

UNITED STATES SENATE
COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR JUDICIAL NOMINEES

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

Sarah Daggett Morrison
Sarah Elizabeth Daggett

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

United States District Judge for the Southern District of Ohio

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.

Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation
30 West Spring Street, L29
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Residence: Blacklick, Ohio

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

1970; Lufkin, Texas

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.

1993 – 1997, Capital University Law School; J.D., *magna cum laude*, 1997

1989 – 1992, The Ohio State University; B.A., 1992

1988 – 1989, University of Pittsburgh; no degree

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.

2012 – present
Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation
30 West Spring Street, 29th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Administrator/Chief Executive Officer (2016 – present)
General Counsel and Chief Ethics Officer (2012 – 2016)

2012
Taft, Stettinius & Hollister, LLP
65 East State Street, Suite 1000
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Partner

1998 – 2011
Chester, Willcox & Saxbe, LLP
(Chester, Willcox merged with Taft Stettinius on January 1, 2012)
65 East State Street, Suite 1000
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Partner (2005 – 2011)
Associate (1998 – 2004)

1997 – 1998
The Honorable John D. Holschuh
The United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio
Joseph P. Kinneary United States Courthouse
85 Marconi Boulevard
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Law Clerk

1996 – 1997
Chester, Willcox & Saxbe, LLP
65 East State Street, Suite 1000
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Law Clerk

1992 – 1996
Ohio Department of Health
246 North High Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Clerk

Other affiliations (uncompensated):

2008 – 2013
Jefferson Golf & Country Club
7271 Jefferson Meadows Drive

Blacklick, Ohio 43004
Board member

1998 – 2006
Huntington's Disease Society of America, Central Ohio Chapter
Post Office Box 1077
Westerville, Ohio 43086-7077
President (2002 – 2004)
Vice President (2006)
Board member (1998 – 2006)

1995
Honorable John D. Holschuh
The United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio
Joseph P. Kinneary United States Courthouse
85 Marconi Boulevard
Columbus, Ohio 43215
Judicial Extern

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 did not serve in the military. I was not required to register for the 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.

Association of Ohio Commodores in recognition of outstanding contributions to the economic development of the State of Ohio (2016 – present)

Listed in The Best Lawyers in America, Commercial Litigation (2010, 2011, 2012)

Ohio Rising Star (2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010)

Business First 40 Under 40 (2005)

AV rated (2005 – present)

Deshler All-Star Appellate Team Award (2001)

Capital University Law School, graduate *Magna Cum Laude* and Order of the Curia (1997)

Capital University Law School Law Review (1995 – 1997)
Associate Editor (1996 – 1997)
Contributor (1995 – 1996)

David Shkolnik Memorial Scholarship (1995)

Community Foundation of Knox County and Mount Vernon Scholarship (1988 – 1989)

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.

Southern District of Ohio Local Rules Committee (2011 – present)

Life Member of the 6th Circuit Judicial Conference (2008 – present)
Delegate to the conference (2004 and 2008)

Supreme Court Commission on Professionalism (2003 – 2008)
Vice-Chair of the Commission (2007 – 2008)
I also chaired a number of ad-hoc subcommittees from 2003 to 2007

Federal Bar Association, Columbus Chapter (1998 – 2014)
President (2008 – 2009)
Vice President (2007 – 2008)
Secretary (2006 – 2007)
Programming Co-Chair (2005 – 2006)

2011 Committee to Review Appointment of Magistrate Judge Kemp (2011)

Franklin County Republican Judicial Screening Committee (2007, 2008, 2015)

Franklin County Republican Party Judicial Salute Committee (2004 – 2011)
Chair (2011)

Columbus Bar Association (approximately 1998 – present)
Young Lawyers Committee (2001)

Ohio State Bar Association (approximately 1998 – present)

American Bar Association (approximately 1998 – 2004)

American Inns of Court, Franklin Inn (1998 – 2006)
Membership Chair (2003 – 2006)

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.

Ohio, 1997

There has been no lapse in my 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.

United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, 1998

United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio, 2006

United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio, 1998

There have been no lapses in my memberships.

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.

Association of Ohio Commodores (2016 – present)

Association of State Compensation Insurance Funds (“AASCIF”) (2014 – present)

Chief Executive Officer Committee (2016 – present)

Law Committee (2014 – 2016)

Capital Area Republican Women (approximately 2004 – approximately 2012)

Franklin County Republican Party Executive Committee (2007 – present)

Gahanna Rotary (2011 – present)

Chair of the community service committee (2012 – 2015)

Huntington’s Disease Society of America, Central Ohio Chapter (1997 – present)

President (2002 – 2004)
Vice President (2006)
Member of Board of Trustees (1998 – 2006)
Chair of the Advocacy Committee (1998 – 2000)
Chair of the Silent Auction Committee (2002 – 2003)
Hoop-a-Thon Committee (2007 – 2008)
Celebration of Hope Dinner Steering Committee (2007 – 2008)

