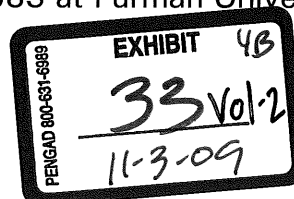


**JUDICIAL MERIT SELECTION COMMISSION  
PERSONAL DATA QUESTIONNAIRE**

Court, Position, and Seat # for which you are applying:  
16<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Family Court, Seat #2

1. NAME: Mr. David Glenn Guyton  
BUSINESS ADDRESS: P. O. Box 904 Rock Hill, SC 29731  
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (office): 803 324 2400
2. Date of Birth: 1961  
Place of Birth: Rock Hill, SC
3. Are you a citizen of South Carolina? Yes  
Have you been a resident of this state for at least the immediate past five years? Yes
5. Family Status: Married on July 11, 1992, to Crystal Fickling Guyton. Never divorced, two children.
6. Have you served in the military?  
United States Marine Corps October 1, 1988, to October 1, 1991. I was discharged with an Honorable Discharge as a Captain and Gulf War veteran upon completion of my term. The military uses my social security number instead of assigning a separate serial number.  
South Carolina Army National Guard from March 1992 through the present date. I am a Lieutenant Colonel currently serving as the State Military Judge at Joint Task Force Headquarters at The Adjutant General's Building in Columbia, SC. My name was recently published on the Colonel's promotion list, but I can't be promoted until I am moved into a position which carries that rank. No serial number; just the social security number.
7. List each college and law school you attended, including the dates of your attendance, the degrees you received, and if you left an institution without receiving a degree, the reason for your departure.
  - (a) Furman University, Fall 1979 through Spring 1983, Bachelor of Arts;
  - (b) University of South Carolina School of Law, Fall 1984 through Spring 1987, Juris Doctorate.
8. List the states in which you have been admitted to practice law and the year of each admission. Also list any states in which you took the bar exam but were never admitted to the practice of law. If you took the bar exam more than once in any of the states listed, please indicate the number of times you took the exam in each state.  
South Carolina May 18, 1987. I took the Bar twice in SC. I never took the Bar exam in any other state.
9. List the significant activities in which you took part during your attendance at college, graduate, and law school. Give the dates you were involved in these activities and list any leadership positions you held.
  - (a) Baptist Student Union 1979 through 1983 at Furman University;



- (b) Kappa Alpha Fraternity (Order of REL) 1980-83 at Furman; 2 years as President;
  - (c) Four year letterman as an intercollegiate wrestler at Furman 1979-83;
  - (d) Phi Alpha Delta at USC School of Law; 2 years;
  - (e) Christian Legal Society at USC School of Law; 3 years.
10. Describe your continuing legal or judicial education during the past five years. Include **only** the title and date of any continuing legal or judicial education course completed.

<u>Conference/CLE Name</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
(a) Family Law Training	3/20/09
(b) MCAA 2009 Spring Meeting	4/17/09
(c) SC Summary Court Judges Association	5/4-5/09
(d) CDV and Legal Update	12/18/08
(e) 8 <sup>th</sup> Domestic Operational Law Course	10/27-31/08
(f) Commission and ATA Seminar	10/21/08
(g) Guardian Ad Litem Continuing Education Training	10/03/08
(i) Hot Tips From the Coolest Domestic Law Practitioners	9/19/08
(j) Prosecuting the Impaired Driver	5/15-16/08
(k) SC Summary Court Judges Association	5/5-5/08
(l) Training for attorneys appointed in abuse and neglect cases in the 16 <sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit	2/08/08
(m) Education Law Training	7/25/08
(n) SC Law for Military Attorneys	9/28/07
(o) Annual Judge Advocate officer Training	4/27/07
(p) Domestic Violence and the Criminal Justice System	4/05/07
(q) Children's issues in Family Court	3/23/07
(r) Rudolph C. Barnes Sr. Symposium	2/2-3/07
(s) Domestic Violence and the Criminal Justice System	7/27/06
(t) COLC Ethics Seminar CLC and ATA Meeting	9/21/05
(u) YCBA Family Law Seminar	0/24/05
(v) Domestic Violence and the Criminal Justice System	0/28/05
(w) JAG Reserve Component Onsite	1/8-9/05
(x) Judicial Oath of Office Seminar	11/19/04
(y) YCBA Lawyer's Oath Seminar	9/14/04
(z) DUI Advocacy from "A" to "Z"	8/19-20/04
(aa) Guardian Ad Litem Training	3/05/04
(bb) Advocating the Rights of Service members	2/06/04
(cc) STOP the Violence Against Women Summary Court Seminar	2/23-24/04
(dd) STOP Violence Against Women Program	4/25/03
(ee) 5th Annual Children's Law Conference	5/15-16/03

11. 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.

