

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

In Re: Oath of Office
Department of Probation Services

Administrative Order
Number 22 of 2011

ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, this 30th day of June, 2011, it is hereby Ordered that all officers of the Adams County Department of Probation Services who exercise the rights and perform the duties of a probation officer pursuant to 42 Pa. C.S.A. § 9911 et seq, 42 Pa. C.S.A. § 6304, 42 Pa. C.S.A. § 6324, or any other statutory or regulatory provision governing the rights and duties of a county adult or juvenile probation officer shall swear or affirm an oath of office substantially in the form of Appendix A attached to this Order. An executed copy of each such oath shall be filed of record with the Adams County Clerk of Courts Office under a miscellaneous docket number designated by the Clerk of Courts. The Clerk of Courts is directed to assign a single miscellaneous docket number on an annual basis for the filing of any oath of office sworn or affirmed within that respective year.

The effective date of this Order is July 1, 2011 for those performing duties under 42 Pa. C.S.A. § 6304 and/or 6324. The effective date for the completion of oath for all other officers is thirty (30) days from the date of this Order.

BY THE COURT:

JOHN D. KUHN
President Judge

Appendix A attached
jvs

cc: Administrative Judge Michael A. George
Department of Probation Services

Adams County Court of Common Pleas

-Oath of Office-

Probation Officer

I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support, obey and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and that I will perform the duties of a Probation Officer with fidelity, and competency and further, I will respect the rules of the Court and maintain fairness, impartiality and will conduct myself in the performance of my duties with Honor, Integrity and Pride.

Signature of Probation Officer

Signature of Executive Director

Sworn and subscribed before me this _____ Day of _____, 20__.

Michael A. George, Administrative Judge



This officer is vested with all of the powers and duties set forth in 42 P.A. C.S. §6304 and the power to take a child into protective custody as a duly authorized officer of the Court pursuant to 42 P.A. C.S. §6324 unless such authority has been limited by the President Judge pursuant to Rule 195 of the Pennsylvania Rules of Juvenile Procedure.

Michael A. George, Administrative Judge