



APPLICATION FOR THE RETIRED JUDGES PROGRAM

Submit to:

Supreme Court of Kentucky
669 Chamberlin Ave Suite D103
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Name: _____

Retirement Date: _____

Years of Judicial Service: _____

Home Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone No.: _____

EXPERIENCE:1. Courts in which you served and the number of years served (*check letters of all that apply*):

- ☐ a. Supreme Court: District # _____, years served _____
- ☐ b. Court of Appeals: District # _____, years served _____
- ☐ c. Circuit Court: Circuit # _____, years served _____
- ☐ d. Family Court: Circuit # _____, years served _____
- ☐ e. District Court: District # _____, years served _____

2. Were you defeated for re-election to your incumbent judicial seat in your last election? ☐ Yes ☐ No3. Did you serve in the Senior Status Program for Special Judges? ☐ Yes ☐ No4. Are you a member in good standing of the Kentucky Bar Association? ☐ Yes ☐ No

5. Please list all of your relevant professional affiliations, including memberships in bar associations and other law-related organizations. _____

6. Are there any circumstances in your professional or personal life that create a substantial question as to your qualification to serve in the Retired Judges Program or that might interfere with your ability to serve in this capacity? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please explain. _____

Initials _____

7. a. Have formal proceedings under SCR 4.180 ever been initiated against you by the Judicial Conduct Commission (JCC) or its predecessor, the Judicial Retirement and Removal Commission (JR&R)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b. Have you ever received one of the sanctions listed under SCR 4.020, including an admonition, private reprimand, public reprimand, censure, suspension or removal, prior to the filing of a formal charge or proceedings by the JCC or JR&R? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- c. Are you aware of any disciplinary actions against you that are currently pending before the JCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- d. Do you agree to waive confidentiality under SCR 4.130 to allow members of the Program Selection Committee and the Chief Justice to access your disciplinary history and information regarding any pending disciplinary actions from the JCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Signed Acknowledgement of Waiver _____

- e. If you answered yes to any part of #7, please identify the nature of the charge or proceeding, when it was filed, and how it was ultimately resolved. _____

8. Have you ever been subject to discipline by the Kentucky Bar Association? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered yes to #8, please identify the nature of the charge or proceeding, when it was filed, and how it was ultimately resolved. _____

Do you agree to waive confidentiality under SCR 3.150 to allow members of the Program Selection Committee to access your disciplinary history and information regarding any pending disciplinary actions from the KBA that have occurred since the date of your judicial retirement? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Signed Acknowledgement of Waiver _____

AVAILABILITY:

1. County of residence: _____

2. Please rank the regions in the order in which you prefer to be assigned (1 = first choice, 8 = last choice):

Bluegrass (Bourbon, Boyle, Clark, Estill, Franklin, Garrard, Jessamine, Lee, Madison, Mercer, Owsley, Scott, and Woodford counties) _____

Cumberland (Adair, Bell, Casey, Clay, Clinton, Cumberland, Green, Harlan, Jackson, Knox, Laurel, Leslie, Lincoln, Marion, McCreary, Monroe, Pulaski, Russell, Taylor, Washington, Wayne, and Whitley counties) _____

Fayette _____

Green River (Allen, Barren, Breckinridge, Bullitt, Butler, Daviess, Edmonson, Grayson, Hancock, Hardin, Hart, LaRue, Logan, Meade, Metcalfe, Nelson, Ohio, Simpson, Todd, and Warren counties) _____

Metro (Jefferson) _____

Mountain (Bath, Boyd, Breathitt, Carter, Elliott, Floyd, Greenup, Johnson, Knott, Lawrence, Letcher, Lewis, Magoffin, Martin, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Perry, Pike, Powell, Rowan, and Wolfe counties) _____

Northern (Anderson, Boone, Bracken, Campbell, Carroll, Fleming, Gallatin, Grant, Harrison, Henry, Kenton, Mason, Nicholas, Oldham, Owen, Pendleton, Robertson, Shelby, Spencer, and Trimble counties) _____

Purchase (Ballard, Caldwell, Calloway, Carlisle, Christian, Crittenden, Fulton, Graves, Henderson, Hickman, Hopkins, Livingston, Lyon, Marshall, McCracken, McLean, Muhlenberg, Trigg, Union, and Webster counties) _____

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3. Please rank the courts in the order in which you prefer to be assigned (1 = first choice, 4 = last choice):

Court of Appeals	_____
Circuit Court	_____
Family Court	_____
District Court	_____

4. Are there any case types or court assignments that would require you to have additional education or training before you could comfortably or effectively serve? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please explain. _____

5. Please list the counties in which you are currently practicing law; conducting private mediation; or are a candidate for partisan or non-partisan elected office: _____

OTHER QUESTIONS:

1. Please explain your interest in serving in the Retired Judges Program.

2. Please provide any additional information that would assist the Program Selection Committee in recommending you for participation in the Program. _____

By submitting this application, I express my willingness to comply with the Guidelines for the Temporary Assignment of Retired Judges Program and the Code of Judicial Conduct (SCR 4.300, et seq.). If chosen for the program, I agree to accept assignments as a retired judge as ordered by the Chief Justice.

Date

Signature

If you need additional space to answer any of the questions in this application, please attach separate sheets and refer to the question by number.

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