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STATE OF ILLINOIS**

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**AGENDA
STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
Friday, September 4, 2009
9:30 a.m.**

via videoconference at the following locations:

**1020 South Spring Street
Springfield, Illinois**

**James R. Thompson Center
Suite 14-100
Chicago, Illinois**

**Lewis & Clark College
Room Haskell 106
5800 Godfrey Road
Godfrey, Illinois**

Call State Board of Elections to order.

- 1. Declaration of additional judgeships created by SB1938.**
- 2. Other business.**
- 3. Executive session (if necessary).**
- 4. Adjourn until Monday, September 21, 2009 at 10:30 a.m. in Springfield and Chicago via videoconference or until call of the Chairman, whichever occurs first.**

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairman Schneider, Vice Chairman Rednour, Members of the Board
Executive Director Dan White

From: Steve Sandvoss, General Counsel

Re: Recommendations of the General Counsel

Date: August 31, 2009

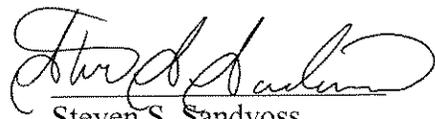
Pursuant to Section 25-3(4) of the Election Code [10 ILCS 5/25-3(4)], the State Board of Elections is required to determine whether the General Assembly has created new judgeships that are to be filled at the next general election. After review of SB 1938 that was recently signed by the Governor and which amended the Circuit Courts Act, the staff has concluded that the following additional judgeships have been created.

12 th Judicial Circuit	3 rd Subcircuit	Additional Judgeship A
	4 th Subcircuit	Additional Judgeship A
	5 th Subcircuit	Additional Judgeship B *
13 th Judicial Circuit	Resident, Grundy County	Additional Judgeship A
16 th Judicial Circuit	Resident, Kane County	Additional Judgeship A
	Resident, DeKalb County	Additional Judgeship A
	Resident, Kendall County	Additional Judgeship A
17 th Judicial Circuit	Resident, Boone County	Additional Judgeship A
19 th Judicial Circuit	4 th Subcircuit	Additional Judgeship A
22 nd Judicial Circuit	Resident	Additional Judgeship A **

* There is a pre-existing vacancy for the 5th Subcircuit which has already been certified as Additional Judgeship A.

** The 22nd Judicial Circuit is a single county circuit, consisting solely of McHenry County.

A motion declaring the above additional judgeships to be elected at the 2010 General Election is therefore requested.


Steven S. Sandvoss
General Counsel

PRINCIPAL OFFICE
STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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August 31, 2009

Mr. Mark Mossman
Director of Election Information
State Board of Elections
1020 South Spring Street
P.O. Box 4187
Springfield, Illinois 62708

Dear Mr. Mossman:

At the request of Director Cynthia Y. Cobbs, enclosed please find a subsequent certification of judicial vacancies for the first filing period for the 2010 General Primary Election. This certification includes all judicial vacancies that occurred on July 25, 2009 through August 28, 2009.

If you require any additional information or assistance, please feel free to contact me at 217.524.6424.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Constance M. Brown".

Constance M. Brown
Budget Manager

enclosure

c: Cynthia Y. Cobbs, Director

AMENDED CERTIFICATION - REFLECTS JUDGESHIP A FOR SUBCIRCUITS 6 AND 5 IN THE 19TH CIRCUIT

Certification of Judicial Vacancies for the 2010 General Primary Election

(vacancies or vacancy announcements that occurred from July 25, 2009 through August 28, 2009)
 Primary Election will be held February 2, 2010 - General Election will be held November 2, 2010 - Term Begins December 6, 2010

Judicial District/Circuit	Type of Judgeship	County, Inside/Outside or Subcircuit (if applicable)	Elected Judicial Officer			Appointments/Assignments			Judicial Officer Who Held Position				
			LastName	FirstName	M	Comments	LastName	FirstName	M	Type of Judgeship converted Resident Subcircuit	LastName	FirstName	M
3rd	At-Large	Stack	Daniel	J		Retiring 12/05/10							
9th	Resident	McDonough Henderson	William	D		Retiring 11/30/10							

DOWNSTATE JUDICIAL VACANCIES

12th	Resident	Judgeship A				Created by PA 96-0108
12th	Resident	Judgeship A				Created by PA 96-0108
12th	Resident	Judgeship B				Created by PA 96-0108

PURSUANT TO PUBLIC ACT 96-0108 AND IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS DECLARATION OF THREE NEW RESIDENT JUDGESHIPS IN THE 12TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, THE COURT ALLOTTED ONE NEW JUDGESHIP EACH TO SUBCIRCUIT 3, 4, AND 5.

