

