

JUDICIAL MERIT SELECTION COMMISSION
PERSONAL DATA QUESTIONNAIRE



Court, Position, and Seat # for which you are applying: Circuit Court, Tenth Judicial Circuit,
Seat#1

1. Name: The Honorable Rivers "Lawton" McIntosh

Name that you are known by if different from above
(Example: A Nickname):

Are you currently serving in some capacity as a judge? Yes – Circuit Court
(Includes Municipal, Magistrate, Etc.)

Home Address: [REDACTED]

Business Address: Post Office Box 8002 Anderson, SC 29622-8002

E-Mail Address: [REDACTED]

Telephone Number: (home): [REDACTED]
(office): 864-260-4059
(cell): [REDACTED]

2. Date of Birth: [REDACTED] 1960
Place of Birth: Anderson, South Carolina
Social Security Number: [REDACTED]

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

4. SCDL# or SCHD#:
SCDL [REDACTED]
Voter Registration Number: [REDACTED]

5. Have you served in the military? If so, give the dates, branch of service, highest rank attained, serial number (if applicable), present status, and the character of your discharge or release. Please provide a copy of your DD214 concerning your discharge.

No

6. Family Status: In the space below, (a) state whether you are single, married, widowed, divorced, or separated; (b) if married, state the date of your marriage and your spouse's full name; (c) if you have ever been divorced or are in the process of obtaining a divorce, state

the date, name of the moving party, court, and grounds; and (d) state the names of your children and their ages. If your children are old enough to work, include the occupation of each child.

- (a) Family Status: Married May 2, 1998 to Jessie Ruth Wilson. Never divorced. One step-child, [REDACTED]
- (b) Family Status: Divorced Chrisi M. McIntosh on November 26, 1997, Tenth Judicial Circuit Family Court, Case Number: 1996-DR-04-2167. One year's continuous separation. No children.

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) Wofford College (1978-1982) BA Political Science
- (b) USC School of Law (1983-1986) Juris Doctor

8. List the significant activities in which you took part during your attendance at law school. Give the years you were involved in these activities and list any leadership positions you held.

- (a) (1984) Worked for South Carolina Legislative Council
- (b) (1985-1986) Law Clerk for McNair Law Firm

9. 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. Please indicate the number of times you took the exam in each state.

South Carolina: 1986

10. Describe chronologically, since graduation from law school, your legal experience. Please include a list of all positions held in which you worked in a legal capacity. Describe the general character of your practice and divide it into periods with dates if its character has changed over the years. Please also describe the extent to which you were involved with the administrative and financial management of each of these entities, including management of trust accounts.

- (a) Law Clerk: Honorable Luke N. Brown (1986-1987)
- (b) Associate: McIntosh and Sherard (1987-1990)
- (c) Partner: McIntosh, Sherard & Sullivan (1990-2009)

(d) Subsequent to my clerkship, I was hired as an associate by McIntosh and Sherard in May of 1987. I continuously worked as either an associate or partner with McIntosh,

Sherard and Sullivan from May of 1987 through May, 2009, when I was elected to serve the remainder of the unexpired term of the Honorable J.C. Nicholson, Jr.

(e) May of 1987 through approximately (1990) – The general character of my practice included primarily handling civil and domestic cases. The civil cases I assisted with or handled ranged from representing individuals and businesses as plaintiffs or defendants in business and real estate related litigation. I also represented or assisted with representing plaintiffs in personal injury cases. My domestic practice primarily included representing both wives and husbands as either plaintiffs or defendants. A small percentage of my practice involved representing criminal defendants with charges such as grand larceny, criminal sexual conduct (1st), simple possession, DUI and traffic offenses. Although I represented criminal defendant in Circuit Court on guilty pleas, I did not try any criminal cases above the magistrate's court level. I also occasionally closed loans.

(f) (1990-2000) I discontinued representing criminal defendants and performing loan closings. My civil and domestic practice continued as I described above. I also started representing claimants in workers' compensation cases. Approximately thirty (30%) percent was devoted to domestic abuse; approximately forty (40%) percent of my practice was devoted to personal injury and workers' compensation; and approximately thirty (30%) was devoted to representing individuals and businesses in business and real estate related litigation. In this category, I represented both plaintiffs and defendants.