- (a) I recently made a presentation to the Municipal Court Administration Association as a City Court Judge on diffusing hostility;
  - (b) I made a presentation at the Southeastern Judge Advocates Conference on Rules for the Use of Force during civil disturbances or civil disasters;
  - (c) Taught a CLE several years ago to SC Bar. (cannot recall topic);
  - (d) Taught volunteer Guardians Ad Litem for local training requirements;
  - (e) Taught local clerk of courts office personnel courtroom procedure and evidence;
  - (f) Organized and conducted Military Support to Civilian Authorities training and CD at South Carolina JAG Conference;
  - (g) Organized and conducted Military Justice training to SCNG Judge Advocates and Administrative Officers;
12. List all published books and articles you have written and give citations and the dates of publication for each. I cannot recall any published articles.
13. List all courts in which you have been admitted to practice and list the dates of your admission. Give the same information for administrative bodies that require a special admission to practice.
- (a) Admitted to practice before the State Courts of South Carolina on May 18, 1988;
  - (b) Also admitted to practice before the Federal District Court on December 27 1991;
  - (c) Also admitted to practice as a Judge Advocate in Military Courts in July 1990.
14. Describe chronologically your legal experience since graduation from law school and include a list of all law firms with which you have been associated. Describe the general character of your practice and divide it into periods with dates if its character has changed over the years.

Upon release from active duty with the United States Marine Corps in October 1991, I returned to Rock Hill, SC, and began practicing law with Harrelson & Hayes that same month as an Associate in their firm. I became a Partner in 1996, and the firm then became Harrelson, Hayes, & Guyton. I have practiced continuously as a Partner in the firm since then. My primary area of practice has been Family Court (75%). I also have done residential real estate closings, simple estate documents and probate, and criminal defense on a regular basis as an Associate and Partner (25%). I have handled some Landlord –Tenant, personal injury, foreclosure, and contract disputes on a limited basis through the years.

If you are a judge and are not seeking a different type of judgeship, the following questions are inapplicable:

- (a) If you are a candidate for Family Court, please provide a brief written description of your experience within each of the following Family Court practice areas: divorce and equitable division of property, child custody, adoption, abuse and neglect, and juvenile justice. Include information about cases you have handled in each of these practice areas, or if you

have not practiced in an area, describe how your background has prepared you to preside over such matters as a Family Court Judge.

I have extensive experience in divorce, separation, child custody, child support, alimony, equitable distribution of property, adoptions, name changes, SC Department of Social Services cases, and juvenile cases, as Family Court has been my primary area of practice for almost 17 years. I have represented well over a 1000 clients to include spouses, parents, grandparents, Guardians, and children. I have been a volunteer GAL for children in DSS abuse and neglect cases, and have defended parents charged with abuse and neglect.

I have been a GAL in paid private custody actions after either being appointed by Family Court Judges or requested by both counsel in such actions. I have handled many step parent adoptions and my wife and I adopted a bi-racial child we took home from the hospital at birth.

I have also brought and defended Termination of Parental Rights actions. I have been retained, appointed, and have taken cases through the SC Bar pro bono program, and the Legal Assistance to Military Personnel (LAMP) program. I have represented minors in emancipation actions. I have brought and defended Rule To Show Cause Actions for non compliance with Family Court Orders.

I have represented clients at DSS Administrative hearings for child support, and at Foster Care Review Boards. I have handled cases which require a determination of proper jurisdiction under state and federal law (UCCJA, UCCJEA, PKA). I once took legal and physical custody of an 11 year old boy for 7 months when his father abandoned him, his mother was in jail, and his great grandmother could no longer care for him.

I have represented juveniles in Family Court, and acted as an Auxiliary Probation Officer (voluntary position) through the Dept of Juvenile Justice to both account for and be a mentor for several juveniles placed on probation. I have handled several annulments and dealt with the issue of common law marriage. I have handled name changes for minors and adults.

