

**UNITED STATES SENATE
COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY**

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR NON-JUDICIAL NOMINEES

PUBLIC

1. **Name**: State full name (include any former names used)

Brian Harrist Barber

2. **Position**: State the position for which you have been nominated.

United States Marshal for the Western District of Louisiana, Department of Justice

3. **Address**: List current office address. If city and state of residence differs from your place of employment, please list the city and state where you currently reside.

Office: 1244 Texas Avenue
Shreveport, LA 71101

4. **Birthplace**: State date and place of birth.

1966; Shreveport, LA

5. **Education**: List in reverse chronological order each college, law school, or any other institution of higher education attended and indicate for each the dates of attendance, whether a degree was received, and the date each degree was received.

University of Mississippi School of Law, 1989-1992
Juris Doctorate

Louisiana State University-Baton Rouge, 1995-1989
Bachelor of Science

Northeast Louisiana University, 1988-1988
No degree received.

Louisiana State University-Shreveport, 1986-1986
No degree received.

Louisiana State University-Shreveport, 1985-1985
No degree received.

6. **Employment Record:** List in reverse chronological order all governmental agencies, business or professional corporations, companies, firms, or other enterprises, partnerships, institutions or organizations, non-profit or otherwise, with which you have been affiliated as an officer, director, partner, proprietor, or employee since graduation from college, whether or not you received payment for your services. Include the name and address of the employer and job title or description.

January 2015-Present
Judge
City of Shreveport/State of Louisiana
505 Travis Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

April 2024-Present
Brian H. Barber, Attorney at Law
Medical Review Panel Chairman
9087 Southern Charm Drive
Shreveport, LA 71115

October 2008-November 2014
Assistant District Attorney
Caddo Parish District Attorney's Office
501 Texas Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

December 2007-October 2008
Assistant District Attorney
Desoto/Sabine District Attorney's Office
208 Adams Street
Mansfield, LA 71052

December 2007-October 2008
Associate
Plummer and Means
214 Adams Street
Mansfield, LA 71052

April 2004-December 2007
Assistant District Attorney
Caddo Parish District Attorney's Office
501 Texas Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

October 1993-April 2004
Assistant City Attorney/City Prosecutor/Special Assistant
District Attorney

Shreveport City Attorney's Office
505 Travis Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

January 1993-August 1993
Law Clerk
First Judicial District Court of Louisiana
501 Texas Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

October 1992-December 1992
Law Clerk
Fred Rogers, Attorney at Law
4415 Thornhill Avenue
Shreveport, LA 71106

October 1991-May 1992
Law Clerk
Roberts and Clisby, Attorneys at Law
1212 East Van Buren Avenue
Oxford, MS 38655

April 1990-May 1992
Self-Employed
169 Sorority Row
University, Mississippi 38655

Uncompensated Affiliations:

January 2015-Present
Louisiana City Court Judges Association
P.O. Box 2148
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

October 2022-October 2023 President
October 2021-October 2022 Vice-President
October 2020-October 2021 Secretary
October 2019-October 2020 Treasurer

October 1993-Present
Louisiana State Bar Association
601 St. Charles Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70130-3404

January 2001-December 2004
October 1993-January 2001

Young Lawyer District 8 Representative
Member

October 1993-Present
Shreveport Bar Association
625 Texas Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

December 1996-Present	Member
January 1996-December 1996	President- Young Lawyers Section
October 1993-January 1996	Member

7. **Military Service and Draft Status:** Identify any service in the U.S. Military, including dates of service, branch of service, rank or rate, serial number (if different from social security number) and type of discharge received, and whether you have registered for selective service.

I have not served in the U.S. Military. I registered for selective service.

8. **Honors and Awards:** List any scholarships, fellowships, honorary degrees, academic or professional honors, honorary society memberships, military awards, and any other special recognition for outstanding service or achievement.

Louisiana Outstanding Young Lawyer of the Year Award, 2000

9. **Bar Associations:** List all bar associations or legal or judicial-related committees, selection panels or conferences of which you are or have been a member, and give the titles and dates of any offices which you have held in such groups.

