

Tennessee Trial Court Vacancy Commission
Application for Nomination to Judicial Office

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INTRODUCTION

Tennessee Code Annotated section 17-4-301 et seq. charges the Trial Court Vacancy Commission with assisting the Governor and the People of Tennessee in finding and appointing the best qualified candidates for judicial offices in this State. Please consider the Commission's responsibility in answering the questions in this application questionnaire. For example, when a question asks you to "describe" certain things, please provide a description that contains relevant information about the subject of the question and, especially, that contains detailed information that demonstrates that you are qualified for the judicial office you seek. In order to properly evaluate your application, the Commission needs information about the range of your experience, the depth and breadth of your legal knowledge, and your personal traits such as integrity, fairness, and work habits.

This document is available in word processing format from the Administrative Office of the Courts (telephone 800.448.7970 or 615.741.2687; website www.tncourts.gov). The Commission requests that applicants obtain the word processing form and respond directly on the form. Respond in the box provided below each question. (The box will expand as you type in the document.) Review the separate instruction sheet prior to completing this document. Submit original (unbound) completed application (with ink signature) to the Administrative Office of the Courts. In addition, submit a digital copy with electronic or scanned signature via email to debra.hayes@tncourts.gov, or via another digital storage device such as flash drive or CD.

THIS APPLICATION IS OPEN TO PUBLIC INSPECTION AFTER YOU SUBMIT IT.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND AND WORK EXPERIENCE

1. State your present employment.

Associate Attorney General with the Tennessee Attorney General's Office.

2. State the year you were licensed to practice law in Tennessee and give your Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility number.

1981. BPR Number 009711.

3. List all states in which you have been licensed to practice law and include your bar number or identifying number for each state of admission. Indicate the date of licensure and whether the license is currently active. If not active, explain.

Tennessee, BPR Number 009711. Admitted October 1981. This license is currently active.

4. Have you ever been denied admission to, suspended or placed on inactive status by the Bar of any State? If so, explain. (This applies even if the denial was temporary).

No.

5. List your professional or business employment/experience since the completion of your legal education. Also include here a description of any occupation, business, or profession other than the practice of law in which you have ever been engaged (excluding military service, which is covered by a separate question).

Tennessee Attorney General's Office, Nashville, Tennessee

Associate Attorney General; part of Attorney General's senior management team; responsible for handling relationship and requests from Tennessee General Assembly, Executive Branch and other state offices; responsible for special litigation and other projects as assigned by Attorney General; employed from December 15, 2014 to present.

Administrative Office of the Courts ("AOC"), Nashville, Tennessee

Director; responsible for oversight of over 70 employees at AOC and working with the General Assembly, Governor's Office and other state officials to address issues confronting Tennessee's court system; the director serves on several boards, including the Tennessee Consolidated State Retirement System Board of Trustees; the AOC reports to the Tennessee Supreme Court and provides information technology, logistical and educational support for the Tennessee court system; the AOC also administers the State's \$39 million indigent defense fund; employed from December 9, 2013 to December 15, 2014.

Tennessee Attorney General's Office, Nashville, Tennessee

Served as Solicitor General; responsible for oversight of all appellate litigation involving the Attorney General's Office, all written legal opinions requested by state officials from the Attorney General's Office, and the review of requests by other states or parties for the Office to join amicus briefs; served as part of the Attorney General's senior management team; employed from September 1, 2011 to December 8, 2013.

BlueCross and BlueShield of Tennessee ("BCBST"), Chattanooga, Tennessee

Served as Senior Vice President of Risk Management, Chief Compliance Officer (title transferred to another individual reporting to me in approximately 2008) and General Counsel; duties included oversight of legal, compliance, internal audit, information security, provider audit, corporate governance and overall security (this duty added in approximately 2009) areas; responsible for managing over 250 persons in these various areas; part of senior management team and reported directly to BCBST Chief Executive Officer; employed from December 18, 2002 until August 31, 2011.

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee

University Counsel; responsible for legal matters involving TennCare (Tennessee's Medicaid waiver program), managed care contracting, government relations, workers' compensation, general health-related issues; employed from August 15, 2001, to December 15, 2002.