Jefferson Golf and Country Club (approximately 1996 – present)
Board of Directors (2008 – 2013)

Ohio Republican Women Campaign Fund (approximately 1998 – approximately 2002)

Ohio Women in Government (2018)

- b. The American Bar Association's Commentary to its Code of Judicial Conduct states that it is inappropriate for a judge to hold membership in any organization that invidiously discriminates on the basis of race, sex, or religion, or national origin. 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 the organizations listed above currently 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 been quoted in numerous press releases issued by the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation. Although I edited some of those press releases, I do not recall which ones. Accordingly, I have listed all of them in response to Question 12(e).

BWC to Push Wellness, Workplace Safety in 2018, Guest Column, Eaton Register-Herald (Jan. 3, 2018). Copies supplied (including reprintings in multiple outlets).

Letter to Editor: Agency Works to Reduce Addiction, Columbus Dispatch (Sept. 9, 2017). Copy supplied.

Investing in Safety is Good Business, Guest Column, Logan Daily News (Aug. 29, 2017). Copies supplied (including reprintings in multiple outlets).

BWC Pushed Initiatives, Improved Care in 2016, Guest Column, Sidney Daily News (Dec. 23, 2016). Copies supplied (including reprinting in multiple outlets).

Letter to Editor: Our Workers' Comp Prescribes Appropriately, Wall Street Journal (Nov. 27, 2016). Copy supplied.

PEOs: What are they?, AASCIF Newsletter (4th Quarter 2014). Copy supplied.

Sometimes it's OK to Just Go Ahead and Make a Federal Case Out of it, Columbus Business First (Aug. 24, 2007). Copy supplied.

Ohio Law Imposes Non-Compete Limitations Even Without Agreements, Columbus Business First (Mar. 16, 2007). Copy supplied.

Educating Yourself on Law Firms' Fee Structures May Save You Money, Columbus Business First (Dec. 8, 2006). Copy supplied.

Vice President's Message, Huntington's Disease Society of America, Central Ohio Chapter, Our Voice Newsletter (Mar. 2006). Copy supplied.

President's Message, Huntington's Disease Society of America, Central Ohio Chapter, Our Voice Newsletter (Winter 2004). Copy supplied.

President's Letter, Huntington's Disease Society of America, Central Ohio Chapter, Our Voice Newsletter (Summer 2004). Copy supplied.

Meet Our New President, Huntington's Disease Society of America, Central Ohio Chapter, Our Voice Newsletter (Spring 2003). Copy supplied.

- 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.

Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Special Investigations Department
Fiscal Year 2018 Annual Report. Copy supplied.

Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Special Investigations Department

Fiscal Year 2017 Annual Report. Copy supplied.

Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation Fiscal Year 2017 Report. Copy supplied.

Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation Fiscal Year 2016 Report. Copy supplied.

- 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.

Testimony on House Bill 27 to the Ohio Senate Insurance and Financial Institutions Committee (May 30, 2017). Copy supplied.

Testimony on House Bill 27 to the Ohio House of Representatives Insurance Committee (Feb. 22, 2017). Copy supplied.

Testimony in Support of PEO rules to the Ohio Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (Feb. 3, 2014). Copy supplied.

Testimony in Support of Request for Money for Legal Fees to the Ohio Controlling Board (July 8, 2013). I did not provide written testimony but responded to questions from the Board. I have no transcript, audio, or video of this testimony.

In addition, between 1998 and 2012, I testified before the Ohio General Assembly and state agencies multiple times on behalf of the Association of Municipal/County Judges of Ohio on pending legislation and proposed administrative rules addressing such issues as driving while under the influence, domestic violence and small claims courts. I do not have records of specific dates or copies of the testimony.

- 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.

August 24, 2018: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 25, 2018: Presenter, American Association of State Compensation Insurance Funds (AASCIF), Minneapolis, Minnesota. Notes supplied. See also http://www.aascif.org/uploads/AASCIF_Promo.mp4.

July 20, 2018: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 28, 2018: Presenter, Announcement of 2018 Safety Initiatives, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 22, 2018: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 4, 2018: Presenter, Rotary Meeting, Lima Rotary, Lima Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied. Video available at <http://www.hometownstations.com/story/38344171/ceo-for-bureau-of-workers-comp-speaks-at-rotary-club>

May 24, 2018: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

May 2, 2018: Presenter, Greater Cleveland Safety Council Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Cleveland Ohio. Notes supplied.

April 26, 2018: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 24, 2018: Presenter, 2018 Rebate announcement, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q-hZOIqvAGU>.

