


Administrative Office of the Courts

Chief Justice Richard C. Howe
Chairman, Utah Judicial Council

MEMORANDUM

Daniel J. Becker
State Court Administrator
Myron K. March
Deputy Court Administrator

 TO: Judicial Council Management Committee
FROM: Holly M. Bullen
DATE: January 7, 2000
RE: Recertification of Senior Judge Kenneth Rigtrup

The three-year appointment of Senior Judge Kenneth Rigtrup will expire on February 19, 2000. I sent out a reminder of that fact to Judge Rigtrup along with an application form for recertification. Judge Rigtrup completed the application and returned it to me.

I am enclosing the application form for your review. As Judge Rigtrup requested, I'm also enclosing a copy of his recertification documents from 1997 for your review. If you find the recertification to be appropriate, please place it on the consent calendar of the Judicial Council on January 24. (The form has been dated with the appropriate date on which the current certification will expire and the new term should begin.)

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Enclosures

APPLICATION FOR RECERTIFICATION

ACTIVE SENIOR JUDGE STATUS

NAME: Kenneth Rigrup

HOME ADDRESS: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

HOME PHONE NUMBER: [REDACTED]

DATE OF BIRTH: [REDACTED] **PRESENT AGE:** 63

I possess the following qualifications for recertification to Active Senior Judge status:

- (1) I voluntarily retired from judicial office and am receiving retirement compensation under the Judicial Retirement Act.
- (2) I am physically able to perform the duties of judicial office.
- (3) I am mentally able to perform the duties of judicial office.
- (4) I am not engaged in the practice of law nor have been engaged in the practice of law since the date of retirement.
- (5) I have maintained familiarity with current statutes, case law, court rules and court procedure.
- (6) I have or will meet the education standards required by the Code of Judicial Administration.
- (7) I will attend the Annual Judicial Conference during my term of office.
- (8) I will comply with the applicable provisions of the Code of Judicial Conduct.

- (9) I have not been subject to any sanctions for violation of the Code of Judicial Conduct, or

If applicant has been subject to such sanctions, please indicate the date and the nature of the violation and sanctions:

See original application filed in 1997. At re-tirement I had a pending case before the Conduct Commission which was dismissed. However, there was a private admonition for interviewing children without permission of the parties. Section 30-3-10, U.C.A., simply said at the time "the court may inquire

- (10) I am willing to accept at least two case assignments each calendar year during my term of office. the children.

I elect to take Active Senior Judge status.

January 3, 2000

Date

Kenneth Rigtrup

Signature Kenneth Rigtrup

In accordance with Rule 3-113, Code of Judicial Administration, and Supreme Court Rule 11-201, and based upon the foregoing application, the Judicial Council recertifies Judge Kenneth Rigtrup to Active Senior Judge status, effective as of 2-19-00 (date).

Dated _____

Chair, Utah Judicial Council

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION

ACTIVE SENIOR JUDGE STATUS

NAME: Kenneth Rignrup

HOME ADDRESS: 1961 Millbrook Road

Salt Lake City, UT 84106

HOME PHONE NUMBER: (801) 486-6394

DATE OF BIRTH: 3/13/36 **PRESENT AGE:** 60

OFFICE ADDRESS: 3098 S. Highland Drive, Suite 399, Salt Lake City, UT 84106
(801) 466-5900

I possess the following qualifications for designation to Active Senior Judge status:

- (1) I voluntarily retired from judicial office and am receiving retirement compensation under the Judicial Retirement Act.
- (2) I am physically able to perform the duties of judicial office.
- (3) I am mentally able to perform the duties of judicial office.
- (4) I am not engaged in the practice of law nor have been engaged in the practice of law since the date of retirement.
- (5) I have maintained familiarity with current statutes, caselaw, court rules and court procedure.
- (6) I have or will meet the education standards required by the Code of Judicial Administration.
- (7) I will attend the Annual Judicial Conference during my term of office.
- (8) I will comply with the applicable provisions of the Code of Judicial Conduct.
- (9) I have not been subject to any sanctions for violation of the Code of Judicial Conduct.
(I received a public reprimand several years ago in the case of Hofeling v. Hofeling. Over the years, I have received two private reprimands concerning violations of the 60 day statute.)

(10) I am willing to accept at least two case assignments each calendar year during my term of office.

(11) (if applicable) I have been approved by the Supreme Court to serve as an Active Senior Judge beyond 72 years of age.

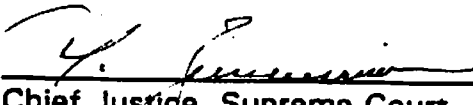
I elect to take Active Senior Judge status as of approval (date).

Signed this 6th day of January, 1997.


Signature Kenneth Rigtrup

In accordance with Rule 3-113 of the Code of Judicial Administration, and Supreme Court Rule 11-201, and based upon the foregoing application, the Judicial Council certifies Judge Kenneth Rigtrup to Active Senior Judge status, effective as of 2/19/97 (date).

Dated: 3/5/97


Chief Justice, Supreme Court