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The Virginia State Bar publishes the *Virginia Lawyer Register* five times annually. The *Register* is primarily a compilation of disciplinary actions against attorneys licensed to practice law in the commonwealth; administrative suspensions; legal ethics opinions; and proposed amendments to the Rules of the Virginia Supreme Court. All documents submitted to the state bar for inclusion in the *Register* are subject to alteration as to typography and formatting, in order to conform to the requirements of the *Register*, without changing the intent of any document.

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Steven Frank Helm	Salem, VA	September 28, 2011		n/a
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Tina Elizabeth Orr	Virginia Beach, VA	August 19, 2011		n/a
Jesse Scott Shelor	Vinton, VA	September 6, 2011		n/a
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Suspension – Failure to Comply with Subpoena				
		Effective Date	Lifted	
Joseph Rocco Caprio	West Point, VA	September 8, 2011	September 9, 2011	n/a
John Warren Hart	Virginia Beach, VA	July 19, 2011	July 27, 2011	n/a
David Glenn Hubbard	Tysons Corner, VA	August 31, 2011	September 9, 2011	n/a
Mary Meade	Fairfax, VA	August 26, 2011		
Tina Elizabeth Orr	Norfolk, VA	October 12, 2011		
Robert Henry Smallemberg	Ashland, VA	July 28, 2011	August 2, 2011	n/a
		August 4, 2011	August 8, 2011	n/a
		September 20, 2011	September 23, 2011	n/a
		September 20, 2011	October 3, 2011	n/a

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The following are summaries of disciplinary actions for violations of the Virginia Rules of Professional Conduct (RPC) (Rules of the Virginia Supreme Court Part 6, ¶ II, eff. Jan. 1, 2000) or another of the Supreme Court Rules.

Copies of disciplinary orders are available at the Web link provided with each summary or by contacting the Virginia State Bar Clerk's Office at (804) 775-0539 or clerk@vsb.org. VSB docket numbers are provided.

CIRCUIT COURTS

RAYMOND LEWIS PALMER

Richmond, Virginia

10-033-082112

On September 8, 2011, a three-judge panel of the Circuit Court for the City of Richmond issued a public admonition with terms to Raymond Lewis Palmer for violating the professional rule that governs safekeeping property. The court also issued a dismissal for exceptional circumstances sanction for violating rules that govern diligence and declining and terminating representation. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.3; 1.15 and 1.16

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Palmer-101311.pdf>

BENJAMIN THOMAS REED

Norfolk, Virginia

10-021-082582, 10-021-084359, 11-021-085874

On September 12, 2011, a three judge circuit court panel with the Circuit Court of the City of Norfolk issued a public reprimand with terms to Benjamin Thomas Reed for violating professional rules that govern diligence and communication. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.3(a); 1.4(a) (b)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Reed-101311.pdf>

ROBERT HENRY SMALLENBERG

Ashland, Virginia

09-032-078278

Effective August 27, 2011, a three judge panel sitting at the Hanover County Circuit Court suspended Robert Henry Smallenberg's license to practice law for thirty days and ordered him to pay \$2,500 in restitution to a client for violating professional rules that govern diligence, communication, safekeeping of property, and declining or terminating representation. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.3 (a); 1.4 (a); 1.15(c)(3); 1.15(c)(4); 1.16(d) and 1.16(e)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Smallenberg-012811.pdf>

Virginia Lawyer Register Online

For easier access to the documents cited in this magazine, the *Virginia Lawyer Register* is posted with live Internet links at

http://www.vsb.org/docs/valawyerjournal/Register_2011-11.pdf.

DISCIPLINARY BOARD

EILEEN MARIE ADDISON

Yorktown, Virginia

08-060-073840

On August 8, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board imposed a public reprimand on Eileen Marie Addison for violating a professional rule that governs timely disclosure of existence of evidence that could help a defendant and for other misconduct. This is an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 3.8(d); 8.4(a)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Addison-082511.pdf>

STEPHEN ALAN BAMBERGER

Dumfries, Virginia

08-052-073229

On August 23, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board issued a public reprimand to Stephen Alan Bamberger for violating professional rules that govern competence and scope of representation. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.1; 1.2 (a)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Bamberger-090911.pdf>

TRACEY SUZANN FOUGHTY-DEAVERS

Fairfax, Virginia

11-000-088251

On August 26, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board revoked Tracey Suzann Foughty-Deavers's license to practice law for failing to notify clients of the February 11, 2011, and April 20, 2011, suspensions of her license to practice law. Rules Part 6, § IV, ¶ 13-29