I have assisted victims of domestic violence and brought actions for Protection from Domestic Abuse, and I have defended those accused of domestic abuse. I am currently a Board Member of the Children's Attention Home Charter School Board. I feel I have been involved in almost every aspect of Family Court from various perspectives, which will allow me to make better decisions.

15. What is your rating in Martindale-Hubbell?

I believe it is BV and I am currently trying to confirm the rating. I do not believe I have a judicial rating as I am only a part time Associate City Court Judge.

**Retired judges/justices and judges/justices applying for reelection to their current position may omit Questions 16-21. If a candidate is seeking a judgeship different than his or her current position, Questions 16-21 should be answered based on experience prior to serving on the bench.**

16. What was the frequency of your court appearances during the last five years?
- (a) federal: 0;
  - (b) state: Average three times per week considering family court, general sessions, magistrates, common pleas, and court-martials.
17. What percentage of your practice involved civil, criminal, and domestic matters during the last five years?
- (a) civil: 15%;
  - (b) criminal: 10%;
  - (c) domestic: 75%.
18. What percentage of your practice in trial court during the last five years involved matters that went to a jury, including those that settled prior to trial?
- (a) jury: 5%;
  - (b) non-jury: 95%.

Did you most often serve as sole counsel, chief counsel, or associate counsel in these matters? Sole Counsel.

19. List five of the most significant litigated matters you have personally handled in either trial or appellate court or before a state or federal agency. Give citations if the cases were reported and describe why these matters were significant.

I do not practice before Federal Courts. I do not believe I have been involved in any reported cases.

- (a) Recently I successfully obtained the return of legal and physical custody of a 5 year old to his mother in Virginia after the tragic vehicle death of the child's father who had custody. The step mother and grandparents attempted to terminate her parental rights and adopt the child. After several initial court hearings which were strongly contested, I helped arrange a visitation schedule for the step mother and grandparents so that the families now get along, and the child now has two very loving and supporting families.
- (b) Last year I filed a motion to intervene and represent a 15 year old whose parents had been involved in a custody battle for approximately 4 years. He was in my youth group at church. The stress of the custody battle resulted in his threatened suicide and hospitalization on two occasions. I was not paid. By motion to the court I arranged for him to speak directly to the Judge without the parents' presence. The Judge had not wanted to separate him and an older brother, but eventually the parents settled allowing one child with one parent and this child with his father. He is now very happy, doing well in school, and was a member of his state championship high school marching band!
- (c) Several years ago I was appointed as the Guardian Ad Litem for a child whose mother was in jail and whose father was arrested for beating up

his current girlfriend in front of the child. The child (Michael) was around 7 at the time. His Great-grandmother was awarded custody with my recommendation. My son was a year younger and we often had Michael over to our home to play with Caleb and try to example a "normal" family. We took him to church and on vacations, and he became another son to me. When the father got out of jail he skipped town without even asking about Michael. The SC Dept of Social Services made false allegations against the Great-grandmother, whose health would not allow her to care for Michael. I filed an action for, and was awarded, temporary custody of Michael. He moved in with us and became a member of our family for 7 months. We were very involved in all aspects of his life, including church, school, and counseling. I helped his mother get into a special rehabilitation program while incarcerated, and then successfully represented her before the Parole Board, which included obtaining employment for her prior to her release. We were able to return custody to his mother and they have lived together since! He was like another son and I will always consider that as a way I was able to use my law license to save a life.

- (d) Several years ago I was appointed on an indigent defense armed robbery charge in Chester, S.C. The evidence appeared strong against my client, but I could not negotiate a reasonable plea deal and he wanted a jury trial. We ultimately were able to obtain a videotape of my client at a family birthday party with a date time stamp which would have made it almost impossible for my client to be at the place of the crime at the time it was committed. After a 2 day trial the jury returned a not guilty verdict. It was significant to me because it proved to a young black man, his family, and his community, that a white male lawyer would zealously represent him without pay (I never did receive pay from the state) to a successful conclusion. They felt the system worked to a just outcome, therefore overcoming an assumed inherent racial prejudice.
  - (e) Several years ago I was assigned as military defense counsel to represent a non-commissioned officer with over 20 years service at an Administrative Separation Board for a positive urinalysis. After showing a negative drug test by his civilian employer less than 24 hours after the first test, and the live character testimony from numerous members of his unit, he was retained and we successfully saved his career, his reputation, and his retirement. He eventually retired with an Honorable Discharge and still thanks me whenever I see him.
20. List up to five civil appeals you have personally handled. Give the case name, the court, the date of decision, and the citation if the case was reported.  
I do not recall ever filing a civil appeal.
22. Have you ever held judicial office? Describe the jurisdiction of each of the courts and note any limitations on the jurisdiction of each court.

