IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT NEW MEXICO **DF**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

IN RE:

DEC 1 6 1999 Miscellaneous # 84-324

TERM OF CHIEF JUDGE FOR BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

ORDER

It has been traditional for the bankruptcy judges to rotate the duty as Chief Judge on a two-year basis. Therefore, the Court is appointing the Honorable James S. Starzynski as Chief Judge of the Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Mexico for a term beginning on January 1, 2000 for a term ending December 31, 2001. Thereafter, the position of Chief Judge will rotate every two years between the two incumbent judges.

DATED December 16, 1999.

FOR THE COURT:

By:

John Edwards Conway HIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE