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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

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RE:)
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APPOINTMENT AUTHORIZING) **GENERAL ORDER NO. 337**
MAGISTRATE JUDGE)
HOLLIS G. BEST TO SERVE)
BEYOND AGE 70)
_____)

In accordance with the authority conferred by 28 U.S.C. § 631(d), the Judges of this Court are mindful of the fact that Magistrate Judge Hollis G. Best, born July 10, 1926, will attain his 71st birthday prior to completion of the term of office for which he was appointed hereunder.

The Judges of this Court have unanimously agreed that Hollis G. Best, shall be retained in office and continue to serve as a United States Magistrate Judge in Yosemite, California, beyond his 71st birthday.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: May 20, 1997.

FOR THE COURT:

[Signature]
WILLIAM B. SHUBB, Chief Judge
Eastern District of California