January 2015-Present
Louisiana City Court Judges Association
P.O. Box 2148
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

October 2023-October 2022	President
October 2022-October 2021	Vice-President
October 2021-October 2020	Secretary
October 2020-October 2019	Treasurer
October 2017-October 2019	Mentor Committee Chair

October 1993-Present
Louisiana State Bar Association
601 St. Charles Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70130-3404

January 2001-December 2004	Young Lawyer District 8 Representative
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October 1993-Present
Shreveport Bar Association
625 Texas Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

December 1996-Present	Member
January 1996-December 1996	President- Young Lawyers Section
October 1993-January 1996	Member

May 1994-Present
State Bar of Texas
1414 Colorado Street
Austin, TX 78701
May 1994-Present

Member

10. Bar and Court Admission:

- a. List the date(s) you were admitted to the bar of any state and any lapses in membership. Please explain the reason for any lapse in membership.

Louisiana State Bar, April 1993
Texas State Bar, May 1994

There have been no lapses in membership.

- b. List all courts in which you have been admitted to practice, including dates of admission and any lapses in membership. Please explain the reason for any lapse in membership. Give the same information for administrative bodies that require special admission to practice.

October 25, 1993 United States District Court Western District of Louisiana

11. Memberships:

- a. List all professional, business, fraternal, scholarly, civic, charitable, or other organizations, other than those listed in response to Questions 9 or 10 to which you belong, or to which you have belonged, since graduation from law school. Provide dates of membership or participation, and indicate any office you held. Include clubs, working groups, advisory or editorial boards, panels, committees, conferences, or publications.

National Rifle Association, January 2023-December 2024

Calvary Baptist Academy School Board member, January 2018-December 2022

Louisiana Judges' Supplemental Compensation Fund Board Member, January 2021-December 2023

Southern Hills Homeowners' Association, January 2024-Present

Southern Hills Business Association, January 2014-Present

Shreveport/Caddo Fraternal Order of Police, January 2014-Present

North Shreveport Business Association, January 2014-Present

St. Charles Neighborhood Association, September 2011-March 2018

Louisiana District Attorneys Association, January 2004-December 2014

American Inns of Court, January 2004-December 2008

Independence Bowl Foundation Member, January 2004-December 2023

Shreveport Little League Board Member, January 2004- December 2010

Ellerbe Road Estates Neighborhood Association, August 2003-September 2011

Red Mass Society, January 2000-Present

Towne South Neighborhood Association, January 1999-August 2003

Captain Shreve High School Alumni Association, January 1999-December 2007

Volunteer for Youth Justice Board Member, January 1994-December 1996

Caddo Parish Teen Court Judge, January 1996-December 2006

Y.M.C.A. Executive Committee Member, January 2002-December 2003

- b. Indicate whether any of these organizations listed in response to 11a above currently discriminate or formerly discriminated on the basis of race, sex, religion or national origin either through formal membership requirements or the practical implementation of membership policies. If so, describe any action you have taken to change these policies and practices.

To my knowledge, none of these organizations discriminates or formerly discriminated on the basis of race, sex, religion, or national origin either through formal membership requirements or the practical implementation of membership policies.

12. **Published Writings and Public Statements:**

- a. List the titles, publishers, and dates of books, articles, reports, letters to the editor, editorial pieces, or other published material you have written or edited, including material published only on the Internet. Supply four (4) copies of all published material to the Committee.

I have done my best to identify all books, articles, reports, letters to the editor, editorial pieces and other published materials, including a thorough review of my personal files and searches of publicly available electronic databases. I have not located any responsive items. Despite my searches, there may be other materials that I have been unable to identify, find, or remember.

- b. Supply four (4) copies of any reports, memoranda or policy statements you prepared or contributed in the preparation of on behalf of any bar association, committee, conference, or organization of which you were or are a member. If you do not have a copy of a report, memorandum or policy statement, give the name and address of the organization that issued it, the date of the document, and a summary of its subject matter.

I have done my best to identify reports, memoranda, or policy statements as described, including a thorough review of my personal files and searches of publicly available electronic databases. I have not located any responsive items. Despite my searches, there may be other materials that I have been unable to identify, find, or remember.

- c. Supply four (4) copies of any testimony, official statements or other communications relating, in whole or in part, to matters of public policy or legal interpretation, that you have issued or provided or that others presented on your behalf to public bodies or public officials.

