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WYOMING SUPREME COURT SELECTS ELISA M. BUTLER AS STATE COURT ADMINISTRATOR

The Wyoming Supreme Court has selected Elisa M. Butler as State Court Administrator following a national search. Ms. Butler, a Sheridan College, University of Wyoming, and University of Wyoming College of Law honors graduate, will step into the Court Administrator role after serving the past several years as the Court's General Counsel. In that capacity, Ms. Butler has worked closely with Court administrative staff, district and circuit court judges, clerks of court, legislators, state agencies, and vendors. She has been instrumental in overseeing court automation projects. Prior to serving as General Counsel, Ms. Butler clerked for the Honorable Clarence A. Brimmer and Justice Kate Fox, and practiced law with Brown & Hiser, LLC.

On accepting her new position, Ms. Butler commented that she "values the many positive relationships she has developed to date and is honored to have this opportunity to expand her work to carry out the Court's mission." Chief Justice Michael K. Davis expressed his appreciation for Ms. Butler's dedication to excellence and said, "Ms. Butler stood out among the many applicants as someone who will hit the ground running to promote the shared visions and values of Wyoming's Judicial Branch."