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Mr. Albert L. Means  
State Examiner  
Capitol Annex  
Phoenix, Arizona

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Dear Mr. Means:

This acknowledges your letter of recent date relative to a uniform system of expenses allowable to judges visiting counties other than their own.

I am of the opinion that the expenses of Superior court judges, while holding court in another county, are not limited as other state officials are. Further, I do not believe that they are required to submit receipts for lodging or meals.

I refer you to Section 12-702 of the 1939 Code:

"Expenses of judges sitting in other courts.--Whenever a judge of a superior court of any county is called into another county by the superior judge thereof, or by the governor, to hold court, or to preside over any proceeding, he shall be paid by the county into which he is called, his actual expenses incurred thereby. The expenses of superior court judges, called to sit within the Supreme Court in the hearing of causes shall be paid from the general fund of the state."

Sincerely,

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