I was appointed as an Associate City Court Judge for the City of Rock Hill by Municipal Court Judge Jane P. Modla in 1999, and confirmed by the Rock Hill City Council. I have served continuously since that time and have been reaffirmed by City Council as required. I have presided over bench trials, jury trials, and set bonds. However, over the last few years I have primarily presided over the dockets set for evening court, usually for only a few hours each month. The jurisdiction is for city criminal and traffic offenses for up to 30 days in jail or \$500 fine, and as otherwise allowed by statute (such as DUS 3<sup>rd</sup> which allows a 90 day sentence). City Court does not handle civil matters. With the assistance of another Judge we have handled more than 200 cases on a docket in one evening. I am paid as independent contractor, not as an employee of the City of Rock Hill.

I also currently serve as the South Carolina National Guard Military Judge, which carries the powers of a state Circuit Court Judge by statute. I have served in that capacity since April 2008. This is an assigned duty by our SC Adjutant General, MG Stanhope Spears, and our State Judge Advocate, Colonel Barry Bernstein. I am compensated by my normal National Guard pay. I do not receive any extra compensation for this position. I preside over Special Courts-Martial for the National Guard under the SC Code of Military Justice, and can impose incarceration, fines, reduction in rank, and a Bad Conduct Discharge. It is considered a state circuit court, not a federal court.

23. If the answer to question 22 is yes, describe or list five of your most significant orders or opinions and give the citations if they were reported. Also list citations to any appellate review of these orders or opinions.

I do not believe any decision I have rendered at City Court or in a Courts-Martial has been appealed which resulted in appellate decision with citations. I can only recall 2 appeals from City Court and I do not think either was overturned.

24. Have you ever held public office other than judicial office? If so, list the periods of your service, the office or offices involved, and whether you were elected or appointed. Also, state whether or not you have timely filed your report with the State Ethics Commission during the period you held public office. If not, were you ever subject to a penalty?

I do not recall ever holding a public office or being required to file a report with the Senate Ethics Commission.

25. List all employment you had while serving as a judge (whether full-time or part-time, contractual or at will, consulting or otherwise) other than elected judicial office. Specify your dates of employment, employer, major job responsibilities, and supervisor.

As noted above I have been an Associate, and then a partner, with Harrelson, Hayes & Guyton, since October 1991. My law partners Wes Hayes and Hugh Harrelson were obviously my supervisors prior to my being made a partner. I have been a Judge Advocate with the SC Army National Guard since March 1992, when I joined as a Captain. I have served continuously

since that time, and I am now a Lieutenant Colonel. I was recently notified my name has come out on the Colonel's promotion list, but I cannot be promoted until I am placed in a Colonel's slot. My current supervisor is Colonel Barry Bernstein. My former supervisors have included COL James Lockemy (ret.) and LTC Vic Rawl (ret.). My duties have included trial counsel, defense counsel, judge, legal assistance, and battle captain.

26. Have you ever been an unsuccessful candidate for elective, judicial, or other public office? No.

27. Have you ever been engaged in any occupation, business, or profession other than the practice of law, teaching of law, or holding judicial or other public office?

Only as a National Guard Judge Advocate whose duties sometimes involve non law related assignments such as acting as a Chaplain or Battle Captain.

28. Are you now an officer or director or involved in the management of any business enterprise?

I am not involved in any business enterprises. I am an Officer or Director on several non profit entities, such as Palmetto Volunteers in Medicine, Inc, a free medical clinic for the working uninsured who do not receive Medicaid. I am a treasurer for Oakland Baptist Church and for the Children's Attention Home Charter School Board. Other entities include the Rock Hill School District Foundation Board, VFW, Marine Corps League, Kiwanis Club, and York County Veteran's council. Most Board memberships are for 3 year terms.

29. A complete, current financial net worth statement was provided to the Commission.

30. Describe any financial arrangements or business relationships you have, or have had in the past, that could constitute or result in a possible conflict of interest in the position you seek. Explain how you would resolve any potential conflict of interest.

