



MEMORANDUM

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To: Representative Assembly Members

From: Dana M. Warnez, Chair

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Rule 6, Section 6, of the Supreme Court Rules concerning the State Bar of Michigan provides that vacancies in the membership of the Assembly shall be filled by appointment by the Assembly itself upon nomination of the remaining representatives from the affected judicial circuit or, if there are none the State Bar recognized local bar association in the affected judicial circuit.

There are currently vacancies in the following judicial circuits effective 2013-2014 Bar year, for which the lawyers whose names are listed have been nominated:

10<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2014 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.  
Thomas H. Fancher, Saginaw  
Nominated by the Saginaw County Bar Association

54<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2015 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.  
Adam D. Tavlik, Caro  
Nominated by the Tuscola County Bar Association

**NOTE:** Following approval of nominations, all newly appointed members' terms will be **for September 19, 2013 and the April 26, 2014 meetings only. You must fill out and submit your petition in April 2014 for election to finish your term.**

Individuals appointed to fill vacancies with terms expiring at the close of the 2013 Annual Meeting are interim appointees. In order to retain the Assembly seat for a new three-year term (expiring 2017), interim appointees **MUST** submit a completed Assembly Petition to the State Bar of Michigan by April 30, 2014.

Individuals appointed to fill vacancies with terms expiring at the close of the 2014 or 2015 Annual Meeting are interim appointees whose terms are only effective for the September 19, 2013 and the April 26, 2014 meetings. The remainder of the term will be open for election. Interim appointees **MUST** submit a completed Assembly Petition to the State Bar of Michigan by April 30, 2014 in order to retain the Assembly seat through 2014 or 2015.