March 22, 2018: Presenter, Women's History Month Celebration, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

March 21, 2018: Springdale Office Opening, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Springdale, Ohio. I spoke about the new office, the staff that were involved with the move, and safety grants. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation is 30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

March 14, 2018: Presenter, Better You Better Ohio promotion, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xUuWaA1uuC8>

March 9, 2018: Presenter, Medical and Health Symposium, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

March 7, 2018; Presenter, Safety Congress, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TsfkpeiGqOI>

March 6, 2018: Panel member, State of the State Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

March 6, 2018; Presenter, Genoa Township Fire Department Safety Grant Recognition, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g5mN1h9cgvk&feature=youtu.be>.

March 6, 2018: Presenter, Workers' Compensation Class, Ohio AFL/CIO, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

February 27, 2018: Presenter, Black History Month Celebration, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. I welcomed attendees and introduced key people and staff. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation is 30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

February 23, 2018; Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

February 21, 2018: Presenter, Workers' Compensation Committee, Columbus Bar Association, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

February 13, 2018: Presenter, Safety and Workers' Compensation Committee, Ohio Manufacturer's Association, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

January 9, 2018: Presenter, "Morrison recaps accomplishments, looks ahead to 2018," Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wSMmfRvxbYU>

December 14, 2017: Panel member, Department of Administrative Services Employee Meeting, Ohio Department of Administrative Services, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about the working relationship between the Bureau of Workers' Compensation and the Department of Administrative Services. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Department of Administrative Services is 30 East Broad Street, Suite 4060, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

November 17, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

October 27, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

September 28, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

August 31, 2017: Presenter and host, Fallen Workers Memorial, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied. Video available at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljF_fi-1iys and <http://www.ohiochannel.org/video/bwc-fallen-worker-memorial-2017?5>

August 25, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

August 10, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back Rebate Checks in South Point, Ohio, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gfe-2HPeEt0>.

August 8, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to Portsmouth, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

August 8, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to Lawrence County, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 28, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 25, 2017: Presenter, Rotary Meeting, Akron Rotary, Akron, Ohio. Notes supplied.

July 25, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Akron-Canton Food Bank, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 25, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to Humtown Products, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. The notes for this presentation were the same as used for the presentation to the Food Bank on the same date. Media coverage supplied.

July 18, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Cincinnati area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 18, 2017: Presenter, Tri-State Safety Council Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

July 17, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Dayton area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied. See also, <http://www.whio.com/news/ohio-bureau-workers-compensation-premium-rebates/WZLdNVS124Pp7Gf87n8xUN/>

July 12, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Newark area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 12, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to Columbus area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 11, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Gallia County area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 7, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back Rebate Checks in Lima and Toledo, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0YqhjUL2c2s>

July 6, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Toledo area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 6, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back check presentation to the Lima area, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 16, 2017: Presenter, Action Day for Professionals, International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals Ohio, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

May 25, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

May 10, 2017: Presenter, Bureau of Workers' Compensation Board Member Nominating Committee, the Ohio Development Services Agency, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

May 5, 2017: Presenter, TPA Summit, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about partnerships with TPAs and gave an overview of agency activities. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation is 30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

May 3, 2017: Presenter, Employment Law and Legislative Conference, Ohio Society for Human Resource Management State Council, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

May 3, 2017: Presenter, Safety, Health and Wellness Initiative, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1aIuAfhg9I>

May 1, 2017: Presenter, Safety Council Leaders Conference, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

April 28, 2017: Presenter, Safety Campaign announcement, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 28, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 26, 2017: Presenter, Columbiana County Safety Council Awards Luncheon, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 26, 2017: Presenter, Safety Award Presentation to CMI Industry Americas, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 19, 2017: Presenter, Mid-Ohio Valley Safety Council Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

April 19, 2017: Presenter, Recognition of Safety Grant to Marietta College, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 14, 2017: Presenter, Governor's Award for Employee Excellence, Office of Governor John R. Kasich, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 13, 2017: Presenter, Stark County Safety Council Awards Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

April 6, 2017: Presenter, On the Road for the 2017 State of the State in Huron County, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WqTOIGkHrnA>

April 4, 2017: Panel member, State of the State Bellevue Employer Roundtable Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

April 4, 2017: Presenter, Safety Grants to Humanetics, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

March 22, 2017: Presenter, Women's History Month Celebration, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

March 16, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

March 16, 2017: Presenter, Self-Insurers Association of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

March 14, 2017: Presenter, Third Billion Back rebate announcement, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wW7mZo89L0k>

March 13, 2017: Presenter, Governor John R. Kasich's announcement of rebate, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YrA8c-eESN8>; <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PIXzzg89F38>; <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E6rtzwvlnb8>; <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6xSoPw9PcAM>

February 24, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

February 21, 2017: Presenter, Black Swamp Safety Council Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

February 21, 2017: Presenter, Safety Grants to the Four County Career Center, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes used were the same as those used at the Black Swamp Safety Council Meeting on the same date. Media coverage supplied.