As a family court judge I would preside over individuals, not entities or persons representing entities, therefore the prospect of conflict due to financial arrangements or business relationships is small. However, should an individual such as my financial planner, fellow Board member, prior client, family member, or anyone else I have had a close association with appear before me, I would need to disclose the relationship and recuse myself. Fortunately recusals in family court do not typically result in a significant delay to the litigants.

31. Have you ever been arrested, charged, or held by federal, state, or other law enforcement authorities for violation or for suspicion of violation of any federal law or regulation, state law or regulation, or county or municipal law, regulation, or ordinance, or any other law, including another country's law?

In the spring of 1980 while in my freshman year at Furman I was arrested in Southern Pines, N.C. for Driving While Impaired. I later pled guilty



to a reckless driving charge and the DWI was dismissed. I reported this on my Bar application, my application to be an Officer in the United States Marine Corps, and my application for a top secret security clearance (which was granted). It was apparently already off the N.C. driving record by the time I reported it on my Bar application.

32. Have you, to your knowledge, ever been under federal, state, or local investigation for possible violation of a criminal statute? No.
33. Has a tax lien or other collection procedure ever been instituted against you by federal, state, or local authorities? No. Have you ever defaulted on a student loan? No. Have you ever filed for bankruptcy? No.
34. Have you ever been sued, either personally or professionally, that is, have you ever been named as defendant or respondent in any court of law?

I do not recall ever being sued as an individual or as part of a Board, in a personal or professional capacity.

36. Are you now or have you ever been employed as a "lobbyist," as defined by S.C. Code § 2-17-10(13), or have you acted in the capacity of a "lobbyist's principal," as defined by S.C. Code § 2-17-10(14)? No.
37. Since filing with the Commission your letter of intent to run for judicial office, have you accepted lodging, transportation, entertainment, food, meals, beverages, money, or any other thing of value as defined by S.C. Code § 2-17-10(1) from a lobbyist or lobbyist's principal? If so, please specify the item or items you received, the date of receipt, and the lobbyist or lobbyist's principal involved. No.
38. S.C. Code § 8-13-700 provides, in part, that "[n]o public official, public member, or public employee may knowingly use his official office, membership, or employment to obtain an economic interest for himself, a member of his immediate family, an individual with whom he is associated, or a business with which he is associated." Please detail any knowledge you have of any formal charges or informal allegations against you or any other candidate for violations of these provisions.

I have not done so and I have no knowledge of any other candidate doing so.

39. S.C. Code § 8-13-765 provides, in part, that "[n]o person may use government personnel, equipment, materials, or an office building in an election campaign." Please detail any knowledge you have of any formal charges or informal allegations against you or any other candidate for violations of these provisions.

I have not done so and I have no knowledge of any other candidate doing so.

40. 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.

None at the time I am completing this application.

41. List the amount and recipient of all contributions made by you or on your behalf to members of the General Assembly since the announcement of your intent to seek election to a judgeship. None
42. Have you directly or indirectly requested the pledge of any member of the General Assembly as to your election for the position for which you are being screened? Have you received the assurance of any public official or public employee that they will seek the pledge of any member of the General Assembly as to your election for the position for which you are being screened? I have not.
43. Have you requested a friend or colleague to contact members of the General Assembly on your behalf? Are you aware of any friends or colleagues contacting members of the General Assembly on your behalf? Not yet.
44. Have you or has anyone acting on your behalf solicited or collected funds to aid in the promotion of your candidacy? No.
45. Have you or has anyone acting on your behalf contacted members of the Judicial Merit Selection Commission about your candidacy or intention to become a candidate?

On Tuesday or Wednesday July 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> I called Senator Greg Delleney to announce my candidacy. He immediately informed me that I was not allowed to contact him or any other members of the Commission. He also gave me the names of the other members, as I had requested but not yet received the application package with the Policies and Procedures manual.

46. List all bar associations and professional organizations of which you are a member and give the titles and dates of any offices you have held in such groups.
  - (a) South Carolina Bar Association since 1988. Member of Military Law and Family Law committees. SC Bar Outstanding Young Lawyer Award. Pro Bono program volunteer. Legal Assistance to Military Personnel volunteer;
  - (b) York County Bar Association since 1992. Past Secretary, Treasurer, and President (1996);
  - (c) American Bar Association since 1988;
  - (d) SC Summary Court Judges Association since 1999;
  - (e) Commission on Lawyer Conduct for over 10 years.
47. List all civic, charitable, educational, social, and fraternal organizations of which you are or have been a member during the past five years and include any offices held in such a group, any professional honors, awards, or other forms of recognition received and not listed elsewhere.
  - (a) Charter member of Marine Corps League Olde English Leatherneck Detachment and Judge Advocate since April 2002. Several Outstanding Marine awards and Four Chaplains award;
  - (b) Member and Judge Advocate for VFW Old Hickory Post 2889 since 1990s;
  - (c) Member American Legion Frank Roach Post 43 since 1992;

