

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2012-92

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF FEDERAL MAGISTRATE
JUDGE MERIT SELECTION PANEL

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Magistrates Act, 28 U.S.C. § 631(b)(5), and the regulations of the Judicial Conference of the United States establishing standards and procedures for the appointment of United States Magistrate Judges, and by action of the Judges of this Court, the residents of this district listed below are appointed as members of the Federal Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel for the Fort Lauderdale vacancy due to the retirement of Magistrate Judge Ted E. Bandstra. The appointment of this Committee is subject to the approval by the United States Eleventh Judicial Council and the Judicial Conference of the United States of this Court's request to fill the vacancy and to relocate the duty station from Miami to Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

The duty of this Panel is to consider and recommend to the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida for persons qualified to fill one full-time United States Magistrate Judge position with its duty station in Fort Lauderdale but with chambers and assignments in both Miami and Fort Lauderdale due to the retirement of Magistrate Judge Ted Bandstra.

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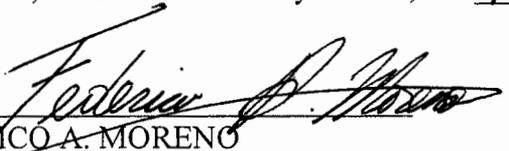
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The Panel will receive comments from members of the bar and public, and will also examine all applications received in order to recommend to the Court the names of at least five applicants for each position whose character, experience, ability, and commitment to equal justice under law fully qualify them to serve as a United States Magistrate Judge. Comments in connection with applicants may be sent to the Panel in care of the Court Administrator, at 400 North Miami Avenue, Room 8N09, Miami, Florida 33128, and should be marked "Confidential." The Panel will meet in person as necessary, interview applicants, and will make recommendations to the Court by **March 7, 2013**.

Steven Larimore, Clerk of Court, is hereby appointed as staff assistant to render such service as may be required by the Panel in performing its functions.

This Federal Magistrate Judge Merit Selection Panel and the term of each member shall expire on April 25, 2013.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Miami-Dade County Florida, this 7th day of December, 2012.


FEDERICO A. MORENO
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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