February 17, 2017: Presenter, Safety Grants to Buckeye Lake Winery, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

February 8, 2017: Presenter, Black History Month Celebration, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

January 27, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

January 24, 2017: Presenter, Board of Directors Nominating Commission the Ohio Development Services Agency, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

December 16, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

December 13, 2016: Presenter, Licking County Safety Council Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes were the same as that used on December 12, 2016.

December 12, 2016: Presenter, Portage County Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

November 18, 2016: Presenter, Fallen Worker Memorial Bell Dedication, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

November 18, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

November 9, 2016: Presenter, Small Business Advisors Group, Common Sense Initiative Office, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

November 9, 2016: Panel member, Ohio Women's Bar Association Meeting, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about women lawyers in leadership roles and practicing law in private practice versus government. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Women's Bar Association is 136 South Keowee Street, Dayton, Ohio 45402.

October 28, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

October 21, 2016: Presenter, Third Party Administrator Forum, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

October 18, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Randall Bearings, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

October 13, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Rosehill Vet Hospital, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

October 11, 2016: Presenter, Chillicothe Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

October 6, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Richards Industries, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

September 29, 2016: Presenter, Columbus Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

September 23, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

September 20, 2016: Presenter, Jackson Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

September 20, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Arrick's Propane, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

September 16, 2016: Presenter, Ohio State Bar Association Advanced Workers' Compensation Seminar, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied

September 14, 2016: Presenter, Mansfield Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

September 1, 2016: Presenter, Fallen Workers Memorial, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and press coverage supplied. Video available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=86541z3BLUc> and <http://www.ohiochannel.org/video/bwc-fallen-worker-memorial-2016?7>

August 30, 2016: Presenter, Council of Smaller Enterprises, Greater Cleveland Partnership/Council of Smaller Enterprises (COSE), Cleveland, Ohio. Notes supplied.

August 26, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

August 17, 2016: Presenter, Greater Cincinnati Safety Council Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

August 17, 2016: Presenter, Cincinnati Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

August 12, 2016: Presenter, Worker' Compensation CLE, Gateway, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

August 3, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Boak & Sons Roofing, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes were the same as used at the employer roundtable on the same date. Media coverage supplied.

August 3, 2016: Presenter, Youngstown/Mahoning County Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

August 2, 2016: Presenter, Canton Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

July 24, 2016: Presenter, Litigation Holds Review, American Association of State Compensation Insurance Funds, Salt Lake City, Utah. Notes supplied.

July 21, 2016: Presenter, Zanesville Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

July 21, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Greystone Health and Rehabilitation Center of Cambridge, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

July 13, 2016: Presenter, Leadership Council Meeting, National Federation of Independent Businesses in Ohio, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

July 8, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Carmichael Machine Corp., Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 24, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 21, 2016: Presenter, Meeting of the Board of Directors, Ohio Self Insured Association, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about agency activities and initiatives. I have no notes, transcript or recording of this presentation. The address of the Ohio Self Insured Association is Post Office Box 1073, Columbus, Ohio 43216.

June 13, 2016: Presenter, Toledo Employer Roundtable, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 8, 2016: Presenter, Safety Grant to Ohio Eastern Star Home, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

June 8, 2016: Presenter, Knox County Employer Roundtable Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

May 26, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

May 19, 2016: Presenter, Safety and Workers' Compensation Committee, Ohio Manufacturer's Association, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

May 3, 2016: Presenter, Advocacy Day, Ohio Insurance Agents, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

May 2, 2016: Presenter, Safety Council Training, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

April 29, 2016: Presenter, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes and media coverage supplied.

April 20, 2016: Presenter, Grand Lake Safety Council Awards Presentation, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

March 22, 2016: Presenter, Women's History Month Celebration, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about the importance of the celebration and welcomed the attendees. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation is 30 West Spring Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

January 29, 2016: Presenter on behalf of Steve Buehrer, Board of Directors Meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Media coverage supplied.

August 20, 2015: Presenter, Board of Directors meeting, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation, Columbus, Ohio. Notes supplied.

February 19, 2015: Presenter, Safety and Workers' Compensation Committee, Ohio Manufacturer's Association, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about the Bureau of Workers' Compensation's Legal Department and pending litigation. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Manufacturer's Association is 33 North High Street # 600, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

February 21, 2014: Presenter, Rotary Meeting, Clintonville Rotary, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about the Bureau of Workers' Compensation's Special Investigations Department and our fraud investigation efforts. I have no notes, transcript or recording of this presentation. The address of the Clintonville Rotary meetings is CRC Annex, 3230 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio 43202.