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Deavers-101311.pdf>

DAVID McCrory ESTABROOK

Arlington, Virginia

08-052-071266

On June 20, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board imposed a public reprimand with terms on David McCrory Estabrook for violating professional rules that govern frivolous claims, frivolous discovery requests, criminal or disciplinary charges intended solely to gain an advantage in a civil matter, taking legal action merely to harass or maliciously injure another, and committing a deliberately wrongful act that reflects adversely on a lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness to practice. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 3.1, 3.4 (e) (I)(j); 8.4 (b)

http://www.vsb.org/docs/Estabrook_Final_2011-06-30.pdf

EUGENE BRIAN HARRIS

Portsmouth, Virginia

10-000-08113, 10-000-078799

On September 27, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board revoked Eugene Brian Harris's license to practice law. In consenting to the revocation, Mr. Harris admitted that he was convicted of multiple felony counts of assault and battery of a police officer and larceny and that he could not successfully defend prosecution of charges based on the convictions. Rules Part 6, § IV, ¶ 13-28

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Harris-100311.pdf>

JOHN WARREN HART

Virginia Beach, Virginia

11-021-086720, 11-021-086858, 11-021-087568, 12-021-088557

On August 16, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board revoked John Warren Hart's license to practice law. In agreeing to the revocation, Mr. Hart acknowledged the material facts of pending disciplinary complaints and that he could not successfully defend them. He stipulated that he violated disciplinary rules that govern safekeeping property and misconduct that involves dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation and reflects adversely on an attorney's fitness to practice. Rules Part 6, § IV, ¶ 13-28

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Hart-090911.pdf>

ARNOLD REGINALD HENDERSON V

Richmond, Virginia

09-032-077156, 10-032-080595

On July 13, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board imposed a public reprimand with terms on Arnold Reginald Henderson V for violating professional rules that govern diligence, communication, and declining or terminating representation. This is an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.3(a); 1.4(a); 1.16(c-e)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Henderson-082511.pdf>

JEFFREY ANDREW LUHRSEN

Sarasota, Florida

11-000-087800

On August 26, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board suspended Jeffrey Andrew Luhrsen's license to practice law for thirty days, the same discipline imposed by the Supreme Court of Florida for ethical violations in that jurisdiction. The Virginia suspension became effective July 28, 2011 - the date that his Virginia license was summarily suspended pending a show cause hearing on the reciprocal discipline.

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Luhrsen-090211.pdf>

PAUL HAMPTON THOMSON

Winchester, Virginia

12-000-088570

On August 24, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board revoked Paul Hampton Thomson's license to practice law. In consenting to the revocation, Mr. Thomson admitted that he was convicted of multiple federal crimes involving destroying evidence and possession of cocaine. His license had been summarily suspended since June 26, 2011. He pled guilty and was convicted in the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Virginia. Rules Part 6, § IV, ¶ 13-28

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Thomson-090911.pdf>

KRISTINA KITTLE USRY

King George, Virginia

08-032-072773

On June 24, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board issued a public reprimand with terms to Kristina Kittle Usry for violating a professional rule that governs communication with persons represented by counsel. RPC 4.2

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Bamberger-090911.pdf>

DISTRICT COMMITTEES

JAMES ANTHONY BULLARD JR.

Richmond, Virginia

10-032-083196, 10-032-084358, 10-032-082580, 10-032-083635

On September 15, 2011, a Virginia State Bar Third District-Section II Subcommittee issued a public reprimand with terms to James Anthony Bullard Jr., for violating a professional rule that governs diligence. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.3 (a)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Bullard-092611.pdf>

PEYTON MONCURE CHICHESTER III

Richmond, Virginia

09-031-079771

On August 25, 2011, a Virginia State Bar Third District—Section I Subcommittee imposed a public reprimand on Peyton Moncure Chichester III for violating professional rules that govern diligence, communication, conflict of interest, and declining or terminating representation. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.3(a); 1.4(a); 1.7(a)(1); 1.16(a)(1), (d)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Chichester-090911.pdf>

SEUNG OH KANG

Annandale, Virginia

06-053-3768

On July 21, 2011, a Virginia State Bar Fifth District-Section III Subcommittee issued a public reprimand with terms to Seung Oh Kang for violating disciplinary rules that govern competence and communication. This was an agreed disposition of misconduct charges. RPC 1.1; 1.4(c)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Kang-072111.pdf>

WALTER WARE MORRISON

Virginia Beach, Virginia

10-021-081857

On July 26, 2011, a Virginia State Bar Second District Subcommittee issued a public reprimand with terms to Walter Ware Morrison for violating a professional rule that governs communication. RPC 1.4(a)

<http://www.vsb.org/docs/Morrison-072611.pdf>

**PROFESSIONAL GUIDELINES AVAILABLE
TO PRINT FROM WEBSITE**

Beginning in 2010, the Virginia State Bar Professional Guidelines were published online in a searchable HTML format that allows users to quickly access the sections they are looking for without flipping through pages or waiting for PDFs to download.

