MEMORANDUM

To: Representative Assembly Members

From: Vanessa P. Williams, Chair

Date: March 26, 2015

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 circuit effective 2014-2015 Bar year, for which the lawyer whose names are listed have been nominated:

3rd 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.
Daniel J. Ferris, Detroit
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

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Mwanaisha A. Sims, Detroit
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

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Aghogho O. Edevbie, Detroit
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

3rd Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Randall L. Tatem, Detroit
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

Cesare A. Sclafani, Troy
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

Matthew M. Aneese, Farmington Hills
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee
Heather J. Atnip, Rochester
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

James P. Brennan, Hazel Park
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

Patrick D. Crandell, Southfield
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

Anthony J. Kochis, Troy
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

Christian G. Ohanian, Troy
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

Cesare A. Sclafani, Troy
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8th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Tracie McCann-Dinehart, Ionia
Nominated by the Ionia & Montcalm Counties Bar Association

10th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
John P. Lozano, Saginaw
Nominated by the Saginaw County Bar Association

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Thomas H. Fancher
Nominated by the Saginaw County Bar Association

19th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Mark Quinn, Manistee
Nominated by the Manistee & Benzie Counties Bar Association
20th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2016 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Maureen Van Hoven, Jenison
Nominated by the Ottawa County Bar Association

28th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Melissa J. Ransom, Lake City
Nominated by the Missaukee & Wexford Counties Bar Association

30th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Carmen G. Fahie, Lansing
Nominated by the Nominating & Awards Committee

45th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2017 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
David A. Marvin, Three Rivers
Nominated by the St. Joseph County Bar Association

57th Judicial Circuit: 1 IMMEDIATE vacancy and balance of a term expiring at the close of the 2016 Annual Meeting of the State Bar of Michigan.
Christina L. DeMoore, Petoskey
Nominated by the Emmet County Bar Association

NOTE: Following approval of nominations, all newly appointed member’s term will be for April 25, 2015 and October 8, 2015 meetings only. You must fill out and submit your petition in April 2015 for election to finish your term.

Individuals appointed to fill vacancies with terms expiring at the close of the 2015 Annual Meeting are interim appointees. In order to retain the Assembly seat for a new three-year term (expiring 2019), interim appointees MUST submit a completed Assembly Petition to the State Bar of Michigan by April 30, 2015.

Individuals appointed to fill vacancies with terms expiring at the close of the 2016 or 2017 Annual Meeting are interim appointees whose terms are only effective for the April 25, 2015 and October 8, 2015 meetings. The reminder 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, 2015 in order to retain the Assembly seat through 2016 or 2017.