

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE REVIEW OF  
ISSUES CONCERNING  
REPRESENTATION OF INDIGENT  
DEFENDANTS IN CRIMINAL AND  
JUVENILE DELINQUENCY CASES.

ADKT No. 411

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ORDER

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On September 5, 2008, this court held a public administrative meeting, and received comment regarding not only the performance standards, but also the status of the weighted caseload study. Chief Justice Mark Gibbons orally extended the stay from the bench until September 15, 2008. However, given the importance of this issue and the comprehensive nature of the reports filed and comments received, this court concludes that additional time for the consideration of the performance standards is warranted. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the temporary stay for the implementation of the performance standards is extended to October 15, 2008.

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2008.

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