Tennessee Hospital Association ("THA"), Nashville, Tennessee

General Counsel, Senior Vice President for Policy; responsible for providing legal guidance to THA, assisting THA in formulating policy and supervising THA's outside counsel; employed from September 1, 2000, to August 1, 2001.

Hospital Alliance of Tennessee ("HAT"), Nashville, Tennessee

President; responsible for representing the interests of Tennessee not-for-profit hospitals and providing members with education, government and public relations tools to use locally to support their hospitals; employed from January 1, 1999, to August 31, 2000.

Tennessee Department of Commerce and Insurance, Nashville, Tennessee

Deputy Commissioner, TennCare Division; in charge of division of approximately 15 persons

(primarily auditors) responsible for oversight of entities participating by contract in Tennessee's TennCare program; employed from February 1995 to December 31, 1998.

Tennessee Attorney General's Office, Nashville, Tennessee

Assistant Attorney General and Senior Counsel (effective 1991) for the Tax Division; represented clients primarily in tax and bankruptcy areas before federal and state courts; employed from April 1990 to February 1995.

First American National Bank, Nashville Tennessee

Staff attorney; responsible for representing bank in various bankruptcy matters; left after a short tenure due to dissatisfaction with job responsibilities and returned to Tennessee Attorney General's Office; employed from approximately February 1, 1990 to April 1990.

Tennessee Attorney General's Office, Nashville, Tennessee

Assistant Attorney General for the Tax Division; represented clients primarily in tax and bankruptcy areas before federal and State courts; employed from August 1986 to approximately February 1, 1990

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC"), Nashville, Tennessee

Staff Attorney in Nashville regional office; responsible for all bankruptcy cases and proceedings located in Nashville office; left employment when FDIC regional office was closed; employed from October 1985 to August 1986

Speight & Parker, Nashville, Tennessee

Associate attorney from October 1984 to October 1985; represented clients primarily in commercial/bankruptcy and insurance areas.

Laughlin, Halle, Clark, Gibson & McBride, Washington, D.C.

Associate attorney in Washington, D.C. office of Memphis, Tennessee law firm; primary duties were research on specific legal issues for firm partners; February 1984 to September 1984.

U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Nashville, Tennessee

Law Clerk for Bankruptcy Judges Russell H. Hippe, Jr., August 1981 to October 1981, and George C. Paine II, October 1981 to January 1984.

I also am currently employed as an Adjunct Law Professor by Belmont University. I taught Conflicts of Law at Belmont School of Law in the spring of 2016 and will teach that course again in the fall of 2016. This class meets once a week for two hours, for thirteen (13) weeks. I have engaged in no other occupation, business or profession other than the practice of law since 1981.

6. Describe the nature of your present law practice, listing the major areas of law in which you practice and the percentage each constitutes of your total practice.

I currently am part of the senior executive team with the Tennessee Attorney General's Office. I returned to the Office in December, 2014. In this role, I assist the Tennessee Attorney General and his senior staff to set the direction of the Office and to manage the legal work of the Office. My work also involves representing the Office on various issues arising with the Tennessee General Assembly and the executive branch of Tennessee government. These issues include, but are not limited to, assisting with the formation of legislation and responding to legal questions posed by state officials. In addition, I handle special projects assigned to me by the Attorney General. These projects have included tax, healthcare, antitrust, criminal and other civil areas of the law. I recently worked with the team of lawyers representing the State in the "same sex" marriage case that was argued before the United States Supreme Court and argued a TennCare administrative appeal before the Tennessee Court of Appeals. Because of the wide variety of matters that I am involved with in my current role, it is difficult to quantify the exact percentage of time I spend in a particular area, and the percentage will change depending on the assignments I receive. My best estimate is that since December of 2014, I have spent 65% of my time handling legal matters related to the General Assembly, 10% with state tax matters, 10% with healthcare/health insurance issues and the remaining 15% with other civil and criminal matters.

7. Describe generally your experience (over your entire time as a licensed attorney) in trial courts, appellate courts, administrative bodies, legislative or regulatory bodies, other forums, and/or transactional matters.

