

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR VETERANS CLAIMS**

MISC. No. 10-10

IN RE: ACCESSION OF COURT'S SIXTH CHIEF JUDGE

Before KASOLD, *Chief Judge*, and GREENE, HAGEL, MOORMAN,  
LANCE, DAVIS, and SCHOELEN, *Judges*.

**O R D E R**

Pursuant to 38 U.S.C. § 7253(d)(1), the chief judge of the Court shall be the judge of the Court in regular active service who is senior in commission among the Court's judges, has served for one or more years as a judge of the Court, and has not previously served as chief judge. Barring other contingencies, the chief judge serves for a term of five years. *See* 38 U.S.C. § 7253 (d)(3),(d)(4). On consideration of the forgoing, it is

ORDERED that the Honorable Bruce E. Kasold shall, as of August 6, 2010, commence a five-year term as the Court's sixth chief judge.

DATED: August 6, 2010

PER CURIAM.