(g) (2000-2006) While the focus of my practice remained the same the percentage of my practice devoted to each area changed. In March, 2003 our firm hired an associate to assist me with litigation. Our associate focused primarily on domestic cases, enabling me to stop handling domestic cases in 2006 (with the exception of Court-appointed cases). During the period, the number of personal injury cases I handled declined to approximately twenty (20%) percent of my practice, which, together with representing workers' compensation claimants, constituted approximately thirty (30%) percent of my practice. I also began handling probate matters, mostly litigation, which constituted approximately five (5%) percent of my practice. The remainder of my practice continued to focus on representing individuals and businesses as plaintiffs or defendants in real estate and business litigation, as well as my Court appointed cases. I also defended the County of Anderson in two (2) cases.

(h) (2006-2009) Approximately thirty (30%) percent of my practice involved representing plaintiffs and claimants in personal injury and workers' compensation cases. Approximately five (5%) percent involved handling probate matters, mostly litigation. The remainder of my practice continued to involve representing individuals and businesses as plaintiffs or defendants in real estate and business-related litigation as well as my Court-appointed cases.

(i) (May, 2009 to Present) Judge of the Circuit Court, Tenth (10th) Judicial Circuit, Seat #1.

(j) As an associate I did not frequently deal with the firm trust account other than meeting with the office manager to make deposits into the account or disbursements from it.

As a partner I received monthly reports on the trust and general accounts and met with the office manager at least monthly to review the reports. Only partners in the firm were allowed to sign firm checks, trust or otherwise.

Justices/judges applying for re-election to their current position may omit Questions 11–17. If you are a judge seeking a judgeship different than your current position, Questions 11-17 should be answered based on your experience prior to serving on the bench.

11. Please answer the following:
 - (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 and procedural knowledge has prepared you to preside over such matters as a Family Court Judge. Please also indicate the frequency of your appearances before a Family Court Judge within the past five years.
 - (b) If you are a candidate for Circuit Court, please provide a brief written description of your experience in criminal matters, including any cases handled over the past five years and include a brief description of the issues involved. Further, please provide a brief written description of your experience in civil matters, including any cases handled over the past five years and include a brief description of the types of matters handled, issues involved, and procedural history. Please include information such as the primary areas in civil court in which you practice, whether you represent plaintiffs or defendants, or both. You may go back further than five years if you feel it would assist the Commission with its assessment of your experience. If you lack experience in an area, describe how your background and procedural knowledge has prepared you to preside over such matters as a Circuit Court Judge, or how you would compensate for your lack of experience in this area. Please also indicate the frequency of your appearances before a Circuit Court Judge within the past five years.
 - (c) If you are a candidate for Master-In-Equity, please provide a brief written description of your experience in the Master's court, including any cases handled over the past five years and include a brief description of the issues involved. Please include the frequency of your appearances before a Master-In-Equity or a Circuit Court Judge within the past five years.
 - (d) If you are a candidate for Administrative Law Court, please provide a brief written description of your experience before an Administrative Law Judge, including any issues discussed and the frequency of your appearances before the Administrative Law or Circuit Court within the past five years.

12. What was the frequency of your court appearances during the past five years or in the five years prior to your election to the bench?
- (a) federal:
 - (b) state:
13. What percentage of your practice involved civil, criminal, domestic, and other matters during the past five years or in the five years prior to your election to the bench?
- (a) civil:
 - (b) criminal:
 - (c) domestic:
 - (d) other:
14. What percentage of your practice in trial court during the past five years or in the five years prior to your election to the bench involved matters that went to a jury, including those that settled prior to trial?
- (a) jury:
 - (b) non-jury:

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

15. 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.
- (a)
 - (b)
 - (c)
 - (d)
 - (e)
16. 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.
- (a)
 - (b)
 - (c)
 - (d)
 - (e)
17. List up to five criminal appeals you have personally handled. Give the case name, the court, the date of decision and the citation if the case was reported.
- (a)
 - (b)
 - (c)
 - (d)
 - (e)

18. Have you ever held judicial office? If so, list the periods of your service, the courts involved, and whether you were elected or appointed. Describe the jurisdiction of each of the courts and note any limitations on the jurisdiction of each court.

Yes. Elected to Circuit Court, Tenth Judicial Circuit, Seat 1, 2009 and re-elected in 2013. Currently running for re-election to the same seat. The Circuit Court is a court of general jurisdiction.

19. If the answer to question 18 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.

- (a) Smith v Tiffany, 419 SC 548, 799, SE2nd 479 (2017)
- (b) Williams H. Bell, Jr. v State of South Carolina, Case Number: 2003-CP-04-1859
- (c) Encore v Keone Trask, et al, Case Number: 2015-CP-23-05757
- (d) Stevens Aviation Inc. v Dyna Corp. International, 407 SC 407, 756 SE2d 148 (2014)
- (e) Archadect, Inc. v Isaiah L. Rice et al, Case Number: 2015-CP-04-01662

20. 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 November 14, 1986.
- (b) Admitted to practice before the U.S. District Court – DSC on November 21, 1988.

