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NOTICE CONCERNING A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF CIRCUIT JUDGE 4TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, DIVISION 1 CIRCUIT COURT

The retirement of James C. Brantley, effective December 31, 2019, created a vacancy in the office of Circuit Judge, 4th Judicial Circuit, Division 1, consisting of Hopkins County. To be eligible to serve as a Circuit Judge you must:

- (a) be a citizen of the United States;
- (b) have been a resident of both the Commonwealth of Kentucky and of the circuit in which you seek appointment for two years next preceding taking office, and
- (c) be licensed to practice law in the courts of the Commonwealth as well as a licensed attorney for at least eight years.

Any person meeting these qualifications and desiring consideration for nomination to the Governor, or any citizen desiring to recommend a person or persons with these qualifications, *shall notify the Judicial Nominating Commission by communicating the name(s) to the executive secretary on or before **March 16, 2020**, (see SCR 6.030). A questionnaire will be forwarded to those individuals. A questionnaire in pdf format may be downloaded at <http://courts.ky.gov/Pages/default.aspx>.

Anyone interested in being considered for the vacancy must return the completed questionnaire along with **nine** (unbound) copies on or before **March 30, 2020**, to the address below:

**Judicial Nominating Commission
Attn: Kathy R. Stevens
Office of Chief Justice
State Capitol, Room 230
700 Capitol Avenue
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****Please contact Kathy R. Stevens, Executive Secretary Judicial Nominating Commission, at (502)564-4162 to give notice of your interest in this vacancy or to recommend a qualified individual.***