

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

JAN 25 2008

MATTHEW J. DYKMAN  
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IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF  
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY.

Misc. No. 08-14

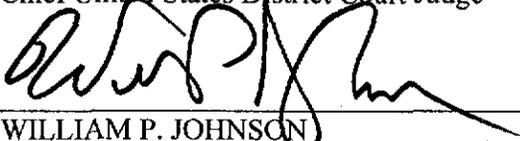
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Acting Attorney General Peter D. Keisler appointed Larry Gomez as United States Attorney for the District of New Mexico on September 26, 2007, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 546. Mr. Gomez's appointment expires January 25, 2008, as provided by 28 U.S.C. § 546(c)(2). Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 546(d), Gregory J. Fouratt is hereby APPOINTED United States Attorney for the District of New Mexico effective January 25, 2008.

Dated this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2008.

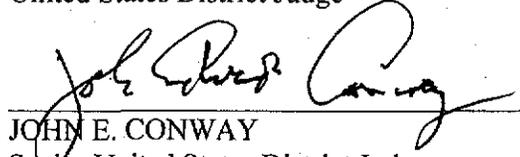
  
MARTHA VÁZQUEZ  
Chief United States District Court Judge

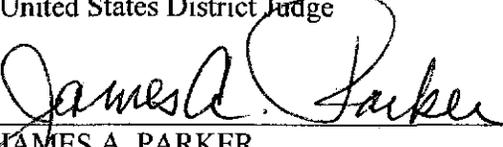
  
BRUCE D. BLACK  
United States District Judge

  
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United States District Judge

  
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United States District Judge

  
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Senior United States District Judge

  
JAMES A. PARKER  
Senior United States District Judge

  
C. LEROY HANSEN  
Senior United States District Judge

United States District Judge M. Christina Armijo abstained from voting because she would not exercise the Court's discretion to appoint a United States Attorney; however, Judge Armijo has high professional regard for Mr. Fouratt. United States District Judge James O. Browning dissents from the appointment because he would not exercise the Court's power to appoint.