I have done my best to identify testimony, official statements or other communications relating to matters of public policy or legal interpretation as described, including a thorough review of my personal files and searches of publicly available electronic databases. I have not located any responsive items. Despite my searches, there may be other materials that I have been unable to identify, find, or remember.

- d. Supply four (4) copies, transcripts or recordings of all speeches or talks delivered by you, including commencement speeches, remarks, lectures, panel discussions, conferences, political speeches, and question-and-answer sessions. Include the date and place where they were delivered, and readily available press reports about the speech or talk. If you do not have a copy of the speech or a transcript or recording of your remarks, give the name and address of the group before whom the speech was given, the date of the speech, and a summary of its subject matter. If you did not speak from a prepared text, furnish a copy of any outline or notes from which you spoke.

I have done my best to identify transcripts or recordings of all speeches or talks delivered, including a thorough review of my personal files and searches of publicly available electronic databases. Despite my searches, there may be other materials I have been unable to identify, find, or remember. I have located the following:

2025 Fall Judges Conference City Court Appellate Decisions at the Louisiana Judges Fall Conference, October 7, 2025 (Louisiana Judicial College, Fall Judges Conference, New Orleans, LA). Available here:
<https://lajudicialcollege.org/City%20Court%20Updates.pdf>

Self-Represented Litigant and Sovereign Citizens at the 2025 LADOJ Fall JPC Training & Conference, Sept. 25, 2025 (Live Casino & Hotel Louisiana, Bossier City, La.). Copies unavailable.

City Track: Round Table and Recent Developments at the City, Family, & Juvenile Judges Conference, Aug. 8, 2025 (The Windsor Court, New Orleans, La.). Copies supplied.

Sovereign Citizens- What Judges Need to Know at the Louisiana Judges Spring Conference, Apr. 3, 2025 (L'Auberge Casino Resort, Lake Charles, La.). Copies unavailable.

City Court Update at the Shreveport Bar Association Continuing Education Program, Dec. 19, 2024 (The Shreveport Petroleum Club, Shreveport, La.). Copies Supplied.

City Court Operations Round Table at the Nuts & Bolts Conference, June 5, 2024 (Embassy Suites by Hilton, Destin, Fla.). Copies Supplied.

- e. List all interviews you have given to newspapers, magazines or other publications, or radio or television stations, providing the dates of these interviews and four (4) copies of the clips or transcripts of these interviews where they are available to you.

I have done my best to identify all interviews given, including a thorough review of my personal files and searches of publicly available electronic databases. Despite my searches, there may be other materials I have been unable to identify, find, or remember. I have located the following:

Halftime Radio Guest for the Captain Shreve High Football Game, The River 95.7 FM (live broadcast Sept. 22, 2022). Copies unavailable.

Halftime Radio Guest for the Captain Shreve High Football Game, The River 95.7 FM (live broadcast Sept. 21, 2023). Copies unavailable.

Court upholds career criminal's life sentence, Shreveport Times (Dec. 4, 2008).
Copies supplied.

Appellate court affirms extended prison sentences, Shreveport Times (Oct. 1, 2008). Copies supplied.

Career criminal faces possible life sentence, Shreveport Times (Sept. 5, 2008).
Copies supplied.

Rapist, drug dealer learns fates in Desoto court, Shreveport Times (June 20, 2008). Copies supplied.

Woman gets years in jail for selling drugs to man who dies, Shreveport Times (July 22, 2008). Copies supplied.

Speedy trial sought over mayor's death, Shreveport Times (May 24, 2008).
Copies supplied.

Woman pleads guilty in death of man to whom she sold drugs, Shreveport Times (Apr. 11, 2008). Copies supplied

Man convicted of rape, another pleads to incest, Shreveport Times (Apr. 11, 2008). Copies supplied.

2 local men convicted as habitual offenders, Shreveport Times (Dec. 7, 2007).
Copies supplied.

Ex-QB Quincy Carter pleads guilty to marijuana charge, Shreveport Times (Nov. 29, 2007). Copies supplied.