September 9, 2013: Presenter, Statewide Hearing Officer, Ohio Industrial Commission, Oregon, Ohio. I spoke about the Bureau of Workers' Compensation's Legal Department and pending litigation. I have no notes,

transcript or recording. The address of the Ohio Industrial Commission is 30 West Spring Street, 30th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

July 26, 2013: Presenter, Summer CLE, Gateway, Columbus, Ohio 43215. I spoke about the Bureau of Workers' Compensation Legal Department and on-going initiatives. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of Gateway is 5 East Long Street, Suite 405, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

May 9, 2013: Panel Member, Barrister Leader Meeting, Columbus Bar Association, Columbus, Ohio. I spoke about practicing law at law firms and government, and alternative legal jobs. I have no notes, transcript or recording. The address of the Columbus Bar Association is 175 South 3d Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

April 12, 2013: Presenter, "BWC Legal Update," Cleveland Bar Association, Cleveland, Ohio. Notes supplied.

During my tenure on the Supreme Court's Commission on Professionalism, I gave approximately three to five presentations on ethics and professionalism for continuing education credit. I have no notes, transcripts or recordings. I do not recall the sponsoring organizations.

During my representation of the Association of Municipal and County Court Judges of Ohio, I presented a legislative update to the members for continuing education credit two times a year. I have no notes, transcripts or recordings. The address of the Association is c/o Thomas Pappas, 66 East Lynn Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

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13. **Judicial Office:** State (chronologically) any judicial offices you have held, including positions as an administrative law judge, whether such position was elected or appointed, and a description of the jurisdiction of each such court.

I have not held judicial office.

- a. Approximately how many cases have you presided over that have gone to verdict or judgment? _____
 - i. Of these, approximately what percent were:

jury trials:	_____%
bench trials:	_____% [total 100%]
civil proceedings:	_____%
criminal proceedings:	_____% [total 100%]
- b. Provide citations for all opinions you have written, including concurrences and dissents.
- c. For each of the 10 most significant cases over which you presided, provide: (1) a capsule summary of the nature the case; (2) the outcome of the case; (3) the name and contact information for counsel who had a significant role in the trial of the case; and (3) the citation of the case (if reported) or the docket number and a copy of the opinion or judgment (if not reported).
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 - h. Provide citations for significant opinions on federal or state constitutional issues, together with the citation to appellate court rulings on such opinions. If any of the opinions listed were not officially reported, provide copies of the opinions.
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14. **Recusal:** If you are or have been a judge, identify the basis by which you have assessed the necessity or propriety of recusal (If your court employs an "automatic" recusal system by which you may be recused without your knowledge, please include a general description of that system.) Provide a list of any cases, motions or matters that have come before you in which a litigant or party has requested that you recuse yourself due to an asserted conflict of interest or in which you have recused yourself sua sponte. Identify each such case, and for each provide the following information:

I have not held judicial office.

- a. whether your recusal was requested by a motion or other suggestion by a litigant or a party to the proceeding or by any other person or interested party; or if you recused yourself sua sponte;
 - b. a brief description of the asserted conflict of interest or other ground for recusal;
 - c. the procedure you followed in determining whether or not to recuse yourself;
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elective office or unsuccessful nominations for appointed office.

I have not been a candidate for or held an elective public office. Since law school, I have held the following appointed positions:

General Counsel and Chief Ethics Officers at the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation (2012 – 2016). I was appointed to this position by Governor John Kasich.

Administrator/Chief Executive Officer at the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation (2016 – present). I was appointed to this position by Governor John Kasich.

- 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.

Franklin County Republican Party Executive Committee (2007 – present)

New Day for America (2016)

Volunteer for PAC supporting Ohio Governor John Kasich's campaign for the Republican presidential nomination

Franklin County Republican Judicial Screening Committee (2007, 2008, 2015)
Committee Member

Franklin County Republican Judicial Salute Committee (2004 – 2011)
Chair (2011)

Committee to Re-elect Judge William Klatt (2010)

Volunteer for campaign for candidate running for Ohio 10th District Court of Appeals

Judge Lisa L. Sadler Committee (2008)

Volunteer for campaign for candidate running for Ohio 10th District Court of Appeals

Judge Alan C. Travis Committee (2006)

Volunteer for campaign for candidate running for Ohio 10th District Court of Appeals

Capital Area Republican Women (approximately 2004 – approximately 2012)

Ohio Republican Women Campaign Fund (approximately 1998 – approximately 2002)

Steve Forbes Presidential Campaign (1996)
Volunteer gathering petition signatures

Ohio Senate Campaign for Gene Watts (approximately 1991 – 1992)
Volunteer

Ohio Senate Campaign for Bob Ney (approximately 1991 – 1992)
Staff person

16. **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;

From 1997 to 1998, I served as a clerk to the Honorable John D. Holschuh, Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio.

- ii. whether you practiced alone, and if so, the addresses and dates;

I have not practiced alone.

- 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.

