SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT NOMINATING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF MAGISTRATE JUDGE VACANCY IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, POSITION 1

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

The Second Judicial District Nominating Commission will convene at 9:00 a.m., on November 20, 2024, at the Jefferson County Courthouse, 300 Jefferson Street, Oskaloosa, Kansas, to interview and appoint a district magistrate judge to fill the vacancy on the Jefferson County District Court, position 1, upon the January 13, 2024, retirement of the Honorable Dennis Reiling.

Statutes require a district magistrate judge to be a graduate of a high school or secondary school or the equivalent; to be a resident of Jefferson County at the time of taking the oath of office and maintain residency in Jefferson County while holding such office; and to either be a lawyer admitted to practice law in Kansas or to pass an examination given by the Supreme Court and to become certified within 18 months, as provided by K.S.A. 20-334; 20-337; and 20-338.

The Commission will welcome recommendations of nominees to fill the position. Recommendations must be accompanied by a nomination form which is available from the Clerk of the Appellate Court, online at <u>www.kscourts.gov/judges</u> or from the District Court Clerk in each of the following counties: Jackson, Jefferson, Pottawatomie, and Wabaunsee. The nomination form must be completed and signed by the nominee.

An original and nine copies of the nomination form, together with a like number of any supporting letters, should be submitted on or before **noon**, on **November 5, 2024**, to:

Justice Caleb Stegall Kansas Judicial Center 301 SW 10th Avenue Topeka, Kansas 66612-1507

In lieu of submitting paper copies of the form and attachments, the nominee may submit one copy of the form electronically as instructed on the nomination form to: jdnc.nominationform@kscourts.org. The electronic form must be received by **noon on** November 5, 2024.

Justice Caleb Stegall, Departmental Chair Second Judicial District Nominating Commission