Because the format meets most VSB members' needs, print copies of the Professional Guidelines were not mailed with the October 2009, 2010, or 2011 issues of Virginia Lawyer. A limited number of 2009–10 edition copies were printed and provided to members on request in spring 2010.

The print version being out of date, we are now offering a way for member to print from the HTML pages with one click. The new one-click printing option should be available in early November at <http://www.vsb.org/pro-guidelines/index.php>.

The HTML version is updated throughout the year to provide a current version at all times. The print version has not been updated since the 2009–10 edition. Changes approved by the VSB Council and the Supreme Court of Virginia are published on the Rule Changes page at http://www.vsb.org/pro-guidelines/index.php/rule_changes/.

ATTORNEY NAME CHANGES

To change your name of record with the Virginia Supreme Court and the Virginia State Bar, do the following:

- Fill out an “Attorney Name Change” petition. The petitions — one for name change by circuit court order and another for name change by marriage — are posted at <http://www.courts.state.va.us/courts/scv/forms.html>.
- Send to the Supreme Court with a copy of the certificate of marriage or court order. The address is at the bottom of the forms.
- Include a check for \$14 if you want a new certificate of qualification, or \$10 if you do not want a certificate.

Name changes take about a month to process.

Questions should be addressed to the Supreme Court Clerk’s Office at 786-2251.

HAVE YOU MOVED?

KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH THE VSB

To check or change your address of record with the Virginia State Bar, take the following steps:

Go to the VSB Member Login at <https://member.vsb.org/vsbportal/>. Go to “Membership Information,” where your current address of record is listed. To change, go to “Edit Official Address of Record,” click the appropriate box, then click “next.” You can type your new address, phone numbers, and e-mail address on the form.

Contact the VSB Membership Department at membership@vsb.org or (804) 775-0530 with questions.

THE VSB E-NEWS

Have you been receiving the Virginia State Bar E-News?

It is sent once a month and is a brief summary of deadlines, programs, rule changes, and news.

The E-News is e-mailed to all VSB members except those who opt out.

If your Virginia State Bar E-News is being blocked by your spam filter, contact your e-mail administrator and ask to have the VSB.org domain added to your permissions list.

FINAL ETHICS OPINIONS

LEGAL ETHICS OPINION 1856

*SCOPE OF PRACTICE
FOR FOREIGN LAWYER IN VIRGINIA*

Details: <http://www.vacle.org/opinions/1856.htm>

PROPOSALS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

The following proposal is published for public comment and is scheduled to be considered at the Virginia State Bar Council meeting on February 25, 2012. Comments should be submitted in writing to Karen A. Gould, Executive Director, Virginia State Bar, 7907 E. Main Street, Suite 1500, Richmond, VA 23219, no later than end of business day on the day of deadline.

**RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
RULE 13, PROCEDURE FOR DISCIPLINING,
SUSPENDING, AND DISBARRING ATTORNEYS**

Deadline for comment: February 1, 2012

On October 5, 2011, the Virginia State Bar Standing Committee on Lawyer Discipline (COLD) approved a proposed amendment that would require service as a district committee member as a prerequisite for nomination for Disciplinary Board service.

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13-6 DISCIPLINARY BOARD

A. Appointment of Members. This Court shall appoint, upon recommendation of Council, 20 members of the Board, 16 of whom shall be active members of the Bar and four of whom shall be nonlawyers. One Attorney member shall be designated by the Court as Chair and two Attorney members as Vice Chairs, upon recommendations of Council. Before nominating any individual for membership on the Board, the Bar's nominating committee shall first determine that the nominee is willing to serve on the Board and will conscientiously discharge the responsibilities as a member of the Board. All nominees shall have previously served on a district committee. The Bar nominating committee shall also obtain a statement from the nominees, in writing, that the nominees are willing to serve on the Board, if elected and appointed. In order to be considered as a potential appointee to the Board, each potential appointee shall execute the following: (1) a waiver of confidentiality with respect to his or her Disciplinary Record and any pending Complaints and a release allowing production of his or her Disciplinary Record and pending Complaints from any jurisdiction for purposes of the appointment process; and (2) an authorization for the Bar to

conduct a criminal records check of all jurisdictions for any conviction of a Crime and provide the results to the members of Council and the staff of the Bar for purposes of the appointment process.

Details: http://www.vsb.org/pro-guidelines/index.php/rule_changes/item/proposed-para13-6-db

**JUDICIAL CONFERENCE'S FIVE ADVISORY
COMMITTEES SEEK COMMENTS ON PROPOSED
AMENDMENTS TO RULES**

The federal Judicial Conference Advisory Committees on the Appellate, Bankruptcy, Civil, Criminal, and Evidence rules have proposed amendments to their respective rules and requested comment. The proposed amendments, rules committee reports explaining the proposed changes, and other information are posted on the Judiciary's *Federal Rulemaking* website at <http://www.uscourts.gov/rules>. The advisory committees welcome comment on all aspects of each proposal.

Comments on the proposed amendments should be provided as soon as possible. The comment deadline is February 15, 2012. All comments, including suggestions or other correspondence, may be submitted electronically to Rules_Comments@ao.uscourts.gov or in hard copy to the Secretary of the Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, Washington, DC, 20544. The advisory committees will review all timely comments. All comments are made part of the official record and are available to the public.

The Advisory Committees on the Appellate, Bankruptcy, Civil, Criminal, and Evidence rules will hold public hearings on the proposed amendments on the following dates:

- Appellate Rules in Columbus, Ohio, on January 31, 2012, and in Washington, DC, on February 3, 2012;
- Bankruptcy Rules in Washington, DC, on January 13, 2012, and in Chicago, Illinois, on February 10, 2012;
- Civil Rules in Washington, DC, on November 7, 2011, in Phoenix, Arizona, on January 4, 2012, and in Chicago, Illinois, on January 27, 2012;
- Criminal Rules in Phoenix, Arizona, on January 6, 2012, and in Washington, DC, on February 6, 2012; and
- Evidence Rules in Phoenix, Arizona, on January 7, 2012, and in Washington, DC, on January 17, 2012.

Anyone wishing to testify must contact the committee secretary at the above address at least 30 days before the hearing.

After the public comment period, the advisory committees will decide whether to submit the proposed amendments to the Standing Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure. At this time, the standing committee has not approved these proposed amendments, except to authorize their publication for comment. The proposed amendments have not been submitted to or considered by the Judicial Conference or the Supreme Court.

RULE REVISION PROPOSALS PUBLISHED FOR COMMENT

The Advisory Committee on Rules of Court of the Judicial Council of Virginia has approved the draft rule revisions below for publication and receipt of comments from the public, the bench, and the bar. They relate to the developing option for “electronic filing” of cases in the Virginia courts.

Statutory changes were made by the General Assembly in the last two years authorizing the adoption and phase-in of procedures for electronic filing of cases in our courts. A large task force with members from many constituencies in Virginia has been at work for more than two years on the mechanisms for electronic filing to make them simple, reliable and clear.

As part of the developing efforts to implement “e-filing,” the Advisory Committee was asked to review Rules 1:17 and 3:3, which have been part of the Rules of Court in Virginia for many years, to consider amendments needed in order to ready the Rules for the expected advent of e-filing as Virginia court technology moves forward.

Details: <http://www.vsb.org/site/news/item/efiling-rule-revision-proposals>

NOTICES TO MEMBERS

MCLE REPORTING DEADLINE DEC. 15, 2011

The MCLE Form 1, End of Year Report, will be mailed by November 8. You may certify attendance online or by mail. See Form 1 instructions. Reminder: New MCLE Requirements began Nov. 1, 2011.

Certify online: <http://www.vsb.org/site/members/mcle-courses/>

Details: <http://www.vsb.org/site/members/faqs-2012-mcle-reg-changes>

AMENDMENTS TO VIRGINIA SUPREME COURT RULES 1A:3 AND PARAGRAPH 13-6(F)

The Rule 1A:3 Study Committee received numerous comments in response to the proposed revisions to Virginia Supreme Court Rule 1A:3 and Part 6, § IV, ¶ 13-6(F) that would change the current procedure for revoking certificates issued to lawyers admitted to practice under the reciprocity rule. Many of those comments addressed admissions issues within the jurisdiction of the Court. The committee referred the comments to the Court and will wait for further direction.

