

ANNOUNCEMENT
Notice of Accepting Applications

Governor Scott has declared a vacancy on the Broward County Court, brought about by the elevation of Stacy Ross to the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit Court. Accordingly, the Seventeenth Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission is now accepting applications for this vacancy.

Qualification of Applicants:

All applicants must have been members of the Florida Bar for at least five (5) years, electors of the State of Florida, and be residents of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit prior to taking office

Instructions for Submission:

Judicial applications for this County Court vacancy must be received by **5 p.m. on September 5, 2013** at the location listed below.

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****Applications delivered after the deadline WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED****

[LINK TO APPLICATION](#)

The Judicial Application (which can be obtained from the Governor's website at www.flgov.com by clicking the "Judicial" tab) must include:

- An original and nine (9) copies of the application;
- A recent photograph should be attached to the original and each copy;
- All letters of recommendation in your possession that you wish the Commission to consider. However, these letters may also be sent as supplements to each member of the Commission, after the application is submitted;
- Copies of the applicant's completed Federal Income Tax returns for preceding (3) years OR current financial statement and financial history. Note: If you are practicing law as a professional association, your tax returns for the three (3) year period should include the tax returns for the professional association;
- Any additional information which you feel may be helpful to the Commission in assessing your qualifications.

Please organize these materials into an original and nine (9) copy sets. It is suggested that you submit your application as soon as it is prepared and well before the deadline. After the deadline for submitting applications, the Commission will determine which applicants to interview. If you are to be interviewed, you will be contacted to confirm the date, time and location. As you know, all proceedings of the Commission are open to the public except for deliberations. Accordingly, you should not expect your application and/or information to be kept confidential. If applicant is nominated, all materials attached to the original application will be submitted to the Governor. If there is any question about the applications process, please contact Fred Karlinsky, at the address indicated above. The interviews will be conducted on Monday, September 23, 2013 at 9:30 a.m. at the Broward County Bar Association office.