13. Public Office, Political Activities and Affiliations:

- a. List chronologically any public offices you have held, other than judicial offices, including the terms of service and whether such positions were elected or appointed. If appointed, please include the name of the individual who appointed you. Also, state chronologically any unsuccessful candidacies you have had for elective office or unsuccessful nominations for appointed office.

January 1993-August 1993

Appointed Law Clerk for the First Judicial District Court by District Judge Charles Scott

October 1993-April 2004

Appointed Assistant City Attorney for Shreveport by City Attorney Jerry Jones & Ramon Lafitte

April 2004-December 2007
Appointed Assistant District Attorney for Caddo Parish by District Attorney Paul Carmouche

December 2007-October 2008
Appointed Assistant District Attorney for Desoto/Sabine Parish by District Attorney Don Burkett

October 2008-November 2014
Appointed Assistant District Attorney for Caddo Parish by District Attorney Charles Scott

- b. List all memberships and offices held in and services rendered, whether compensated or not, to any political party or election committee. If you have ever held a position or played a role in a political campaign, identify the particulars of the campaign, including the candidate, dates of the campaign, your title and responsibilities.

January 2002-Present	Member of Caddo Parish Republican Party
February 2022-Present	Member of Republican Women of Caddo Parish
August 2006-August 2006	Voluntarily supported Jerry Jones Campaign for Shreveport Mayor

14. **Legal Career:** Answer each part separately.

- a. Describe chronologically your law practice and legal experience after graduation from law school including:
- i. whether you served as clerk to a judge, and if so, the name of the judge, the court and the dates of the period you were a clerk;

01/1993-08/1993	Appointed Law Clerk for the First Judicial District Court by District Judge Charles Scott
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- ii. whether you practiced alone, and if so, the addresses and dates;

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9087 Southern Charm Drive
Shreveport, LA 71115

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Medical Review Panel Chairman
9087 Southern Charm Drive

Shreveport, LA 71115

- iii. the dates, names and addresses of law firms or offices, companies or governmental agencies with which you have been affiliated, and the nature of your affiliation with each.

October 1991-May 1992

Law Clerk

Roberts and Clisby, Attorneys at Law

1212 East Van Buren Avenue

Oxford, MS 38655

October 1992-December 1992

Law Clerk

Fred Rogers, Attorney at Law

4415 Thornhill Avenue

Shreveport, LA 71106

January 1993-August 1993

Law Clerk

First Judicial District Court of Louisiana

501 Texas Street

Shreveport, LA 71101

October 1993-April 2004

Assistant City Attorney/City Prosecutor/Special Assistant District Attorney

Shreveport City Attorney's Office

505 Travis Street

Shreveport, LA 71101

April 2004-December 2007

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Caddo Parish District Attorney's Office

501 Texas Street

Shreveport, LA 71101

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Associate

Plummer and Means

214 Adams Street

Mansfield, LA 71052

December 2007-October 2008

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Desoto/Sabine District Attorney's Office

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Mansfield, LA 71052

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Caddo Parish District Attorney's Office
501 Texas Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

01/2015-Present
Judge
City of Shreveport/State of Louisiana
505 Travis Street
Shreveport, LA 71101

- iv. whether you served as a mediator or arbitrator in alternative dispute resolution proceedings and, if so, a description of the 10 most significant matters with which you were involved in that capacity.

I have not served in this capacity.

b. Describe:

- i. the general character of your law practice and indicate by date when its character has changed over the years.

I served as Attorney Chairman for Medical Review Panels. I was appointed by the State to arrange three person panels of medical providers to assess the issue of fault regarding medical malpractice actions. I would then issue opinions as to the panel findings and submit it to the attorneys for the parties. This also included coordinating discovery between all of the parties prior to convening the panel.

I practiced criminal law as a prosecutor. I instituted, handled and tried many cases including State statutes and City ordinances. My practice included jury trials and bench trials. I also handled appeals on State and Federal levels regarding convictions.

I was twice elected Judge unopposed, where I heard civil and criminal bench trials.

- ii. your typical clients and the areas at each period of your legal career, if any, in which you have specialized.

The clients for Medical Review Panels are attorneys representing their respective clients regarding an alleged breach of the standard of care as to fault in a medical malpractice action.

