STATE OF MINNESOTA, ) COUNTY OF CHIPPEWA. )

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CONSENT TO BE JUDGE OF THE COUNTY COURT OATH OF OFFICE

Douglas P. Hunt hereby certifies that I am the duly elected qualified and presently acting judge of Probate Court and Juvenile Court in and for the County of Chippewa, State of Minnesota.

That of the County Court District comprising of Chippewa County, Yellow Medicine County, and Lac Qui Parle County, as provided in Chapter 951, Regular session laws of Minnesota for 1971, Chippewa County has the largest population as determined by the last United States census.

That I, Douglas P. Hunt, am qualified and eligible to accept the position of said Judge of said County Court District, or any lesser combination of counties therein as provided in said Chapter 951, Session Laws of 1971. That I hereby consent to so act.

That if the counties are separated by action of the County Boards of the counties affected herein, Chippewa, Yellow Medicine, and Lac Qui Parle, I being the qualified and present Judge of Probate of Chippewa County, Minnesota, do consent to take over the duties of and to become the County Court Judge in and for Chippewa County, Minnesota, and I agree to perform all the duties, responsibilities and obligations of said judge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May, 1972.

> A. MILTON JOHNSON CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT CHIPPEWA COUNTY MONTEVIDEO, MINN. 56285

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, ) COUNTY OF CHIPPEWA. )

I, Douglas P. Hunt, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Minnesota. I will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of the office of the Judge of the Probate County Court in and for Chippewa County, Minnesota, or any other combinations of counties in which I serve, or in any county within the State of Minnesota wherein I may be called to serve.

OATH OF OFFICE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May, 1972.

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DOUGLAS P. HUNT JUDGE OF PROBATE JUVENILE JUDGE CHIPPEWA COUNTY MONTEVIDEO, MINNESOTA 56265

May 24, 1972

Secretary of State State Capitol St. Paul, Minnesota, 55101 Dear Sir:

Enclosed find my consent to act as county court judge for the County of Chippewa or any combination of counties of Chippewa, Yellow Medicine, and Lac Qui Parle Counties as provided under Chapter 951, Session: Laws 1971. The county boards met on May 22, and they all voted to separate the three counties and whether or not there will be a combination of any of these counties before July 1, 1972, is doubtful, but we are not sure, that is why I have worded it the way I have.

Kindly put your filing data on the two enclosed copies, certify them if you feel it is necessary and return them to me for filing with the County Auditor or anyone else it may seem necessary.

I do not know your charges so kindly bill me for your services.

Very truly yours, Douglas P. HUNT

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