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1997 – 1998
The Honorable John D. Holschuh
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Joseph P. Kinneary United States Courthouse
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1998 – 2011

Chester, Willcox & Saxbe, LLP

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Associate (1998 – 2004)

Partner (2005 – 2011)

2012

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Columbus, Ohio 43215

Partner

2012 - present

Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation

30 West Spring Street, 29th Floor

Columbus, Ohio 43215

General Counsel and Chief Ethics Officer (2012 – 2016)

Administrator/CEO (2016 – present)

- 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.

From approximately 2005 to 2012, I have served as a volunteer mediator as part of settlement week in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio. I do not have any notes or recollection of any of those cases.

b. Describe:

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

As a law clerk from 1997 to 1998, I helped prepare Judge Holschuh for proceedings in the courtroom and assisted him in drafting opinions.

From 1998 to 2012, my law practice was in all types of civil and commercial litigation in both state and federal trial and appellate courts. I had a diverse practice, including complex environmental cases, employment discrimination suits, business divorces, construction disputes, product liability cases, and class actions. I wrote briefs, motions and research memoranda. I conducted depositions, hearings and trials. I also represented clients before the Ohio General Assembly.

From 2012 to 2016, I was the general counsel and chief ethics officer for Ohio's monopoly workers' compensation insurer. My practice required me to provide a full range of legal services to a state agency that is also one of the largest underwriters of workers' compensation insurance in the country. I advised the senior team on legal and ethical issues, policy and legislative activity, and provided counsel on human resources and EEO issues. My responsibilities included development and implementation of policy and negotiation of contracts. I managed litigation and outside counsel. I led the legal department of 80 staff (including 45 attorneys) and the special investigations department of 123 staff.

Since 2016, although no longer in a strictly legal position, I put forth a budget that includes policy changes to the Ohio Revised Code and I make recommendations to the Board of Directors regarding changes to the Ohio Administrative Code to achieve the policy outcomes that I and the board deem appropriate to further the agency's mission.

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

From 1998 to 2012, my typical clients were privately owned businesses and business professionals, as well as government agencies and elected officials. I also represented corporations and individuals. The cases on which I worked were similarly mixed.

From 2012 to the present, my client is the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation.

- 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.

From 1998 to 2012, my practice consisted almost entirely of litigation. I prepared motions and briefs, I took and defended depositions, and I appeared occasionally in court.

From 2012 to 2016, I appeared in court a few times as the client representative.

- i. Indicate the percentage of your practice in:

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|-----------------------------|-----|
| 1. federal courts: | 45% |
| 2. state courts of record: | 50% |
| 3. other courts: | 0% |
| 4. administrative agencies: | 5% |

- ii. Indicate the percentage of your practice in:

1. civil proceedings: 100%
2. criminal proceedings: 0%

- 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.

Excluding cases that settled before trial or were resolved on a motion for summary judgment or other dispositive motion, I have tried six cases to verdict, judgment, or final decision, two as sole counsel, three as chief counsel, and one as associate counsel.

- i. What percentage of these trials were:

1. jury: 16%
2. non-jury: 84%

- 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 have never appeared before the Supreme Court of the United States.

17. **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 of Ohio v. The Shelly Company*, No. 07CV9702 (Franklin Cty. Common Pleas Ct. 2007); *on appeal*, 135 Ohio St.3d 65 (Ohio 2012).

This case was an environmental enforcement action brought in a multi-count complaint alleging violations of air permitting laws. I joined the case as the chief trial counsel late in the discovery process. Following a lengthy bench trial that included more than 1000 exhibits, Judge Schneider issued a 100-page decision finding for the

Shelly Company on most of the claims and with a judgment against Shelly on some claims. The Ohio EPA had sought over \$3 million in civil penalties, and the judgment against Shelly was for approximately \$300,000. The case was subsequently appealed to the Tenth District Court of Appeals and the Ohio Supreme Court, and I assisted with the briefing in both appeals. The case was presided over at the trial level by Common Pleas Court Judge Charles Schneider.

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2. *Hill Distributing v. St. Killian Import Co.*, No. 2:11cv706, 2011 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 100545 (S.D. Ohio Sept. 7, 2011).

The case was brought by Hill Distributing under the Ohio Alcoholic Beverages Franchise Act, arising out of defendant's attempt to cancel Hill's beer franchise. I was chief counsel for Hill Distributing. Following a hearing, we obtained a preliminary injunction preventing the cancellation. The case subsequently settled. The case was presided over by United States District Judge Algenon Marbley.

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3. *InBev USA LLC v. Hill Distributing Company, et al.*, No. 2:05cv298 (S.D. Ohio 2005).

The case was brought by InBev under the Ohio Alcoholic Beverages Franchise Act, against Hill Distributing and another beer distributor. I was chief counsel for Hill Distributing. The district court granted Hill's motion for preliminary injunction, and Hill ultimately prevailed on summary judgment. The case was presided over by United States District Judge James Graham.

