

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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IN RE:  
APPOINTMENT OF A UNITED STATES  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE MERIT SELECTION PANEL  
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**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER  
NO. 2022-14**

Pursuant to the authority conferred by 28 U.S.C. § 631, *et seq.*, and the further authority granted by the Judicial Conference of the United States, the Board of Judges for the Eastern District of New York hereby appoints a Merit Selection Panel to review the applications of candidates for a United States Magistrate Judge vacancy in Brooklyn, New York, for an eight (8)-year term, to be created by the retirement of U.S. Magistrate Judge Roanne L. Mann effective January 5, 2023, and to consider the reappointments of U.S. Magistrate Judge Anne Y. Shields and U.S. Magistrate Judge Peggy Kuo for new eight (8)-year terms.<sup>1</sup> The current term of U.S. Magistrate Judge Anne Y. Shields is due to expire on March 6, 2023. The current term of U.S. Magistrate Judge Peggy Kuo is due to expire on October 9, 2023.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the Merit Selection Panel for the Eastern District of New York shall consist of the following members:

Loretta E. Lynch, Esq., Chair  
Robert L. Begleiter, Esq.  
Ernest T. Bartol, Esq.  
Jennifer Ching, Esq.  
Professor Steven Dean  
Telesforo Del Valle, Jr., Esq.  
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Richard C. Hamburger, Esq.  
Michael O. Hueston, Esq.  
Henry Kennedy, Esq.  
Melissa Lang  
Linda Lin, Esq.  
Manuel Quintana, Esq.  
Joseph W. Ryan Jr., Esq.  
Paul H. Schoeman, Esq.  
Paul Siegfried, Esq.  
Dean Emerita Joan G. Wexler  
Carol Ziegler, Esq.

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<sup>1</sup> All Panel members have been advised in writing of the restriction set forth in § 420.30.20(d) of the Regulations of the Judicial Conference of the United States Establishing Standards and Procedures for the Appointment and Reappointment of United States Magistrate Judges.

It is further ORDERED that within ninety (90) days of appointment, the Panel must provide the Court with a recommendation of five (5) applicants to interview for the current vacancy. It is further ORDERED that within ninety (90) days of appointment, the Panel must provide the Court with the Panel's recommendation regarding the reappointments of incumbents U.S. Magistrate Judge Anne Y. Shields and U.S. Magistrate Judge Peggy Kuo.

All applications for the magistrate judge vacancy must be received by August 15, 2022 and all public comments on the reappointments must be received by August 15, 2022.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: July 13, 2022  
Brooklyn, New York

s/MKB  
MARGO K. BRODIE  
Chief United States District Judge