The clients for criminal prosecution were the State, the general public, specific victims and law enforcement.

- c. Describe the percentage of your practice that has been in litigation and whether you appeared in court frequently, occasionally, or not at all. If the frequency of your appearances in court varied, describe such variance, providing dates.
- i. Indicate the percentage of your practice in:
 - 1. federal courts; 5% but did not appear in court
 - 2. state courts of record; 90%, frequently appeared in court
 - 3. other courts; none
 - 4. administrative agencies; 5% but did not appear in court
 - ii. Indicate the percentage of your practice in:
 - 1. civil proceedings; 10%
 - 2. criminal proceedings; 90%
- d. State the number of cases in courts of record, including cases before administrative law judges, you tried to verdict, judgment or final decision (rather than settled), indicating whether you were sole counsel, chief counsel, or associate counsel.

Due to the nature of being an Assistant District Attorney, I have tried countless cases in which I was sole counsel.

- i. What percentage of these trials were:
 - 1. jury; approximately 3%
 - 2. non-jury; approximately 97%
- e. Describe your practice, if any, before the Supreme Court of the United States. Supply four (4) copies of any briefs, amicus or otherwise, and, if applicable, any oral argument transcripts before the Supreme Court in connection with your practice.

I had one writ of certiorari regarding habeas corpus relief, filed pursuant to the Anti-Terrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act, 28 U.S.C.A. Section 2241 et seq. The petition for a writ of certiorari was denied October 13, 2015. Copies supplied.

15. **Litigation**: Describe the ten (10) most significant litigated matters which you personally handled, whether or not you were the attorney of record. Give the citations, if the cases were reported, and the docket number and date if unreported. Give a capsule summary of

the substance of each case. Identify the party or parties whom you represented; describe in detail the nature of your participation in the litigation and the final disposition of the case. Also state as to each case:

- a. the date of representation;
- b. the name of the court and the name of the judge or judges before whom the case was litigated; and
- c. the individual name, addresses, and telephone numbers of co-counsel and of principal counsel for each of the other parties.

1) *State v. Morris*, 996 So.2d 306 (September 2008)

I tried this case as a bench trial before First Judicial District Court Judge Roy Brun. The defendant was convicted of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon and sentenced to twelve years. I was involved in the foot chase when the defendant ran out of court prior to trial.

Co-Counsel: None

Defense Counsel: Caddo Parish Public Defender
400 Travis Street, Suite 2000
Shreveport, LA 71101
318-221-2220

Final Disposition: Affirmed

2) *State v. Robinson*, 22 So.3d 1064 (September 2009)

I tried the case before a jury with 42nd Judicial District Court Judge Charles Adams presiding. The defendant distributed cocaine and conspired to commit a controlled dangerous substance offense and was sentenced to 25 years for distribution and 10 for conspiracy. The defendant had alluded prosecution in the past.

Co-Counsel: None

Defense Counsel: Joseph William Bailey- Deceased

Final Disposition: Affirmed

3) *State v. KMT*, 18 So.3d 183 (August 2009)

I tried the case as a bench trial before Juvenile Court Caddo Parish Judge Paul Young. Here, the defendant attempted to commit forceable rape and was

sentenced to two years in a secure care facility. The victim was a young lady leaving the library and found herself on the ground when she testified that “God put that stick in my hand” which she used for self defense.

Co-Counsel: None

Defense Counsel: Caddo Parish Public Defender
400 Travis Street, Suite 2000
Shreveport, LA 71101
318-221-2220

Final Disposition: Affirmed

4) *State v. Lewis*, 4 So.3d 291 (February 2009)

I handled this case throughout the guilty plea. It came before 11th Judicial District Court Judge Charles Adams. Here, the defendant plead guilty to distribution of cocaine, with intent to distribute cocaine, possession with intent to distribute marijuana, and possession of firearm by a convicted felon and was sentenced to 10 years for each offense to run concurrently except for the distribution of cocaine which was run consecutively.