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4. *Sheryl Szeinbach v. Ohio State University*, No. 2:08cv822 (S.D. Ohio 2008); *on appeal*, C.A. No. 11-3002.

The case was an employment discrimination case against my client, The Ohio State University (OSU). I was associate counsel. This case involved extensive discovery, including dozens of depositions. Summary judgment was granted in OSU's favor, but the decision was partially reversed on appeal. I prepared the appellate brief. After I moved to the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation in 2012, the case was tried to a verdict by the Office of the Ohio Attorney General. The case was presided over at the trial level by United States Magistrate Judge Mark Abel. The appeal to the Sixth Circuit was heard by Circuit Judges Helene White and Jane Branstetter Stranch, and Circuit Judge Jerome Ferris of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, sitting by designation.

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5. *Rosa Rodriguez-Monguio v. Ohio State University*, No. 2:08cv139 (S.D. Ohio 2008); *on appeal*, C.A. No. 11-3185.

The case was an employment discrimination case against The Ohio State University (OSU). I was associate counsel for OSU. This case involved extensive discovery, including dozens of depositions that were taken in conjunction with the discovery in the *Szeinbach* case discussed above. Summary judgment was granted in OSU's favor. I prepared the appellate brief and made the oral argument at the Sixth Circuit in April, 2012, and the trial court's decision was affirmed. The case was presided over at the trial level by United States Magistrate Judge Mark Abel. The appeal to the Sixth Circuit was heard by Circuit Judges Helene White and Jane Branstetter Stranch, and Circuit Judge Jerome Ferris of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, sitting by designation.

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6. *EEOC and Ways v. Honda of North America, Mfg.*, No. 2:06cv233 (S.D. Ohio 2006).

The case was an employment discrimination case filed by the EEOC (in which one individual intervened) against Honda. I was associate counsel for Honda. The case involved extensive discovery and motion practice before the parties reached a confidential settlement. The case was presided over by United States District Judge Michael Watson.

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7. *Violette, et al. v. P.A. Days, et al.*, No. 2:01cv1254 (S.D. Ohio 2001), *aff'd* 427 F.3d 1015 (6th Cir. 2005).

The case was brought as a class action against P.A. Days and Ricart Automotive alleging violations of the Truth in Lending Act and the Consumer Sales Practices Act. There was a discreet issue, the interpretation of Fed.R. 6(a), appealed to the Sixth Circuit that I briefed (there was not an oral argument). The case was presided over at the trial level throughout discovery, class certification, mediations, and settlement by United States District Judge Edmund Sargus. United States District Judge Algenon Marbley handled the post-settlement proceedings, including a fairness hearing and a contempt hearing involving an objector. The appeal to the Sixth Circuit was heard by Chief Judge Danny Boggs and Circuit Judges Alan Norris and Deborah Cook.

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8. *State of Ohio ex rel. Melissa Decker v. Perfect Image, LLC, et al.*, No. 08CV1790
(Franklin Cty. Common Pleas Ct. 2008).

The case was brought against multiple defendants to dissolve a joint business venture and to apportion the liabilities among the parties. The case involved cross-claims and counter claims. I was sole counsel for Defendant Mark Fetko. In February, 2012, we began a jury trial. The case reached a confidential settlement after the first witness testified. The case was presided over at the trial level through discovery and all pre-trial activities by Common Pleas Court Judge John Bessey. Visiting Judge Dale Crawford presided over the trial.

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9. *Crystal Dixon v. University of Toledo*, 842 F.Supp.2d 1044 (N.D. Ohio 2012),
aff'd, 702 F.3d 269 (6th Cir. 2012).

The case was an employment discrimination case against the University. I was associate counsel for the University. Following discovery, summary judgment was granted in the University's favor. The case was appealed and I assisted on that brief, but the case was argued after I went to the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation. The case was presided over by United States District Judge David Katz. The appeal to the Sixth Circuit was heard by Circuit Judges Karen Nelson Moore, Ronald Lee Gilman, and Raymond Kethledge.

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10. *Mark Miller v. David Pepper, et al.*, No. C1000371 (Hamilton Cty. Common
Pleas Ct. 2010).

The case was filed against the Hamilton County Commissioners alleging violations of Ohio's Open Meetings Act. I represented the Commissioners. Following discovery and a bench trial, the court issued a decision in favor of the Commissioners. The case was settled after the Relator filed his notice of appeal. The case was presided over at the trial level by Visiting Judge John Martin.

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18. **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.)

In addition to the 10 most significant litigated matters discussed above, some of the other significant legal activities that I have pursued include:

While serving as General Counsel for the Bureau of Workers' Compensation, I was heavily involved in a case captioned *San Allen, Inc., et al. v. Buehrer, Administrator, BWC*, Cuyahoga County Case No 07-644950. This was a class action brought against the Bureau regarding its group rating program by a group of private employers. The case was tried before I started at the Bureau. Shortly after I joined the agency, the Honorable Judge James J. McMonagle issued a judgment in favor of the plaintiff class for \$850 million. I then led outside counsel through the appeal, which reduced the judgment by approximately \$230 million. I subsequently negotiated a settlement of the case and the Bureau paid out approximately \$400 million.