Details: http://www.vsb.org/pro-guidelines/index.php/rule_changes/item/rule-1a3-reciprocity

RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO RULE 7.1–7.5 *INFORMATION ABOUT LEGAL SERVICES*

The council unanimously approved amendments to Rules 7.1-7.5 of the Rules of Professional Conduct proposed by the Standing Committee on Legal Ethics and by the Executive Committee. The proposed amendments would make these rules more general in their application by removing the specific examples of lawyer advertising statements or claims from the body of the rules to the comment section. They would also remove unnecessary and redundant language.

Proposed amended rules:

http://www.vsb.org/docs/Proposed_7_1-7_5.pdf

Current rules:

<http://www.vsb.org/pro-guidelines/index.php/rules/information-about-legal-services/>

ATTORNEY RECORDS SEARCH FEATURES

The Virginia State Bar provides several ways to research an attorney’s status and record. The Attorney Records Search at <http://www.vsb.org/attorney/attSearch.asp> offers three options:

DISCIPLINED ATTORNEYS

Provides links to a Virginia attorney’s public disciplinary orders.

ATTORNEYS WITHOUT MALPRACTICE INSURANCE

A database of lawyers who have certified that they represent clients drawn from the public and do not carry legal malpractice insurance.

ATTORNEYS NOT IN GOOD STANDING

Members of the Virginia State Bar who are not eligible to practice law because their licenses are suspended administratively or suspended or revoked for disciplinary reasons.

NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR DISTRICT COMMITTEE VACANCIES

Deadline for nomination: February 1, 2012

The Virginia State Bar Standing Committee on Lawyer Discipline calls for nominations for district committee vacancies to be filled by the Virginia State Bar Council in June 2012. Note that some of the vacancies may not become available because some incumbent members are eligible for reappointment.

To review qualifications for eligibility, see Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia, Part 6, Section IV, Paragraph 13-4 –Establishment of District Committees, specifically 13-4.E (Qualifications of Members) and 13-4.F (Persons Ineligible for Appointment).

- First District Committee:** 2 attorney vacancies (both of which are eligible for reappointment); 1 nonattorney vacancy. The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, or 8th judicial circuits.
- Second District Committee, Section I:** 2 attorney vacancies. The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 2nd or 4th judicial circuits.
- Second District Committee, Section II:** 1 attorney vacancy. The vacancy is to be filled by a member from the 2nd or 4th judicial circuits.
- Third District Committee, Section I:** 3 attorney vacancies (1 current member eligible for reappointment).. The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 6th, 11th, 12th, 13th or 14th judicial circuits.
- Third District Committee, Section II:** 2 attorney vacancies (1 current member is eligible for reappointment); 1 nonattorney vacancy. The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 6th, 11th, 12th, 13th or 14th judicial circuits.
- Third District Committee, Section III:** 3 attorney vacancies (1 current member eligible for reappointment); 1 nonattorney vacancy (who is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 6th, 11th, 12th, 13th or 14th judicial circuits.
- Fourth District Committee, Section I:** 2 attorney vacancies. 1 nonattorney vacancy (who is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 17th or 18th judicial circuits.
- Fourth District Committee, Section II:** 1 attorney vacancy (1 current member is eligible for reappointment). 1 nonattorney vacancy (1 current member is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 17th or 18th judicial circuits.
- Fifth District Committee, Section I:** 3 attorney vacancies. The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 19th or 31st judicial circuits.
- Fifth District Committee, Section II:** 2 attorney vacancies (1 current member is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 19th or 31st judicial circuits.
- Fifth District Committee, Section III:** 2 attorney vacancies. One nonattorney vacancy (who is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 19th or 31st judicial circuits.
- Sixth District Committee:** 2 attorney vacancies (2 current members are eligible for reappointment). 1 nonattorney vacancy (who is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 9th or 15th judicial circuits.
- Seventh District Committee:** 1 attorney vacancy. 1 nonattorney vacancy The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 16th, 20th or 26th judicial circuits.
- Eighth District Committee:** 4 attorney vacancies (1 current member is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 23rd or 25th judicial circuits.
- Ninth District Committee:** 4 attorney vacancies (1 current member is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 10th, 21st, 22nd or 24th judicial circuits.
- Tenth District Committee, Section I:** 2 attorney vacancies. 2 nonattorney vacancies (1 current member is eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 27th, 28th, 29th or 30th judicial circuits.
- Tenth District Committee, Section II:** 3 attorney vacancies (2 current members are eligible for reappointment). The vacancies are to be filled by members from the 27th, 28th, 29th or 30th judicial circuits.

Nominations, along with a brief resume, should be sent by February 1, 2012 to Gwen Evans, Virginia State Bar, 707 East Main Street, Suite 1500, Richmond, Virginia 23219-2800