Co-Counsel: None

Defense Counsel: 42nd Judicial District Public Defender’s
Office
111 N Washington Avenue
Mansfield, LA 71052
318-872-6250

Final Disposition: Sentences Affirmed

5) *State v. Jones*, - 8 So.3d 845 (April 2009)

Here, I tried the case before a jury with 11th Judicial District Court Judge Charles Adams presiding. The defendant committed aggravated rape and was ultimately sentenced to life in prison without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence. The victim had moved away but agreed to come back and testify which was very brave of her. The defendant kicked in her door and did bad things to her after she told her 4 year old daughter to bury her head in the couch “and don’t look at what’s happening to Mommy”.

Co-Counsel: Anna Garcie
Sabine Parish District Attorney Office
495 Capitol Street
Many, LA 71449

318-256-6246

Defense Counsel:

Murphy White
213 Texas Street
Mansfield, LA 71052
318-872-1111

Final Disposition: Affirmed

6) *State v. Presson*, 900 So.2d 240 (April 2005)

I tried the case before a jury with First Judicial District Court Judge Charles Scott presiding. The defendant was convicted of driving while intoxicated for a fourth offense. The defendant was sentenced to 10 years hard labor, all but sixty days suspended and placed on five years active, supervised probation. This was my first jury trial.

Co-Counsel:

Thomas Butler
Caddo Parish District Attorney's Office
501 Texas Street, Suite 5400
Shreveport, LA 71101
318-226-6826

Defense Counsel:

Caddo Parish Public Defender
400 Travis Street, Suite 2000
Shreveport, LA 71101
318-221-2220

Final Disposition: Affirmed

7) *State v. Washington*, 939 So.2d 557 (September 2006)

I tried the case before a jury before First Judicial District Court Judge Scott Crichton. The defendant was convicted of theft of goods from a retail store. The defendant was sentenced to life in prison without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence. The defendant had 8 prior felony convictions for predicate use.

Co-Counsel:

None

Defense Counsel:

Caddo Parish Public Defender
400 Travis Street, Suite 2000
Shreveport, LA 71101
318-221-2220

Final Disposition: Affirmed

8) *State v. Malhiot*, 938 So.2d 1158 (August 2006)

I tried the case before a jury with the First Judicial District Court Judge Scott Crichton presiding. The defendant was convicted of attempted armed robbery. The defendant was sentenced to 15 years without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence. Defendant's choice of weapon was to combine rum/alcohol and a lighter and apply them to the liquor store clerk.

Co-Counsel: Lea Hall
Rapides Parish District Attorney's Office
701 Murray Street
Alexandria, LA 71301
318-473-6650

Defense Counsel: Caddo Parish Public Defender:
400 Travis Street, Suite 2000
Shreveport, LA 71101
318-221-2220

Final Disposition: Affirmed

9) *State v. Sepulvado*, 125 So.3d 899 (October 2009)

I handled the case throughout the defendant's guilty plea for distributing a controlled dangerous substance which resulted in negligent homicide. The defendant was sentenced to ten years for distribution and five for negligent homicide to run concurrently. The defendant was part of a drug selling scheme that resulted in the death of the victim after ingestion.

Co-Counsel: None

Defense Counsel: 42nd Judicial District Public Defender's
Office
111 N Washington Ave
Mansfield, LA 71052
318-872-6250

Final Disposition: Affirmed

10) *State v. A.D.A.*, 26 So.3d 154 (October 2009)

I successfully handled all of the hearings to have the defendant tried as an adult, instead of a child in Caddo Parish Juvenile Court before Judge Paul Young. The defendant committed first degree murder with a firearm and plead guilty to second degree murder and sentenced to incarceration until age

30. The defendant was told to leave the property and leave the teenage girls on the property alone. He later returned with a firearm, entered the home and shot the victim in the chest as the victim was sitting on the couch. The State had provided the defendant with every resource available throughout his juvenile criminal career.

Co-Counsel: Ed Blewer
Desoto Parish District Attorney's Office
208 Adams Street
Mansfield, LA 71052
318-872-2991

Defense Counsel: Peter Flowers- Deceased

Final Disposition: Affirmed

16. **Legal Activities:** Describe the most significant legal activities you have pursued, including significant litigation which did not progress to trial or legal matters that did not involve litigation. Describe fully the nature of your participation in these activities. List any client(s) or organization(s) for whom you performed lobbying activities and describe the lobbying activities you performed on behalf of such client(s) or organizations(s). (Note: As to any facts requested in this question, please omit any information protected by the attorney-client privilege.)