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.

(a) I made a presentation on Canine Search and Seizure to the South Carolina Association of Justice at the August, 2012 Conference.

(b) I made a presentation on What does a Circuit Court Judge Look For in a Return Filed On Appeal? And Ethics to the upstate Summary Court Judges at the annual meeting in the May, 2012.

(c) I made a presentation on E-Discovery at the NBI seminar in Columbia, South Carolina, January 2015.

(d) I sat as a panel member in the following continuing legal education programs:

- i) Ethics with the Judges – South Carolina Bar Sporting Clays Seminars (Colleton County – October 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017 and 2018) (Boiling Springs – Spring 2017)
- ii) What Criminal Judges Want You to Know – NBI Seminar, Columbia, South Carolina (February 2012)

iii) Annual Solicitor's Conference: 2015 and 2016

(e) I also served as a judge in Furman's Mock Trial Competition (March, 2015, 2017)

(f) I served as a judge in the South Carolina Bar Mock Trial Competition (Greenville, 2014, 2015)

(g) I spoke to the T. L. Hanna High School Law Class. (February, 2014, 2015)

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

(CLE reports as separate attachment)

23. List all published books and articles you have written and give citations and the dates of publication for each.

None.

24. Please furnish as a separate attachment, two examples of legal articles, briefs, orders, or other legal writings for which you can claim sole or primary authorship. If you cannot claim sole authorship, please explain the extent to which you are the primary author, to include a description of the other authors and their contributions. The writing samples are for the Commission's use only and will not be published. (If you are a judge and are not seeking a different type of judgeship, this question is inapplicable.)

(Legal writings as separate attachment)

25. What is your rating or membership status, if any, by any legal rating organization, such as, Best Lawyers, Chambers, Legal 500, Martindale-Hubbell, Who's Who Legal, Super Lawyers, Million Dollar Advocates Forum, etc.? If you are currently a member of the judiciary, list your last available rating, if any.

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26. 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) Anderson County Bar Association (no offices held)

(b) South Carolina Bar Association (no offices held)

(c) American Bar Association (no offices held)

(d) South Carolina Circuit Court Judges Association (no offices held)

27. 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? If so, give details, including dates.

No.

28. For sitting or former judges, 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.

None.

29. Have you ever been an unsuccessful candidate for elective, judicial, or other public office? If so, give details, including dates.

No.

30. 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? If so, give details, including a description of your occupation, business, or profession, the dates of your employment, and the name of your business or employer.

I rent a house and farm that I own. I have rented it variously for twenty (20) years.

I also rent a beach house that I own in conjunction with my siblings. We have rented it during the summer for twenty (20) years.

I own cows with a childhood friend. We sale cows each year and have done so in excess of twenty (20) years.

31. Are you now an officer or director or involved in the management of any business enterprise? Explain the nature of the business, your duties, and the term of your service.

No.

32. 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)? If so, give the dates of your employment or activity in such capacity and specify by whom you were directed or employed.

No.

33. Provide, as a **separate attachment**, a complete, current financial net worth statement that itemizes in detail:

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

- (a) the identity and value of all financial assets held, directly or indirectly, including, but not limited to, bank accounts, real estate, securities, trusts, investments, and other financial holdings; and
- (b) the identity and amount of each liability owed, directly or indirectly, which is in excess of \$1,000, including, but not limited to, debts, mortgages, loans, and other financial obligations.

(A net worth statement form is provided with this questionnaire and you must use this format for submission of your financial statement.)

NOTE: The Commission may require written confirmation that financial obligations have been satisfied or that the parties have agreed upon a payment schedule.

34. Has a tax lien or other collection procedure ever been instituted against you by federal, state, or local authorities? Have you ever defaulted on a student loan? Have you ever filed for bankruptcy? If so, give details.

No.

35. 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.

I have accepted an invitation to attend the South Carolina Association of Justice's Conference in Hilton Head in August, 2018. I also will accept an invitation to the South Carolina Defense Trial Lawyer's Annual Conference in the fall. I report these annually on the Rule 501, SCACR Disclosure Statement form.

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?

None.

37. List the recipient and amount of all contributions made by you, a member of your immediate family, or by a business with whom you are associated, to members of the General Assembly within the past four years.

None.

38. Have you or has anyone acting on your behalf solicited or collected funds to aid in the promotion of your candidacy? If so, please specify the amount, solicitor, donor, and date of the solicitation.

