



November 18, 2025

Judicial Merit Selection Commission
PO Box 142
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Dear Members of the Judicial Merit Selection Commission:

I am a candidate for Family Court Judge, Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Seat 4. I am writing to supplement my Personal Data Questionnaire originally submitted on August 21, 2025.

62. Since submitting your letter of intent to become a candidate, have you or anyone acting on your behalf contacted any member of the Judicial Merit Selection Commission about your candidacy or intention to become a candidate? If so, give details.

Yes. On November 17, 2025, I mailed cards announcing my candidacy to the six members of the Judicial Merit Selection Commission who serve in the General Assembly. I did so inadvertently and unintentionally. A copy of the card is attached for reference. I printed envelope labels for every member of the General Assembly using the mail merge file available on scstatehouse.gov, but I failed to remove the labels for Representatives Caskey, Jordan and Stavrinakis and Senators Rankin, Campsen and Walker prior to having my firm's administrative assistant stuff, label, affix postage and deliver the cards to the Lexington Main Post Office on the morning of November 17, 2025. Immediately upon realizing my error several hours later, I went to the Lexington Main Post Office and spoke to a Clerk in an attempt to remove the envelopes addressed to the JMSC members referenced above before they were mailed. The Clerk recalled seeing the envelopes and indicated they had already been processed. I was unable to retrieve the envelopes addressed to the JMSC members.

I immediately took steps to remove the JMSC member labels from my template to prevent this from happening again.

I apologize for this mistake.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Rebecca West", written over a large, stylized number "12".

Rebecca West
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cc: Emma Hall, Esquire (via email only)
Erin Crawford, Esquire (via email only)
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