

CONFIRM.:

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February 13, 1997

MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Taylor, Chair
Judiciary Committee

FROM: Nancy Quinto *NQ*
Secretary of the Senate

SUBJECT: Governor's Confirmations

Pursuant to AS 39.05.080, President Miller has referred the following names for legislative confirmation to your committee for a hearing, recommendation and report:

Commission on Judicial Conduct

Dianne I. Brown - Anchorage
Appointed: 09/11/96 Expires: 12/31/98

Violent Crimes Compensation Board

Louann Cutler - Anchorage
Appointed: 01/02/97 Expires: 12/15/99

Leslie D. Wheeler - Wasilla
Appointed: 05/15/96 Expires: 12/15/98

Alaska Workers' Compensation Board

Valerie K. Baffone - Anchorage
Appointed: 11/08/96 Expires: 07/01/97

John Giuchici - Fairbanks
Appointed: 10/10/91 Reappointed: 07/15/93, 06/25/96 Expires: 07/01/99

Steve Hagedorn - Anchorage
Appointed: 08/19/91 Reappointed: 07/01/93, 06/25/96 Expires: 07/01/99

Harriet M. Lawlor - Anchorage
Appointed: 07/20/95 Reappointed: 06/25/96 Expires: 07/01/99

Shawn Pierre - Chugiak
Appointed: 11/08/96 Expires: 07/01/97

NQ:hv
Resumes attached

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Senate Judiciary Committee

REPORT ON CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS

March 14, 1997

The Honorable Mike Miller
President of the Senate
State Capitol
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

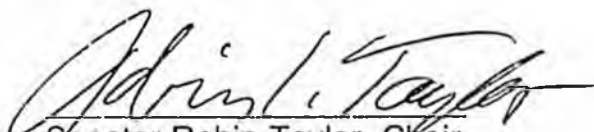
Dear President Miller:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Senate Judiciary Committee reviewed the qualifications of the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Commission on Judicial Conduct
Dianne I. Brown-- Anchorage

There were no stated objections to the named individual. However, this does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the appointment during any further sessions.

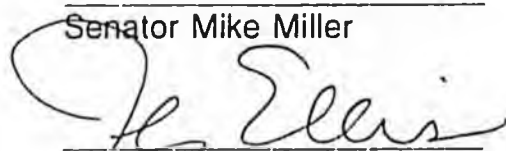
Respectfully,



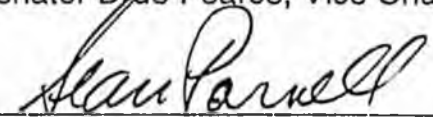
Senator Robin Taylor, Chair

Senator Drue Pearce, Vice Chair

Senator Mike Miller



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Senator Sean Parnell

Commission on Judicial Conduct

DIANNE INGLIMA BROWN
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EDUCATIONUndergraduate:

University of Alaska, Fairbanks; Fairbanks, Alaska (1965-1967)

Professional: (Training)

Dept. of Public Safety Academy, Sitka, Alaska (1978, 1992)
 D.E.A. Drug School, Stockton, Calif. (1981)
 Uniformed Investigator School, Juneau, Alaska (1984)
 Interview/Sexual Assault School, Ketchikan, Alaska (1985)
 Supervision and Mid-Management Schools, Juneau, Alaska (1985, 1986, 1987); Seward, Alaska (1990); Anchorage (1992)
 Progressive Accident Investigation School, Palmer, Alaska (1989)
 Field Training Officer Program, Sitka, Alaska (1990)
 Advanced Criminal Investigation Training, Anchorage, Alaska (1992)
 Reid Technique of Interviewing and Interrogation, Anchorage, Alaska (1992, 1993)
 New York State Police Homicide Seminar, Albany, New York (1992)
 Methods of Instruction, Sitka, Alaska (1993)
 Dale Carnegie, Anchorage, Alaska (1993)
 Investigation and Prosecution of Sexual Assault Crimes, Anchorage, Alaska (1993)
 Southern Police Institute, 92nd Administrative Officers Course, Louisville, Kentucky (1994)

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Sept. 1995 - Present

First Sergeant, Alaska State Troopers.
 Currently assigned to the Statewide Criminal Investigations Unit as commander. Duties include supervision and management of the Major Crimes Section, the White Collar Crime Section, the Environmental Crimes Section and Special Investigations for the State of Alaska.

1994 - 1995

First Sergeant, Alaska State Troopers.
 In February 1994, became first female first sergeant in history of Alaska State Troopers. Assigned to the Director's Office as an administrative supervisor. Duties included management of the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Program, Rural Housing, Vehicle Procurement Coordinator, and Statewide Training Coordinator.

(Employment history continued)

1990 - 1994

Sergeant, Alaska State Troopers.

In July 1990, became first female sergeant in history of Alaska State Troopers. Originally assigned to patrol division as Patrol Supervisor. Twice selected to supervise the field training program for new State Trooper Recruits. In November 1991, reassigned to Statewide Criminal Investigations/Major Crimes Section as supervisor. Duties included the supervision and oversight of homicide, sexual assault/sexual abuse, robberies, and other violent crime investigations.

1985 - 1990

Corporal, Alaska State Troopers.

In 1985 became first female corporal in history of Alaska State Troopers, and became a patrol supervisor. In October 1988 I was transferred to a bush assignment as post supervisor of the Talkeetna Post. Duties included supervision and control of four-person post responsible for enforcement and patrol of a large rural area extending from Denali National Park on the north, Willow on the south, Skwentna on the west and the Talkeetna Mountains on the east.

1977 - 1984

Alaska State Trooper, Department of Public Safety, State of Alaska.

Judicial services, patrol, and commercial vehicle enforcement assigned to Anchorage Detachment from 1977 through 1981. Transferred in 1981 to Metro Narcotics as part of Anchorage Police Department/Alaska State Troopers narcotic enforcement unit. In 1982 transferred to Juneau Detachment and was initially assigned as patrol officer. Duties later included assignment to investigative unit where I was responsible for sexual assault/sexual abuse investigations.

Personal:

Married. I am a third-generation Alaskan, born February 4, 1948, raised in the Seldovia/Homer area of the Kenai Peninsula.

Professional Organizations:

Fraternal Order of the Alaska State Troopers

Other:

Judicial Conduct Commission - appointed by Governor Steve Cowper
November 1990

REFERENCES

Arthur A. English, former Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
(907) 274-7922

John Murphy, U.S. Marshall, Department of Justice (907) 271-5154

John B. Salemi, Public Defender, State of Alaska (907) 264-4400

Cammy Oechsli, Assistant Attorney General, State of Alaska
(907) 269-5100

Laurie Otto, Deputy Attorney General, Criminal Division, State of
Alaska (907) 465-3428

Additional references furnished upon request.