- (d) Member and Secretary for York County Veteran's Council since 1993 and serve as their Master of Ceremonies for the annual Memorial Day Ceremony;
  - (e) Children's Attention Home Charter School Board member and Treasurer;
  - (f) Rock Hill School District Foundation Board, past Treasurer, 2009 Outstanding Volunteer Award;
  - (g) Palmetto Volunteers in Medicine Clinic, Inc., Charter Board member and Secretary. I incorporated it as a non profit in SC and obtained IRS 501(c)(3) tax exempt status;
  - (h) Rock Hill Kiwanis Club for 15 years. Past President. Coordinator and volunteer for Terrific Kids program;
  - (i) Charter Board member for 15 years Rolling in Rock Hill annual paint project painting homes of poor or disabled. Estimated 250 homes painted;
  - (j) Oakland Baptist Church Sunday School teacher, former Deacon, current Treasurer, former RA leader, former Youth leader, various committees;
  - (k) Auxiliary Probation Officer through the Department of Juvenile Justice;
  - (l) Webelos Scout Den leader for 2006 and 2007.
48. Provide any other information that may reflect positively or negatively on your candidacy, or which you believe should be disclosed in connection with consideration of you for nomination for the position you seek.

As a husband, father, Christian, attorney, Marine, Soldier, and community leader I have always viewed myself as a servant-leader. I do not seek this position as a life goal, but at the request of my fellow attorneys and judges, after much thought and prayer. Due to my extensive involvement in my community and life experiences, I have learned the different perspectives of many people and earned a reputation for being fair and impartial among attorneys, judges, and clients. I have also earned a reputation for the ability to resolve conflicts in an amicable manner. I am patient, and I have a heart for children. I am in excellent health, competing in sprint triathlons and obtaining a perfect score on the Army Physical Fitness Test. I have successfully balanced the stress of a family court practice with my responsibilities to my family, God, country, and community. I am mentally healthy. I have no hidden agendas. The role of Family Court Judge is and should remain non partisan. My honesty and overall ethics have never been questioned.

49. References:

- (a) MG Stanhope Spears—Adjutant General  
State of South Carolina  
1 National Guard Road  
Columbia, SC 29201  
(coordinate through COL Bernstein)  
803-806-4319 or 803-667-2319
- (b) COL Barry Bernstein  
304 Lost Creek Drive

Columbia, SC 29212  
803-407-7284 or 803-667-2319 or 803-806-4319

- (c) Neal Kyber  
Market President, National Bank Of South Carolina  
P.O. Box 2480  
Rock Hill, SC 29732  
803-327-2515
- (d) Dr. Lynn Moody  
Superintendent, Rock Hill Schools  
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803-329-5694 or 803-324-0937

YOUR SIGNATURE WILL BE HELD TO CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF THE  
CONFIDENTIALITY OF ANY PROCEEDING BEFORE A GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE OR  
ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING YOUR CREDIT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT MY ANSWERS ARE TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST  
OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

Signature: David Glenn Guyton

Date: 8/10/09

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RE: Amendment to Personal Data Question #40

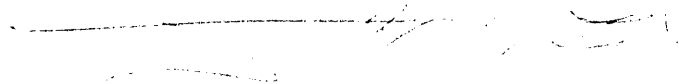
Dear Jane:

I have enclosed a copy of my correspondence to Senator Wes Hayes as Chairman of the State Ethics Committee and to Representative Roland Smith as Chairman of the House Ethics Committee, to inform them that I have incurred an expense of more than \$100 in furtherance of my candidacy for Family Court Judge Seat #2 in the Judicial Circuit. I have also enclosed a copy of my PDQ Amended Paragraph #40 which reflects that I spent \$380.92 at the Staples Store in Rock Hill for the printing of Family Court resumes. Please note that I did not send these resumes to the six Legislative members of the JMSC.

I have previously emailed you a copy of my amended PDQ. The only change was to paragraph 40. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

With kind regards, I am

Yours very truly,



David G. Guyton

DGG/swn  
Enclosure