

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA**

IN THE MATTER OF

APPOINTMENT OF UNITED STATES  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE

**PUBLIC  
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**

No. 16-AO-0001-P

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In accordance with the authority conferred by 28 U.S.C. § 631, et. seq., and the further authority and action taken by the Judicial Conference of the United States,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Charles Joseph Williams be and is hereby appointed as full-time United States Magistrate Judge for the Northern District of Iowa with his official duty station at Sioux City, Iowa.

Magistrate Judge Charles Joseph Williams shall enter upon the performance of his duties at 08:00 A.M. on the 16th day of February, 2016, but prior to the commencement of such duties, he shall take the oath or affirmation prescribed by 28 U.S.C. §453 and §631(g).

Magistrate Judge 28 Charles Joseph Williams shall hold and discharge the duties of his office for a term of eight (8) years from the date of his appointment subject to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 631(I), unless sooner removed.

Magistrate Judge Charles Joseph Williams shall have the powers, authority and jurisdiction to perform all duties within the Northern District of Iowa which are conferred and imposed by law upon United States Magistrate Judges.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Magistrate Judge Charles Joseph Williams is hereby specifically designated to try persons accused of and sentence persons convicted of minor offenses as defined by 18 U.S.C. § 3401.

The Clerk will cause certified copies of this Order to be published and shall likewise forward a certified copy of this Order to the Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, as required by 28 U.S.C. § 631(h).

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**DATED** this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016 .

  
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LINDA. R. READE, CHIEF JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA

Certified original placed in Public Administrative Order Book.

Copies disbursed this 16th day of February, 2016 via email to:

Chief Judge Linda R. Reade

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Judge Charles J. Williams

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A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Renea Solmonson". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Renea Solmonson  
Chief Deputy