

Melissa M. Frazier

Candidate for Family Court Judge of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit, Seat 3

Amendment/Supplement to Personal Data Questionaire 2021

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Supplementing #21. Have you taught law-related courses or lectured at bar association conferences, educational institutions, or continuing legal or judicial education programs? If so, briefly describe each course or lecture.

- (u) I served as course planner and moderator at the S.C. Bar Hot Tips from the Coolest Domestic Law Practitioners held on September 24, 2021;
- (v) I served as course planner and moderator at the S.C. Bar Family Law Intensive CLE held on October 22 24, 2021.

Supplementing # 22. Provide, as a separate attachment, your continuing legal or judicial education report from the past five years.

As noted above, I attended:

- S.C. Bar Hot Tips from the Coolest Domestic Law Practitioners on September 24, 2021, 6.06 hours of CLE credit; and
- S.C. Bar Family Law Intensive CLE on October 22-24, 2021, 11.75 hours, including 1 hour of ethics and 1 hour of substance abuse.

Amending # 36. Itemize (by amount, type, and date) all expenditures, other than those for travel and room and board, made by you, or on your behalf in furtherance of your candidacy for the position you seek. If you have spent over \$100, have you reported your expenditures to the House and Senate Ethics Committees?

Vistaprint (rack cards and thank you cards)	\$161.09	8/18/2021
Paper and postage for letters of introduction	\$ 20.44	8/18/2021
Postage	\$ 3.06	8/19/2021
Postage for letters of introduction:	\$ 5.30	9/28/2021
Postage	\$ 1.06	11/2/2021
Name tag - Coastal engravers	\$ 10.75	11/3/2021
Postage for future mailings	\$ 10.60	11/4/2021

Total: \$212.30

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Amending #47: Have you ever been sued by a client? Have you ever been a named party (personally or professionally) in or had a pecuniary interest in any civil or criminal proceedings? If so, give details, including, but not limited to, dates, and resolutions.

I have never been sued by a client.

I have been included as a Defendant in three foreclosure actions where the parties were divorced and I was awarded attorney's fees or Guardian ad Litem fees from one of the owners of the property.

In <u>JP Morgan Chase Bank National Association vs. Michael Oerther, et. al.</u>, 2011-CP-26-0519, Mr. Oerther was a Defendant in an action where I was awarded attorneys fees in connection with a domestic action. There were not enough funds to satisfy my fees.

In <u>Bank of America vs. Trevor Strawderman, et al.</u>, 2011-CP-26-9253, the parties entered into a Marital Settlement Agreement and each agreed to pay one half of my attorney's fees. These fees were paid prior to the foreclosure action and a Stipulation of Dismissal as to me was entered on June 3, 2014.

In <u>Bank of America vs. Jason Ashton Dawson, et. al</u>, 2014-CP-26-3246. A Stipulation of Dismissal as to me was entered April 17, 2014.

My firm has recently been named as a Defendant in the following action:

Justin Shayne Fulmer vs. Melissa Emery Buckhannon, Esq., Frazier Law Firm, P.C., SC House Calls, Inc., Anna Coggeshall, Bryan Coggeshall, Katherine Coggeshall, Lauren Trent Fulmer, and Thomas Buckhannon, 2021-CP-26-06975, filed October 21, 2021. I have recently retained Kevin Barth to represent me in this action and am in the process of filing an Answer and Counterclaim. The Answer, among other things, will deny any improper *ex parte* communications with a family court judge and deny that I acted in any way to gain an unfair advantage for my client.

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Supplementing # 52. Have you requested any third parties to contact members of the General Assembly on your behalf before the final and formal screening report has been released? Describe the campaigning you have done for this election and include a list of those individuals you have asked to campaign on your behalf and, to the best of your knowledge, those who have campaigned for you on their own initiative.

I have sent letters and rack cards announcing that I am a candidate in this election and detailing my qualifications to various members of the General Assembly. I have met with members of the General Assembly to discuss my qualifications and answer any questions they may have about my qualifications to serve as a family court judge.

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Date: 11/4/2021