My legal practice has shifted over the years. Until 1995 my legal practice focused heavily on bankruptcy, state tax and state administrative matters. This practice involved frequent appearances in federal and state courts. When I was with the Attorney General's Office, I handled and tried a number of tax and bankruptcy cases in Tennessee trial courts (primarily the Chancery Courts) and in Tennessee federal courts. I also represented the State in several bankruptcy matters outside of Tennessee, including the federal bankruptcy courts in Cincinnati, Ohio and Wilmington, Delaware. This practice included numerous appellate arguments before the Tennessee Court of Appeals, the Tennessee Supreme Court and the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit on complex state tax and bankruptcy issues.

In 1995, I was appointed Deputy Commissioner for the Tennessee Department of Commerce of Insurance, TennCare Division. This appointment shifted my legal responsibilities to health and insurance matters. My duties included management of employees and interaction with the Tennessee General Assembly and other state agencies. After I left the Deputy Commissioner position, I became a full time lobbyist and counsel for the two largest state hospital associations. When I left those associations for Vanderbilt, I continued to handle health/insurance issues but also appeared in various trial courts representing Vanderbilt, especially on workers compensation matters.

At BCBST, I focused on managing a number of areas and working with the BCBST senior management team to develop and implement the company's business plan. My duties included handling significant legal issues and cases involving BCBST, and I represented the company in several difficult mediations. In this role, I was responsible for managing several different areas of BCBST including compliance, legal, information and physical security, corporate governance, provider audit and internal audit. Over 250 BCBST employees worked in these various areas. I also worked closely with the BCBST Board of Directors and reported to the Board on a quarterly basis. I also worked closely with the General Counsels of other Blue plans, especially those plans in the Southeast, on common issues.

One of the reasons I left BCBST to accept the position of Solicitor General was to return to a legal practice that allowed me to represent the State on interesting and complex issues and to again appear in court to represent clients. During my short tenure as Solicitor General, I argued two cases in the Tennessee appellate courts. I also worked with legislators and other state officials on complicated and challenging legal opinion requests. When I was appointed director of the AOC, I returned to a management role, but I also had the challenge of addressing and hopefully resolving several difficult issues confronting the state court system. My return to the Attorney General's Office has allowed me to again work on challenging legal and legislative matters confronting the State of Tennessee.

8. Describe any matters of special note involving your practice in trial courts, appellate courts, and administrative bodies.

I have appeared numerous times in Tennessee trial courts and federal bankruptcy courts, and several times in federal district courts. Many of my appearances in Tennessee trial courts were before the Chancellors serving in the Davidson County Chancery Court. Early in my career, I represented the State of Tennessee in state tax and bankruptcy cases as well as administrative appeals. Later, I represented Vanderbilt University in workers' compensation cases in the Davidson County Chancery Court. I have appeared on behalf of the State of Tennessee in bankruptcy courts in Tennessee, Ohio, and Delaware. In a bankruptcy court located in Ohio, I successfully convinced the court to abstain from hearing the merits of a Tennessee tax case. In the bankruptcy court in Delaware, I represented the State of Tennessee as a member of the creditors' committee in the bankruptcy of a roofing contractor. The State had claims in that case totaling several million dollars. Finally, in several bankruptcy cases pending outside Tennessee where asbestos companies had filed for bankruptcy protection, I assisted other attorneys in the Tennessee Attorney General's Office in the filing and receipt of payment on substantial claims by the State of Tennessee for damage resulting from the installation of asbestos material in state buildings.

I estimate I have appeared approximately 50 times as counsel of record in cases before Tennessee appellate courts, not including cases where I was simply included on the pleadings as the Solicitor General and was not the primary counsel. I have appeared approximately six times as primary counsel representing the state before the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. All of these cases involved civil matters, primarily state tax or federal bankruptcy

matters. As Solicitor General, I often worked closely with attorneys in the Criminal Division of the Attorney General's Office on important criminal cases.

9. Describe any other legal experience, not stated above, that you would like to bring to the attention of the Commission.

The following are a few of the significant cases I have handled during my legal career:

(1) *Scholastic Book Clubs, Inc. v. Farr*, 373 S.W.2d 558 (Tenn. Ct. App. 2011)--2011 case that I argued before the Tennessee Court of Appeals. The trial court ruled that the taxpayer was not doing business in Tennessee for purposes of paying Tennessee's sales tax. The Court of Appeals reversed, finding the out-of-state taxpayer had sufficient "nexus" with Tennessee to allow Tennessee to require the taxpayer to collect sales tax on its sales of books and other merchandise in Tennessee. The decision resulted in the payment of several million dollars to the State and ensured the payment of sales tax on a going forward basis. The case also provided guidance on when an out of state taxpayer would have sufficient "nexus" with Tennessee to require the collection of state sales tax.

