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Judge John Leonardo (Ret.) Pima County Superior Court Judge Tucson, AZ

Judge John Leonardo began his career as an Assistant United States Attorney in Indiana in 1972. He served the Northern District of Indiana and the District of Arizona until 1993. In 1993, he was elected as Pima County Superior Court Judge. Subsequently, in 2012, he became the United States Attorney for the District of Arizona. Judge Leonardo was appointed as an International Observer to the European Union sponsored justice reform initiative in Tirana, Albania in 2017 and served in this post until 2019. Although Judge Leonardo retired in 2019, he

continues to work towards sentencing reforms in Arizona.

Judge Leonardo holds a Bachelor of Arts with honors from the University of Notre Dame and a Juris Doctorate from George Washington University Law School.

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