

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE JUDICIAL RETENTION CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE – COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LANCASTER COUNTY

All of the following questions must be answered in detail, particularly with dates, whether or not such detail is expressly requested; and please use supplemental sheets with numbers corresponding to question numbers, where necessary.

1.	Name.
2.	Office address and telephone number.
3.	Home address and telephone number.
4.	Have you ever been known by any other name? If so, what name?
5.	Education (date of attendance, and for college and above, degree awarded and date of degree or reason for no degree if no degree, and honors).
	Secondary Schools:



	Colleges:	
	Law Schools:	
	Other Schools/Honorary Degrees:	
6.	Publications, writings, speeches, letters to the editor, editorials, including thos legal nature, you have written or materially edited in the last 10 years.	se of a
7.	Local, state or national bar association or other professional memberships and responsibilities held in the last ten years.	i
8.	Have you held any teaching or educational positions, legal or non-legal, includ not limited to, one-time classes such as seminars or panel discussions in the layears?	_



9. Identify all civil or criminal or administrative actions in which you have been a plaintiff or a defendant, including domestic relations actions and suits by clients, ad litem guardianships and other stakeholder responsibilities (excluding collection actions against clients). If so, please provide a summary of the action(s). Have you ever been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a violation of any federal, state, county or municipal law, regulation or ordinance? If so, please provide a summary. Do not include parking offenses or traffic violations for which a fine of less than \$300 and points on your license were the sole discipline imposed by the adjudicating authority. Are you a party in any ongoing custody, alimony, or support action? If so, please give details.		
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10. Have you ever been admonished or disciplined for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by the Disciplinary Board of this or another state, or any Court, administrative agency, bar association, or other professional group? If the answer is yes, give the details of same.

11. Are you willing to execute the attached waiver so that we may obtain confidential or privilege information from the Disciplinary Board of this or another state relating to any action or complaint that may relate to you?



12.	Other professions, occupations or businesses in which you have been engaged in any way, including participating as director or board member after being admitted to practice, with dates, time involved, responsibilities held. With regard to any such organization in which you presently serve, or are active, if it is not your intention on becoming a judge to resign such position, or give up any other participation in same, please so state, giving your reasons.
13.	Have you ever sought or held elective or public office other than as a judge on the Lancaster County Court of Common Pleas, and if so, what office and when?
14.	Have you held or do you presently hold any public office(s) by reason of appointment other than as a judge on the Lancaster County Court of Common Pleas? If so, what office and when?
15.	Specify principal community activities and responsibilities held.
16.	List principal honors, prizes, awards received.



17.	Have you regularly filed tax returns with your local taxing entity, with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and with the Internal Revenue Service of the United States Government?
18.	Has a tax lien or other collection procedure ever been instituted against you by federal, state or local authorities? If so, give details.
19.	Are any unsatisfied judgments or bankruptcy proceedings pending against you?
20.	State any other pertinent information, if any, which you feel should be brought to the attention of this committee charged with the duty of considering your integrity, moral character, industry and the elements of good judicial temperament, such as common sense, compassion, decisiveness, firmness, tact, patience, courtesy, impartiality, humility, even-temper and fairness.



CERTIFICATION

I certify that all of the statements made in this answer to the questionnaire are
true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and are made in
good faith.
Signature:
Date:



AUTHORIZATION RELEASE

I hereby authorize the Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, the disciplinary body of any other state or Federal Court, Pennsylvania State Board of Law Examiners, all Bar Associations, educational and other institutions, references, employers, business and professional associates, and all governmental agencies, to release to the Lancaster Bar Association Judiciary Committee, any information, transcripts, files or records, excluding tax returns, requested by said Committee in connection with the processing of my request for consideration as a judicial candidate.

Signature:	 	 	
Date:			