(2) *Federated Stores Realty, Inc. v. Huddleston*, 852 S.W.2d 206 (Tenn. 1992); *Union Carbide Corp. v. Huddleston*, 854 S.W.2d 87 (Tenn. 1993); *Associated Partnership I, Inc. v. Huddleston*, 889 S.W.2d 190 (Tenn. 1994)--I represented the State of Tennessee in each of these cases, all of which involved the interpretation of "business" versus "non-business" income for purposes of calculating the taxpayer's liability for Tennessee's franchise and excise tax. The cases each involved several million dollars, with the *Associated Partnership* case alone having in dispute over \$30 million. Each case involved trials before the Davidson County Chancery Court, with extensive discovery and depositions. The *Federated* case also presented the issue of whether the state tax issue should be litigated in federal bankruptcy court (Federated had filed a Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceeding in Cincinnati, Ohio) or Tennessee courts, and I successfully argued in the federal bankruptcy court that the bankruptcy court should abstain from hearing this state tax matter and allow the issue to be resolved by Tennessee courts. This was an important decision because it preserved a state's right to interpret its tax laws in its own state courts, rather than have those laws interpreted by a federal bankruptcy court. Ultimately, the State failed to prevail before the Tennessee Supreme Court, but the cases represented significant findings in the franchise/excise tax field.

(3) *In the Matter of GEC Industries, Inc. f/k/a Gates Engineering Co. Inc.*--This case was filed in the federal bankruptcy court in Delaware in approximately 1988. The State of Tennessee had several million dollars in unsecured claims resulting from the debtor's defective installation of roofs on several state buildings. I represented the State and was successful in obtaining the appointment of the State of Tennessee to the unsecured creditors' committee. After several years of litigation, the state obtained a partial payment of its claim. This case, among others, established the importance of the State being an active participant in federal bankruptcy proceedings in which Tennessee had a financial or other interest. As a result of this and other

similar cases, the Attorney General's Office established a bankruptcy unit, later a bankruptcy division, to represent Tennessee's interests in federal bankruptcy proceedings.

(4) *Norton v. Tennessee Department of Safety*, 76 B.R. 624 (Bankr. M.D. Tenn. 1987), *rev'd*, 867 F.2d 313 (6th Cir. 1989)--I argued this case before the Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, which reversed the bankruptcy court's finding that the State's revocation of a debtor's driver's license and requiring the payment of a \$65 fee to restore the license constituted discrimination under the federal Bankruptcy Code. The decision was important in affirming the state's police power to appropriately issue, revoke and reinstate a citizen's driver's license.

(5) *Cheesman v. Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation*, 25 F.3d 356 (6th Cir. 1994)--I argued this case before both the bankruptcy court and the Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. The case involved the circumstances under which a debtor could obtain an "undue hardship" discharge of a student loan debt under the bankruptcy code. Although the Court of Appeals resolved this case in favor of the debtor, the case clarified the standards under which a "hardship discharge" should be granted.

10. List and describe all prior occasions on which you have submitted an application for any state or federal judicial position.

I applied for the position of Tennessee Attorney General in 2014, but was not selected for this position.

EDUCATION

11. List each college, law school, and other graduate school which you have attended, including dates of attendance, degree awarded, major, any form of recognition or other aspects of your education you believe are relevant, and your reason for leaving each school if no degree was awarded.

- University of the South - 8/1974 to 5/1975 - transferred to Vanderbilt University
- Vanderbilt University - 8/1975 to 12/1977 - B.A. Major: Political Science and History
- Emory Law School - 8/1978 to 5/1979 - transferred to Vanderbilt Law School
- Vanderbilt Law School - 8/1979 to 5/1981 - J.D.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

12. State your date of birth.

August 31, 1956.

13. How long have you lived continuously in the State of Tennessee?

All my life, except from February 1984 to September 1984 when my wife and I worked in Washington, D.C. and resided in Virginia.

