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**MEMO**

**TO:** All Judges, Senior Judges and Judge Trial Referees

**FROM:** Susan B. Handy, Chief Administrative Judge, Criminal Division

**DATE:** March 24, 2003

**SUBJECT:** VIENNA CONVENTION ON CONSULAR RELATIONS ADVISEMENT

It has been suggested that the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations Advisement be revised in order to clarify that Judicial Marshals are responsible for consular notification if the defendant requests such notification. Attached, for your use, is a revised advisement.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me in New Britain at (860) 515-5301.

**c:** Hon. William J. Sullivan, Chief Justice  
Hon. Joseph H. Pellegrino, Chief Court Administrator  
Hon. Thomas F. Parker, Deputy Chief Court Administrator  
Atty. Joseph D. D'Alesio, Executive Director of Operations, Superior Court  
Richard Zaharek, Deputy Director, Judicial Marshal Services

## Vienna Convention on Consular Relations Advisement

If you are not a U.S. citizen, you are entitled to have your consulate notified of your arrest.

If your consulate has not been notified yet and you want the Judicial Marshal Services to do so, you can request this now.