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**NOTICE CONCERNING A VACANCY
IN THE OFFICE OF
CIRCUIT JUDGE
6TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, DIVISION 1**

The retirement of **Honorable Jay A. Wethington**, effective February 28, 2025, created a vacancy in the office of Circuit Judge, 6th Judicial Circuit, Division 1, consisting of Daviess County. **To be eligible to serve as a Circuit Judge you must:**

- (a) be a citizen of the United States;
- (b) have been a resident of both the Commonwealth of Kentucky and of the circuit in which you seek appointment for two years next preceding taking office, and
- (c) **be licensed to practice law in the courts of the Commonwealth as well as a licensed attorney for at least eight years.**

**NOTICE CONCERNING A VACANCY
IN THE OFFICE OF
DISTRICT JUDGE
6TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, DIVISION 2**

The election of **Honorable David C. Payne** to 6th Circuit, Division 2, Judge, effective December 4, 2024, created a vacancy in the office of District Judge, 6th Judicial District, Division 2, consisting of Daviess County. **To be eligible to serve as a District Judge you must:**

- (a) be a citizen of the United States;
- (b) have been a resident of both the Commonwealth of Kentucky and of the district in which you seek appointment for two years next preceding taking office, and
- (c) **be licensed to practice law in the courts of the Commonwealth as well as a licensed attorney for at least two years.**

Any person meeting these qualifications and desiring consideration for nomination to the Governor, or any citizen desiring to recommend a person or persons with these qualifications, ***shall notify the Judicial Nominating Commission by communicating the name(s) to the executive secretary on or before April 18, 2025,** (see SCR 6.030). A questionnaire will be forwarded to those individuals. A questionnaire in pdf format may be downloaded at <https://kycourts.gov/Courts/Pages/Judicial-Vacancies.aspx>.

Anyone interested in being considered for either vacancy must send the completed questionnaire along with nine (stapled) copies to be RECEIVED BEFORE MAY 1, 2025, to:
Judicial Nominating Commission
Attn: Kathy R. Stevens
Office of Chief Justice
State Capitol, Room 230
700 Capitol Avenue
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****Please contact Kathy R. Stevens, Executive Secretary Judicial Nominating Commission, at (502)564-4162, or email: kathystevens@kycourts.net, to give notice of your interest in either vacancy or to recommend a qualified individual.***