14. How long have you lived continuously in the county where you are now living?

Almost five years, since July of 2011.

15. State the county in which you are registered to vote.

Davidson County.

16. Describe your military service, if applicable, including branch of service, dates of active duty, rank at separation, and decorations, honors, or achievements. Please also state whether you received an honorable discharge and, if not, describe why not.

Not applicable.

17. Have you ever pled guilty or been convicted or are now on diversion for violation of any law, regulation or ordinance other than minor traffic offenses? If so, state the approximate date, charge and disposition of the case.

No.

18. To your knowledge, are you now under federal, state or local investigation for possible violation of a criminal statute or disciplinary rule? If so, give details.

No.

19. Please identify the number of formal complaints you have responded to that were filed against you with any supervisory authority, including but not limited to a court, a board of professional responsibility, or a board of judicial conduct, alleging any breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by you. Please provide any relevant details on any such complaint if the complaint was not dismissed by the court or board receiving the complaint.

None.

20. Has a tax lien or other collection procedure been instituted against you by federal, state, or local authorities or creditors within the last five (5) years? If so, give details.

No.

21. Have you ever filed bankruptcy (including personally or as part of any partnership, LLC, corporation, or other business organization)?

No.

22. Have you ever been a party in any legal proceedings (including divorces, domestic proceedings, and other types of proceedings)? If so, give details including the date, court and docket number and disposition. Provide a brief description of the case. This question does not seek, and you may exclude from your response, any matter where you were involved only as a nominal party, such as if you were the trustee under a deed of trust in a foreclosure proceeding.

I filed a lawsuit on January 26, 2012 to resolve a dispute with a collection company, a provider of health care services, and two major credit agencies that had inappropriately diminished my credit rating because they had confused the debt of another individual named "William E. Young" with me. The suit was filed in Davidson County Chancery Court and was styled *William E. Young v. Revenue Recovery Corp.; Equifax Information Services LLC; Experian Information Solutions, Inc; Southern Tennessee Radiology; Paul Ellis*, Case No. 12-130-I. The suit was ultimately resolved by settlement. To the best of my knowledge I have not been named in any other legal proceedings.

23. List all organizations other than professional associations to which you have belonged within the last five (5) years, including civic, charitable, religious, educational, social and fraternal organizations. Give the titles and dates of any offices which you have held in such organizations.

- (1) Park Center, a not-for-profit corporation located in Nashville, Tennessee. I have been on Park Center's Board for the last 10 years, was Vice-Chair of the Board from 2011 to 2013, and Chair of the Board from 2013 to January 2016. I currently serve on the Park Center Executive Committee as the Immediate Past Chair.
- (2) YMCA of Chattanooga, a not-for-profit corporation located in Chattanooga, Tennessee. I served on the Board from approximately 2006 until I returned to Nashville in 2011.
- (3) Second Presbyterian Church, Chattanooga, Tennessee. I was a member from 2004 until we returned to Nashville in 2011. I served as an Elder for Second Presbyterian.
- (4) Westminster Presbyterian Church, Nashville Tennessee. Member from 2011 to present date.

24. Have you ever belonged to any organization, association, club or society which limits its membership to those of any particular race, religion, or gender? Do not include in your answer those organizations specifically formed for a religious purpose, such as churches or synagogues.
- a. If so, list such organizations and describe the basis of the membership limitation.
 - b. If it is not your intention to resign from such organization(s) and withdraw from any participation in their activities should you be nominated and selected for the position for which you are applying, state your reasons.

No.

ACHIEVEMENTS

25. List all bar associations and professional societies of which you have been a member within the last ten years, including dates. Give the titles and dates of any offices which you have held in such groups. List memberships and responsibilities on any committee of professional associations which you consider significant.

- Tennessee Bar Association - last ten years.
- American Bar Association - last six years.
- American Health Lawyers Association - last ten years.
- Chattanooga Bar Association - 2006 to 2010.
- Nashville Bar Association - 2016.
- Chattanooga and Nashville Inns of Court - 2010 to present.
- Committees: Tennessee Bar Association Health Lawyers Committee, Vice-Chair and Chair several years ago.

