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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA

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DISTRICT OF
NORTH DAKOTA

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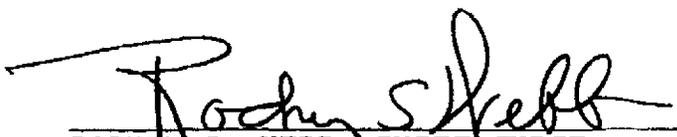
STANDING ORDER

Whereas, the Court finds it in the public interest to provide court support services in the most economical fashion and that a judiciary policy exists for utilizing the services of language interpreters at the most cost effective means available, the Court further finds that the telephone and video conference capabilities available within the District can provide language interpreting services in a cost effective and efficient manner. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this District shall adopt and adhere to a policy whereby language interpreters who are employed by the court and who do not reside in the local area, may appear via telephone or video conference at all judicial proceedings other than trial, unless exigent circumstances dictate that a personal appearance by a language interpreter is necessary at a hearing.

SO ORDERED.

Dated this 24th day of May, 2002.


RODNEY S. WEBB, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT