

APPLICATION FORM ENVIRONMENTAL LAW JUDGE

Please type or legibly print your answers. If a question is not applicable, indicate this by marking "N/A." If you need more space, please attach additional sheets to this application. Return the original completed form, and (5) copies, in an envelope marked "CONFIDENTIAL," to the office of Chief Justice Randall T. Shepard, Room 304, in the Indiana State House by 4:00 p.m. on May 16, 2003.

GENERAL

1. Full name:

2. Office address:
City: State: Zip:
Telephone Number:

3. Residential address:
City: State: Zip:
Telephone Number:

4. Place of birth:
Length of residence in state:

5. Date of birth:

6. Social Security Number:

HEALTH

7. What is the present state of your health?

8. Do you have any disability, serious illness or condition that would prevent you from performing the essential functions of the position of environmental judge?

EDUCATION

9. Colleges and universities attended, dates and degrees:

10. Continuing legal education courses completed within the last 5 years:

HONORS

11. Were you a member of a law review? Yes ____ No ____
If yes, describe role:

12. If you have published any legal books or articles, list them, giving citation and dates:
13. List any honors, prizes, or awards you have received:

PROFESSIONAL ADMISSIONS

14. List all courts (including state bar admissions) and administrative bodies having special admission requirements in which you are presently admitted to practice, giving the dates of admission in each case:

Court or Administrative Body:

Date of Admission:

LAW PRACTICE

15. State the names, addresses, and dates of employment for all law firms with which you have been associated in practice, all governmental agencies, and all private business organizations in which you have been employed. Also provide all dates during which you have practiced as a sole practitioner:

Organization	Address	Position	Dates
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16. Describe the general nature of your current practice, including any legal specialties and character of your typical clients; also, if your practice is substantially different now than previously, give details of prior practice:
17. (a) Do you appear regularly in court?
 (b) What percentage of your appearances in the last five years were in:
 1. Federal Courts
 2. State or local courts of record
 3. Administrative bodies
 4. Other
18. During the past five years, what percentage of your practice has been in administrative or environmental law.
19. How frequently have you appeared in court?
20. How frequently have you appeared at administrative hearings?
21. State the names and addresses of three adversary counsel against whom you have litigated your primary cases over the past five years:

PUBLIC OFFICE

22. Have you ever run for or held public office? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, give details:

PRIOR JUDICIAL EXPERIENCE

23. (a) Have you ever held judicial office or been a candidate for judicial office?
If so, state the courts involved and the dates of service, or dates of candidacy:

BUSINESS INVOLVEMENT

24. (a) If you are now an officer, director, or otherwise engaged in the management of any business enterprise, state the name of such enterprise, the nature of the business, and the nature of your duties.

(b) Since being admitted to the Bar, have you ever engaged in any occupation, business, or profession other than the practice of law?

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, give details, including dates:

(c) During the past five years, have you received any fees or compensation of any kind, other than for legal services rendered, from any business enterprise, institution, organization, or association of any kind? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, identify the source of such compensation, the nature of the business enterprise, institution, organization or association involved, and the dates such compensation was paid.

25. (a) Have you ever been arrested, charged, or convicted for violation of any federal law, state law, county or municipal law, regulation, or ordinance?

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, give details. (Do not include traffic violations for which a fine of \$200 or less was imposed unless it also included a jail sentence)

(b) Have you, to your knowledge, ever been under federal, state, or local investigation for possible violation of a criminal statute:

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, give particulars.

26. (a) Have you ever been sued by a client? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, give particulars.

(b) Have you or your professional liability insurance carrier ever settled a claim against you for professional malpractice? Yes____ No____
If yes, give particulars, including amounts involved:

27. Have you ever been charged in any civil or criminal proceedings with conduct alleged to invoke moral turpitude, dishonesty, or unethical conduct?

Yes____ No____

If yes, give particulars:

28. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by any court, administrative agency, bar association, or other professional group? Yes____ No____

If yes, give particulars:

29. Have you filed appropriate tax returns as required by federal, state, local, and other government authorities? Yes____ No____

If no, explain:

30. Have any liens or claims ever been instituted against you by the federal, state, or local authorities? Yes____ No____

If yes, explain:

PROFESSIONAL AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

31. (a) List all bar associations and legal professional societies of which you are a member and give the titles and dates of any office you have held in such groups, and committees to which you have belonged:

(b) List all organizations and clubs, other than bar associations and professional societies identified in response to question 31(a), of which you have been a member during the past ten years, including the titles and dates of any offices you have held in each such organization:

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

32. State any achievements or actions you have accomplished, demonstrating your commitment to equal justice under the law:

33. State any additional education or other experiences you believe would assist you in holding this office:

34. State any other pertinent information reflecting positively or adversely on you which you believe should be disclosed in connection with your possible nomination.

35. (a) List three individuals as references who are familiar with your professional

abilities:

(b) List three individuals as references who are familiar with your personal character:

RELEASE

I hereby authorize any person, agency, partnership, or corporation having any information concerning my personal background, credit record, educational record, employment record, medical record, tax filing, military record, employment record, or selective service record to release such information to the Indiana State Police Department. Such information is to be used for possible employment with the State of Indiana and will not be available for public inspection. I hereby release any person, agency, partnership or corporation from any liability, which might be incurred, by release of information to the Indiana State Police Department.

Date

Signature

I hereby authorize public disclosure of my name as an applicant for the judgeship for which I have applied.

Date

Signature