While in private practice, I frequently served as Ohio local counsel in both federal and state court for lawyers and law firms from New York, New York, Washington, D.C., Nashville, Tennessee, and other jurisdictions.

I also served as counsel for an independent committee of directors of a major publicly held corporation charged with evaluating the fairness of settlements in multiple derivative actions.

I currently lobby the Ohio legislature on behalf of the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation. Those activities include testifying before the Ohio General Assembly, corresponding with legislators, and related work.

For 15 years, I was legislative counsel to the Association of Municipal/County Court Judges. During the course of that representation, I drafted legislation, testified before the Ohio General Assembly, advised the Board of Directors on non-profit issues, and represented the Association on two cases at the Ohio Supreme Court.

Additionally, at various time periods while in private practice, I was a registered legislative agent for Scioto Downs, Inc., Manheim Services Corp., NiSource, and Health Care Advocates for Free Speech.

19. **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.

None.

20. **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.

My husband was a partner in Government Advantage Group, a lobbying firm located in Columbus, Ohio. When he retired in December 2015, he negotiated a separation agreement with the business. The separation agreement contained a structured buy-out. When my husband died, I became the obligee under the separation agreement. I expect that the payments will continue through December 2018.

21. **Outside Commitments During Court 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.

22. **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).

See attached Financial Disclosure Report.

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

See attached Net Worth Statement.

24. **Potential Conflicts of Interest:**

- a. Identify the family members or other persons, parties, categories of litigation, and financial arrangements 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.

If confirmed, I will recuse in any litigation where I have ever played a role. For a period of time, I anticipate recusing in all cases in which the Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation is a party. I would also recuse myself in any cases involving Government Advantage Group, though I am not aware of that company having any litigation matters in federal or state court. I will evaluate any other real or potential conflict, or relationship that could give rise to an appearance of conflict, on a case by case basis and determine appropriate action with the advice of the parties and their counsel including recusal where necessary.

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

If confirmed, I will carefully review and address any real or potential conflicts by reference to 28 U.S.C. § 455, Canon 3 of the Code of Conduct for United States Judges, and any and all other laws, rules, and practices governing such circumstances.

25. **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.

While in private practice, I volunteered in the Pro Bono Tenants' Advocacy Project at the Franklin County Municipal Court for indigent people who were being evicted from their residences. In addition, I have been appointed counsel on a pro bono basis in both the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims and in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Ohio. Because I have not been in private practice since 2012, I am not able to estimate the amount of time that I devoted to these matters.

I have also engaged in work to improve the legal system, service recognized as important by the American Bar Association's Model Rule 6.1(b)(3), by donating my time to service on the Southern District of Ohio Local Rules Committee, the Committee to Review

Appointment of Magistrate Judge Kemp, and the Supreme Court Commission on Professionalism.

26. **Selection Process:**

- a. Please describe your experience in the entire judicial selection process, from beginning to end (including the circumstances which led to your nomination and the interviews in which you participated). Is there a selection commission in your jurisdiction to recommend candidates for nomination to the federal courts? If so, please include that process in your description, as well as whether the commission recommended your nomination. List the dates of all interviews or communications you had with the White House staff or the Justice Department regarding this nomination. Do not include any contacts with Federal Bureau of Investigation personnel concerning your nomination.

In March 2017, I learned that the two Ohio Senators (Senator Rob Portman and Senator Sherrod Brown) had announced that they were accepting applications for a vacancy at the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio. I reviewed their press release and began to prepare my application. I submitted my application to Senator Portman's office in April, 2017.

There is a selection commission in Ohio to recommend candidates for nomination to the federal courts. I interviewed with the commission on August 23, 2017. At the end of its work, the Commission recommended my nomination along with five others to Senators Portman and Brown.

I interviewed with Senator Portman on September 17, 2017. On September 29, 2017, Senators Portman and Brown issued a press release in which they jointly recommended me for the vacancy in Columbus, Ohio.

In October 2017, I was contacted by the Office of the White House Counsel to schedule an interview in Washington, D.C. On October 12, 2017, I interviewed with attorneys from the White House Counsel's office and the Office of Legal Policy.

Since then, I have periodically communicated with individuals in the White House Counsel's Office and the U.S. Department of Justice. On April 12, 2018, the President submitted my nomination to the Senate.

- b. Has anyone involved in the process of selecting you as a judicial nominee discussed with you any currently pending or specific case, legal issue or question in a manner that could reasonably be interpreted as seeking any express or implied assurances concerning your position on such case, issue, or question? If so, explain fully.

No.