No.

39. 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 or currently hold. Explain how you would resolve any potential conflict of interest.

I rent property I own myself and property owned in conjunction with my siblings. The property I own is rented to a deputy sheriff. In the event he were a witness in a case before me, I would disclose the relationship and offer to recuse myself. If he appeared as a party, I would recuse myself.

The property owned with my siblings is handled by a management company in Colleton County. If the management company were to appear as a "witness" through one of its employees, I would disclose the relationship and offer to recuse myself. If it appeared as a party, I would recuse myself.

I have an ownership interest in an LLC which owns real property used for recreational and investment purposes. I own an interest in the LLC with a former law partner and an attorney. I would recuse myself from matters in which they were involved.

I formerly held title to the land where my wife's medical practice was located. I previously deeded the property to my wife. My wife has a contractual relationship with AnMed Hospital and also leases the property to AnMed. I disclose my wife's relationship when the hospital is a litigant and offer to recuse myself. I would obviously recuse myself from any matter in which my wife was a party or a material witness.

40. Describe any interest you or a member of your immediate family has in real property:
- (a) in which there is a potential conflict of interest with your involvement in a South Carolina state or local public agency;

None.

- (b) in which there have been public improvements of \$200 or that adjoins property in which there have been public improvements of \$200; or

None.

- (c) which was sold, leased, or rented to a state or local public agency in South Carolina.

None.

List the interest you hold and the value and location of the property. Identify as applicable the:

- (a) nature of any potential conflict of interest;
None.
- (b) nature and value of any public improvements; and
None.
- (c) South Carolina state or local public agency which purchased or is leasing or renting such property.
None.

Attach a copy of any contract or agreement.

41. Identify any personal property interest you or a member of your immediate family sold, leased, or rented to a South Carolina state or local public agency. Identify the property, its amount or value, and the name of the agency. Attach a copy of any contract or agreement.

None.

42. For sitting judges, if you currently hold an interest in stock or other securities or have held such an interest, list each stock you currently own or owned during the prior calendar year. If you prefer, you may attach broker or account records containing the requested information instead of listing it here.

- a) Raymond James (Candidate and Spouse)
- b) Vanguard (Joint with Spouse)
- c) Amundi Pioneer (Candidate)
- d) Duke Energy (Candidate and Spouse)
- e) Enbridge (Candidate and Spouse)
- f) Mart Net (Candidate)
- g) AnMed Health (Spouse)
- h) S.C. Peba (Deferred Compensation) (Candidate)

43. For sitting judges, have you ever accepted anything of value from an attorney or litigant in a matter currently or previously before you or your court? If so, please give the details, including the name of the attorney or litigant and the thing of value you received.

No.

44. For sitting judges, have you used the services of your staff, for which you did not pay, while campaigning for this office?

No.

45. 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? If so, give details but do not include traffic violations which are subject to a penalty of \$125 or less. You must include any and all arrests, including, but not limited to, offenses for driving under the influence or similar traffic offenses. Include all arrests that resulted in expungement, which will be redacted. If you have questions regarding whether to include an offense, please contact the Commission.

1991: I was charged with DUI by Caycee Police Department on July 13, 1991. The disposition of the charge was plea to reckless driving.

1993: I was charged with DUI by a State Trooper (Greenville County) on November 14, 1993. I was found not guilty by a jury

*(Note: These were covered during screening in 2009.)

46. Have you, to your knowledge, ever been under federal, state, or local investigation for possible violation of a criminal statute? If yes, explain.

No.

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.

- a) Christi M. McIntosh v. Rivers Lawton McIntosh (1996-DR-04-2167) November 26, 1997. Divorce on grounds of Continuous Separation for More Than One Year.
- b) Melvin Julius Robinson v Perpetual Bank, FSB, et al (1997-CP-04-00853) This was a pro-se case against numerous defendants asserting multiple "causes of action" stemming from the plaintiff's arrest and the use of his bank card. I was named as a party defendant because I was the attorney for the bank (Perpetual Bank, FSB). By Order filed March 10, 1998, I was dismissed as a party along with other individually named employees of the bank.
- c) R. Lawton McIntosh v Celtic Life Insurance Co. (1999-CP-04-1171) In this case, I brought suit against my health insurance company for bad faith and breach of contract based on its refusal to pay applicable benefits for a knee surgery. This insurance company denied coverage, asserting a non-reported, pre-existing knee condition. During discovery, it was determined that my pre-existing knee condition was reported; and the claim was paid. This case was dismissed on June 7, 2000.
- d) National City Mortgage Co. d/b/a v Jerry Garton a/k/a (2005-CP-04-1926) This was a foreclosure action against the named defendant. I was named as a defendant by virtue of being the attorney for a judgment creditor of a possible previous owner. The relevant portion of the caption reads "...Perpetual Bank, FSB c/o Attorney L. McIntosh". I was not actually a party to the action.

