IN THE MATTER OF THE * IN THE

IMPLEMENTATION OF AN *

ADULT DRUG COURT IN * COURT OF APPEALS

THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR *

BALTIMORE COUNTY * OF MARYLAND

ORDER

WHEREAS, the Administrative Judge of the Circuit Court for Baltimore County submitted a detailed plan for the establishment of an Adult Drug Court to the Judicial Council's Committee on Specialty Courts and Dockets for its review and recommendation in compliance with Maryland Rule 16-207 and the Administrative Order on the Approval of Problem-Solving Court Programs in the Circuit and District Courts, filed June 18, 2019; and

WHEREAS, upon the recommendation of the Judicial Council's Committee on Specialty Courts and Dockets, the State Court Administrator reviewed the plan for the establishment of an Adult Drug Court in the Circuit Court for Baltimore County and recommends approval to the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mary Ellen Barbera, Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals and administrative head of the Judicial Branch, pursuant to the authority conferred by Article IV, § 18 of the Maryland Constitution, do hereby order this 14th day of September 2020, effective immediately, that the establishment of an Adult Drug Court in the Circuit Court for Baltimore County be, and hereby is, approved.

/s/ Mary Ellen Barbera
Honorable Mary Ellen Barbera
Chief Judge
Court of Appeals of Maryland

Filed: September 14, 2020

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/s/ Suzanne C. Johnson
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Court of Appeals of Maryland



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