UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE OV 30 PM 1: 50

Re: APPOINTMENT OF A MERIT SELECTION PANEL Administrative Order No. 2010-23
TO CONSIDER THE REAPPOINTMENT OF
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGES

The current term of the Honorable Diane K. Vescovo, United States Magistrate Judge, is due to expire in June 2011. The current term of the Honorable Tu M. Pham, United States Magistrate Judge, is due to expire in April 2011. In consideration of these events and in accordance with the requirements of the Federal Magistrates Act, as amended (28 U.S.C. § 631 et seq.), the District Judges of the United States District Court for the Western District of Tennessee hereby appoint the following residents to serve as a Merit Selection Panel:

Jenna Littrell, Esq., Chair

Joe Byrd, Esq.

Amy Pepke, Esq.

Judith A. Drescher

John Speer, Esq.

Earl W. Houston, II, Esq.

LaShell Vaughn

Andre B. Mathis. Esq.

Bernard Weinman, Esq.

The Merit Selection Panel shall review each incumbent's current service as magistrate judge, the comments from members of the bar and public, and other evidence of the incumbent's good character, legal ability, temperament and commitment to equal justice under the law. The panel shall report to the court, within ninety day after the date of this order, its recommendation as to whether Magistrate Judge Diane K. Vescovo and Magistrate Judge Tu M. Pham should be reappointed to an additional term of office.

The Clerk of Court is directed to cause to be published public notices regarding the reappointment of Magistrate Judge Diane K. Vescovo and Magistrate Judge Tu M. Pham . The notices shall be published as specified in the Guide to Judiciary Polices and shall be filed and posted in the office of the Clerk of Court and provided to the Director of the Administrative Office.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 30 day of Nov., 2010.

For the Court:

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JON PHIPPS McCALLA
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE