Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Justice Committee

The Justice Committee of the McLean County Board met on Tuesday, December 18, 2001 at 8:45 a.m. in Room 700 of the McLean County Law and Justice Center, 104 W. Front Street, Bloomington, Illinois.

Members Present:	Chairman Sommer, Members Emmett, Kinzinger and Johnson
Members Absent:	Members Pokorney and Renner
Staff Present:	Mr. John Zeunik, County Administrator; Mr. Terry Lindberg, Assistant County Administrator; Mrs. Carmen I. Zielinski, Administrator's Office

Chairman Sommer called the meeting to order at 8:45 a.m.

Chairman Sommer presented a request for approval of contracts for Professional Services between the Public Defender's Office and Mr. David Butler, attorney at law and Mr. Mark Messman, attorney at law.

Ms. Amy Davis, Public Defender, stated that the only change in the present contracts and those discussed at the Regular Justice Committee Meeting was the starting date of December 18, 2001.

Ms. Davis noted that Mr. Patrick O'Rourke was not able to fulfill his obligations as described in the contract. Ms. Davis noted that Mr. Messman would take over Mr. O'Rourke's responsibilities and Mr. Butler would take over Mr. Messman's present responsibilities.

Motion by Johnson/Emmett to recommend approval of a request for approval of contracts for Professional Services between the Public Defender's Office and Mr. David Butler, attorney at law, and Mr. Mark Messman, attorney at law. Motion carried.

There being nothing further to come before the Stand-Up Justice Committee at this time, Chairman Sommer adjourned the meeting at 8:49 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carmen I. Zielinski Recording Secretary