ANNOUNCEMENT

Notice of Accepting Applications

Governor Scott has declared a vacancy on the Fourth Judicial Circuit Court, brought about by the appointment of Judge Brian Davis to the Federal bench. Accordingly, the Fourth Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission is now accepting applications for this vacancy.

Qualification of Applicants:

Applicants must have been a member of The Florida Bar for the preceding five years and must be registered to vote in the state of Florida. The person appointed must be a resident of the Fourth Judicial Circuit (Clay/Duval/Nassau County).

Instructions for Submission:

Each person interested in applying must deliver a completed application plus nine copies and a recent photograph to:

Henry G. "Chip" Bachara, Chair
Fourth Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission
Bachara Construction Group
One Independent Drive, Suite 1800
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

LINK TO APPLICATION

All applications must be delivered by **Thursday**, **January 30**, **2014**, by **5:00 p.m.** Applications submitted after the deadline will not be considered. The application form may be downloaded from the Governor's website, by clicking the "Judicial" tab (www.flgov.com).

NOTE TO APPLICANTS: in order to assist the Judicial Nomination Commission in its review of applications, all questions in the application must be answered fully and completely. In addition, applications should include current and accurate contact information for judges, co-counsel, opposing counsel, and references because those individuals will be contacted. If there is requested information missing from the application, the Judicial Nominating Commission will consider the applicant's lack of effort in submitting a complete application.

INTERVIEWS of applicants will be held in Chief Judge Moran's chambers, Room 7139, 501 W. Adams Street, Jacksonville, Florida. An interview schedule with the date and time of the interview will be provided to each applicant once all of the applications have been received.