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Twelve Attorneys Apply for Judicial Vacancy in Shelby County

Nashville, Tenn. – Twelve Memphis area attorneys applied for the judicial vacancy in the 30th Judicial District in Shelby County. The Judicial Nominating Commission will hold a public meeting on Saturday, December 19 to interview the following candidates:

Mischelle Alexander-Best

Shelby County Public Defender's Office
Eads, Tennessee

Jeff A. Crow, Jr.

Attorney
Germantown, Tennessee

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Attorney
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Assistant United States Attorney, Civil Division
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Attorney
Germantown, Tennessee

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Attorney
Collierville, Tennessee

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Memphis, Tennessee

William M. Monroe
Attorney
Memphis, Tennessee

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Attorney
Memphis, Tennessee

The Judicial Nominating Commission will hold their next executive committee meeting on Saturday, December 19, 2009, at 8:30 a.m. CDT in Memphis. The public hearing will be held at 9 a.m. During the public hearing, attorneys and members of the public may express their approval or objections to the candidates. Following the public hearing, the commission will interview each applicant before recommending three candidates to the governor. Members of the public are invited to attend the executive committee meeting, the public hearing and the interviews.

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