- e) Since being elected, I have seen pleadings come through with my name on the caption. I checked Anderson and Oconee Counties, with the assistance of the Clerks of Court and did not locate any cases where I am a named party. Accordingly, I am unaware of being named as a defendant or respondent (nor in any other capacity) in any case since being elected to the Circuit Court.
- f) I have never been sued by a client.

48. If you are in private practice, are you covered by malpractice insurance and, if so, how long have you carried malpractice insurance? If applicable, have you ever been covered by a tail policy? If so, please explain when you were covered by a tail policy. Also, if applicable, indicate your coverage and deductible for your current malpractice policy.

Not Applicable

49. Have you ever, in South Carolina or any other jurisdiction, as a lawyer, judge, or other professional, been sanctioned or disciplined for lawyer, judicial, or other professional misconduct or has any jurisdiction found that you committed any misconduct? If so, give the details and describe any final disposition. Include any and all confidential and public sanction, discipline, or finding of misconduct of any kind.

[Yes and no responses are redacted for all candidates unless there is a public discipline.]

50. Have you ever been investigated by the Department of Social Services? If so, give the details and the resolution. Has your name ever been enrolled on the Central Registry of Child Abuse and Neglect? If so, give the details.

No.

Note: The flash drive with your application materials contains (1) Section 2-19-70(c); (2) JMSC Rule 24, and (3) informal opinions and letters concerning pledging prohibitions, with which third parties acting on your behalf, as well as you, must comply.

51. 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 or have you been offered a conditional pledge of support by any legislator pending the outcome of your screening? 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? If so, give details.

No.

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.

No.

53. Are you familiar with the 48-hour rule, which prohibits a candidate from seeking pledges until after the draft report becomes final, which occurs on the day and time specified on the Commission's published screening schedule?

Yes.

54. Since submitting your letter of intent to become a candidate, have you or has 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 Thursday, July 13, 2013 I contacted Lindi Legare about not receiving my flash drive or paperwork for re-election. My administrative assistant also called on a couple of occasions to the offices of the Judicial Merit Selection Commission concerning the same issue.

55. List the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of five (5) persons from whom you are providing references. Also, provide the Commission with original letters of recommendation from each person listed herein, including their signature (preferably in blue ink). **The Commission will not accept a photocopy or electronic submission of a letter of recommendation and failure to include all five (5) original letters of recommendation in your packet when you submit it will render your packet incomplete.** Please **do not** have references mail your reference letters to the Commission directly. *You must return the five (5) original letters of recommendation to the Commission with your application packet.*

- (a) Gray Suggs
Suggs Johnson, LLC
Post Office Box 102
Anderson, South Carolina 29622
(864) 226-0306
- (b) Richard A. Shirley
Anderson County Clerk of Court
100 South Main Street
Anderson, South Carolina 29624
(864) 260-4053

- (c) Shawn McGee, President
The People's Bank
801 East Front Street
Iva, South Carolina 29655
(864) 348-6181
- (d) Masters Campbell
451 Long Road
Williamston, South Carolina 29697
(864) 617-8669
- (e) Bryant Elrod
351 Wilson Road
Williamston, South Carolina 29697
(864) 958-3150

56. Are you active on or a member of a social media or Internet site or have you, to your knowledge, been featured or depicted on a social media or Internet site, such as, Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, etc.? If so, how would your use of social media or other similar types of Internet sites be affected if you were serving in a judicial capacity?

No.

57. 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.

None.

- (a)
- (b)
- (c)

58. 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. This information may include how your life experiences have affected or influenced the kind or type of judge you have been or plan to be.

I was born and raised in Anderson County. My father was an attorney and my mother a homemaker. My parents instilled fiscal conservatism and a strong work ethic in my siblings and me. My parents taught us to treat people with respect and dignity regardless of their origin, color or station in life.

During high school and college, I was involved with organized sports which required me to budget my time and to be physically disciplined. I have tried to continue these traits and to incorporate them in my career. I am married to an orthopedic surgeon. We built our home on her family farm. The family has lived on and operated the farm for over one hundred years. My wife and I have strong values and a traditional view of the value of hard work.

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: _____

Sworn to before me this ____ day of _____, 2018.

(Notary Signature)

(Notary Printed Name)
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: _____