I have worked alongside Sheriffs, Police, and Marshals my entire career spanning over 30 years. I also have over 10 years of experience as part of the Judicial Branch. I was a prosecutor for over 20 years, and during that time, I volunteered as a Teen Court Judge for 10 years. I have practiced criminal as well as civil law. As an Assistant District Attorney, I prosecuted sex offenders and had dealings with Asset Forfeiture while assigned to the drug/narcotics division. I was first recognized as a Special Deputy City Marshal in 1993 and have maintained my Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) certification since 2008.

I currently preside as a full-time City Court Judge managing criminal and civil dockets, which includes working with the Marshals on a daily basis. Through that experience, I have addressed issues regarding judicial security, witness/victim safety and fugitives/prisoners during my career as an Assistant District Attorney and as a Judge. I have spent countless hours in the courtroom during bench trials, six-person jury trials, and twelve-person jury trials. Throughout my career I have worked extensively with bailiffs in the courtroom as well as joining law enforcement in the field on criminal and civil matters. I have handled Federal Writs of Habeas Corpus, Appeals and Post Conviction Relief regarding the District, Appellate and Supreme Court on state and federal levels.

17. **Teaching:** What courses have you taught? For each course, state the title, the institution at which you taught the course, the years in which you taught the course, and describe

briefly the subject matter of the course and the major topics taught. If you have a syllabus of each course, provide four (4) copies to the committee.

I have not taught any courses.

18. **Deferred Income/ Future Benefits**: List the sources, amounts and dates of all anticipated receipts from deferred income arrangements, stock, options, uncompleted contracts and other future benefits which you expect to derive from previous business relationships, professional services, firm memberships, former employers, clients or customers. Describe the arrangements you have made to be compensated in the future for any financial or business interest.

I will receive retirement benefits from the Louisiana State Employees Retirement System.

19. **Outside Commitments During Service**: Do you have any plans, commitments, or agreements to pursue outside employment, with or without compensation, during your service with the court? If so, explain.

No.

20. **Sources of Income**: List sources and amounts of all income received during the calendar year preceding your nomination and for the current calendar year, including all salaries, fees, dividends, interest, gifts, rents, royalties, licensing fees, honoraria, and other items exceeding \$500 or more (if you prefer to do so, copies of the financial disclosure report, required by the Ethics in Government Act of 1978, may be substituted here).

Please see my OGE-278 as provided by the Office of Government Ethics.

21. **Statement of Net Worth**: Please complete the attached financial net worth statement in detail (add schedules as called for).

See attached Net Worth Statement.

22. **Potential Conflicts of Interest**:

- c. Identify the family members or other persons, parties, affiliations, pending and categories of litigation, financial arrangements or other factors that are likely to present potential conflicts-of-interest when you first assume the position to which you have been nominated. Explain how you would address any such conflict if it were to arise.

In connection with the nomination process, I have consulted with the Office of Government Ethics and the Department of Justice's (USMS) designated agency ethics official to identify potential conflicts of interest. Any potential conflicts of interest will be resolved in accordance with the terms of an agency ethics

agreement that I have entered into with the Department's designated agency ethics official.

- d. Explain how you will resolve any potential conflict of interest, including the procedure you will follow in determining these areas of concern.

If I am confirmed, any potential conflict of interest will be resolved in accordance with the terms of an ethics agreement that I have entered with the Department's designated agency ethics official. If confirmed, I will continue to consult with the Department of Justice's ethics office and will recuse myself from any matter in which recusal is required.

23. **Pro Bono Work**: An ethical consideration under Canon 2 of the American Bar Association's Code of Professional Responsibility calls for "every lawyer, regardless of professional prominence or professional workload, to find some time to participate in serving the disadvantaged." Describe what you have done to fulfill these responsibilities, listing specific instances and the amount of time devoted to each. If you are not an attorney, please use this opportunity to report significant charitable and volunteer work you may have done.

I voluntarily coached high school football from 2012-2022. I also coached middle school football 2013-2014. I coached youth baseball from 2004-2014. I volunteered with the children's program at our church from 2005-2015.