19th	At-Large	Sehestok	Mary	S		App't'd-Appell 08/18/08
19th	At-Large	Waller	Jane	D		Retired 11/30/08

PURSUANT TO PUBLIC ACT 96-0108 THE JUDGESHIPS OF JUDGE SCHOSTOK AND JUDGE WALLER IN THE 19TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, PREVIOUSLY CERTIFIED AS AT-LARGE VACANCIES ON JULY 13, 2009, ARE DECERTIFIED.

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19th	Resident	Judgeship A	Ortiz	Jorge	L	08/25/2008	Schostok	Mary	S	App't'd Appell 08/18/08	
19th	Resident	Judgeship A	Winter	Diane	E	12/01/2008	Waller	Jane	D	Retired 11/30/08	
19th	Resident	Judgeship A									

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4	Number of Vacancies or Vacancy Announcements for this Certification
4	Number of New Judgeships to be declared by the State Board of Elections

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mark Mossman
Illinois State Board of Elections

FROM: Constance M. Brown
Budget Analyst, AOIC *OMB*

DATE: August 28, 2009

RE: Additional Judgeships

The Administrative Office concurs in the recommendations of the State Board of Elections as to which additional judgeships shall be declared by the Board for purposes of the 2010 election, pursuant to Public Act 96-108.

With respect to the judgeships in the 12th Judicial Circuit, we construe the Act to create three (3) new resident circuit judgeships, to be allotted by the Supreme Court in the order as defined by the Act. The Court has entered the requisite orders allotting the seats. With the creation of the three (3) new resident judgeships, there are a total of sixteen (16) judgeships in the 12th Judicial Circuit.

In regard to the judgeships in the 19th Judicial Circuit, we construe the Act as having created six (6) resident subcircuit judgeships. Consistent with the Act, the two at-large vacancies, previously certified by the Supreme Court to the Board, as well as the newly created resident judgeship to be filled at the 2010 election, have been allotted by the Court in the order as defined by the Act as in the ordinary course.

Certification of the seats, along with the corresponding allotment orders will follow on Monday, August 31, 2009.

c: Cynthia Y. Cobbs, Director
Kathleen L. O'Hara, Assistant Director



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M. R. 20400

IN THE
SUPREME COURT
OF
THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

Order entered: August 27, 2009

Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 96-0108, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the additional resident judgeship, Twelfth Judicial Circuit, created by said Act, to be first elected at the general election in November, 2010, is hereby allotted to JUDICIAL SUBCIRCUIT NO. 5.

FOR THE COURT



Thomas R. Fitzgerald
Chief Justice

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M. R. 20400

IN THE
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THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

Order entered: August 27, 2009

Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 96-0108, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the additional resident judgeship, Twelfth Judicial Circuit, created by said Act, to be first elected at the general election in November, 2010, is hereby allotted to JUDICIAL SUBCIRCUIT NO. 4.

FOR THE COURT



Thomas R. Fitzgerald
Chief Justice

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M. R. 20400

IN THE
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OF
THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

Order entered: August 27, 2009

Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 96-0108, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the additional resident judgeship, Twelfth Judicial Circuit, created by said Act, to be first elected at the general election in November, 2010, is hereby allotted to JUDICIAL SUBCIRCUIT NO. 3.

FOR THE COURT



Thomas R. Fitzgerald
Chief Justice

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M. R. 21189

IN THE
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Order entered: August 27, 2009

Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 96-0108, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Lake County at-large judgeship of Mary S. Schostok (who was appointed to the Appellate Court 08/18/08), Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, is hereby allotted to JUDICIAL SUBCIRCUIT NO. 6.

FOR THE COURT



Thomas R. Fitzgerald
Chief Justice

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M. R. 21189

IN THE
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Order entered: August 27, 2009

Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 96-0108, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Lake County at-large judgeship of Jane D. Waller (who retired 11/30/08), Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, is hereby allotted to JUDICIAL SUBCIRCUIT NO. 5.

FOR THE COURT



Thomas R. Fitzgerald
Chief Justice

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Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 96-0108, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the additional resident judgeship, Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, created by said Act, to be first elected at the general election in November, 2010, is hereby allotted to JUDICIAL SUBCIRCUIT NO. 4.

FOR THE COURT



Thomas R. Fitzgerald
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