TREASURY BOARD DIRECTIVE

TO: Ministry of Attorney General

DIRECTIVE: 01/07

SUBJECT: Authorization of expenditures for the Judiciary.

AUTHORITY: This directive is issued pursuant to Sections 32.1(1)(d) of the Financial

Administration Act.

APPLICATION: This directive applies to the following appropriations (referred to in this

directive as "Judiciary Appropriations"):

(a) the appropriation for operating expenses in Vote 16 (Ministry of Attorney General) entitled "Judiciary" in the 2006/07 Main Estimates presented to the Legislative Assembly on February 21, 2006:

(b) the portion of the appropriation for capital expenditures of the Ministry of Attorney General in Schedule D of those Main Estimates which is allocated to the Judiciary; and

(c) any appropriation (or portion of an appropriation) in a fiscal year after 2006/07 for the same or substantially similar purposes as those described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

DIRECTIVE: Treasury Board hereby authorizes:

- each of the Chief Justice of British Columbia, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and the Associate Chief Justice of the Supreme Court to authorize expenditures from Judiciary Appropriations that relate to the Superior Courts; and
- each of the Chief Judge of the Provincial Court of British Columbia and the Associate Chief Judges of the Provincial Court of British Columbia to authorize expenditures from Judiciary Appropriations that relate to the Provincial Courts

on the condition that those persons may only authorize expenditures in compliance with the applicable provisions of the *Financial Administration Act* and directives and policies made under that Act including the Government of British Columbia Core Policy and Procedures Manual.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2006

Original signed by

Carole Taylor Chair, Treasury Board