

1                   **IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

2   **April 13, 2022**

3 **NO. 22-8500-020**

4 **IN THE MATTER OF THE ELECTION OF**  
5 **C. SHANNON BACON AS CHIEF JUSTICE**  
6 **OF THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW MEXICO**

7   **ORDER**

8           WHEREAS, this matter came on for consideration by the Court upon its  
9 constitutional and statutory mandate to elect a chief justice every two years at its  
10 first meeting in April of even-numbered years, and the Court having considered the  
11 matter and being sufficiently advised;

12           NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that, pursuant to Article VI, Section  
13 4 of the New Mexico Constitution and NMSA 1978, Section 34-2-1(C), Hon. C.  
14 Shannon Bacon has been elected to the position of Chief Justice of the Supreme  
15 Court of New Mexico, which shall be effective upon taking the oath of office on  
16 April 13, 2022.



WITNESS, the Honorable Michael E. Vigil, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New Mexico, and the seal of said Court this 13th day of April, 2022.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Elizabeth A. Garcia".

Elizabeth A. Garcia, Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court  
of the State of New Mexico