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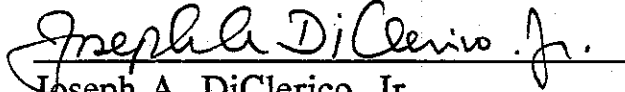
**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**In the Matter of:                      Authorization for U. S. Probation Officers  
to Carry Firearms**

**ORDER**

It appearing that to insure their safety, the probation officers of this Court may require the carrying of firearms in the execution of their official duties.

Now, therefore, it is **ORDERED** that when qualified and authorized by the Chief U. S. Probation Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3603 (9) and as prescribed by the firearms regulations of the Director of the Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts, each regularly appointed probation officer of this Court is authorized to carry a firearm for self-defense purposes during the performance of his or her duties.

  
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Joseph A. DiClerico, Jr.  
Chief U. S. District Judge

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May 19, 1997