26. List honors, prizes, awards or other forms of recognition which you have received since your graduation from law school which are directly related to professional

accomplishments.

In 2009 I was appointed by the Tennessee Supreme Court to serve on the Access to Justice Commission. The Commission was tasked with exploring ways to improve the delivery of pro bono services by Tennessee lawyers. I left the Commission when I assumed the position of Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts.

In 2009 I was also appointed by the Speaker of the Tennessee Senate to serve on the Tennessee Judicial Nominating Commission. I was elected Vice-Chair of the Commission in 2009 and became Chair of the Commission approximately six months after my selection as Vice-Chair. I served as Chair of the Commission until I resigned from the Commission when I agreed to become the Solicitor General of the Tennessee Attorney General's Office effective September 1, 2011.

In early 2015, Governor Haslam appointed me to serve on the Governor's Council for Judicial Appointments. I currently serve on this Council; however, the Council is now only responsible for judicial appellate appointments. I am a member of the Tennessee Bar Foundation and the American Bar Foundation.

27. List any public office you have held or for which you have been candidate or applicant. Include the date, the position, and whether the position was elective or appointive.

I applied for the position of Tennessee Attorney General in the fall of 2014. The Tennessee Supreme Court appoints this position, and I was not selected.

ESSAYS/PERSONAL STATEMENTS

28. What are your reasons for seeking this position? (150 words or less)

It would be a tremendous honor and responsibility to serve on the Davidson County Chancery bench. I have had the privilege of appearing in this court for over thirty years. I have tremendous respect for the judges who have served and now serve on this Court, and would hope to live up to the high standard these Chancellors have set.

At this stage of my career, with my experience, I believe that I am qualified to make a positive contribution if I am fortunate enough to obtain this position. I would enjoy the opportunity to make this contribution for Tennessee and Davidson County. In my view, my varied experience would contribute to my success in this position. In sum, the Chancery Court position is a challenge that I would enjoy tackling at this point in my legal career. The position presents an opportunity to serve the citizens of Tennessee and the profession that I have enjoyed being a part of for over thirty years.

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| A. George Paine, retired United States Bankruptcy Judge, |
| B. Larry Lewis, Deputy Attorney General, Tennessee Attorney General's Office, |
| C. Vicky Gregg, retired CEO BCBST, (|
| D. Mary Keown, Nashville pediatrician, |
| E. Waverly Crenshaw, United States District Judge, |

AFFIRMATION CONCERNING APPLICATION

Read, and if you agree to the provisions, sign the following:

I have read the foregoing questions and have answered them in good faith and as completely as my records and recollections permit. I hereby agree to be considered for nomination to the Governor for the office of Judge of the Davidson County Chancery Court of Tennessee, and if appointed by the Governor, agree to serve that office. In the event any changes occur between the time this application is filed and the public hearing, I hereby agree to file an amended questionnaire with the Administrative Office of the Courts for distribution to the Commission members.

I understand that the information provided in this questionnaire shall be open to public inspection upon filing with the Administrative Office of the Courts and that the Commission may publicize the names of persons who apply for nomination and the names of those persons the Commission nominates to the Governor for the judicial vacancy in question.

Dated: 5/11, 20 16.

William E. Gurney
Signature

When completed, return this questionnaire to  Shelby Hayes, Administrative Office of the Courts, 511 Union Street, Suite 600, Nashville, TN 37219.

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NASHVILLE, TN 37219

TENNESSEE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
TENNESSEE BOARD OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT
AND OTHER LICENSING BOARDS

WAIVER OF CONFIDENTIALITY

I hereby waive the privilege of confidentiality with respect to any information that concerns me, including public discipline, private discipline, deferred discipline agreements, diversions, dismissed complaints and any complaints erased by law, and is known to, recorded with, on file with the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, the Tennessee Board of Judicial Conduct (previously known as the Court of the Judiciary) and any other licensing board, whether within or outside the State of Tennessee, from which I have been issued a license that is currently active, inactive or other status. I hereby authorize a representative of the Trial Court Vacancy Commission to request and receive any such information and distribute it to the membership of the Commission and to the Office of the Governor.

William E. Young
Type or Print Name

William E. Young
Signature

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Please identify other licensing boards that have issued you a license, including the state issuing the license and the license number.

None