## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA ORDER NO. 1657

Amending Code of Judicial Conduct Canon 4 concerning the cumulative value of gifts.

## IT IS ORDERED:

Canon 4D of the Code of Judicial Conduct is amended to read as follows:

Canon 4. A Judge Shall So Conduct the Judge's Extra-Judicial Activities as to Minimize the Risk of Conflict with Judicial Obligations.

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D. Financial Activities.

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(5) A judge shall not accept, and shall urge members of the judge's family\* residing in the judge's household not to accept a gift, bequest, favor, or loan from anyone, except for:

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(h) any other gift, bequest, favor, or loan, but only if the donor is not a person who has come or is likely to come before the judge, and if the person's interests have not come and are unlikely to come before the judge. If the value of the gift, bequest, favor, or loan exceeds \$250.00, or if the cumulative value of more than one gift, bequest, favor, or loan received from a single donor in a calendar year exceeds \$250, the judge shall report the gift, bequest, favor, or loan in

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the same manner as the judge reports compensation under Section 4H.

DATED: October 4, 2007

EFFECTIVE DATE: nunc pro tunc to July 10, 2007

<u>/s/</u>
Chief Justice Fabe
<u>/s/</u>
Justice Matthews
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Justice Bryner
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Justice Carpeneti