

APPLICATION FOR NOMINATION TO THE COUNTY/CIRCUIT COURT

Instructions: Respond fully to the questions asked below. Please make all efforts to include your full answer to each question in this document. You may attach additional pages, as necessary, however it is discouraged. In addition to the application, you must provide a recent color photograph to help identify yourself.

Full Name: Eric Jonathan Trabin **Social Security No.:**

Florida Bar No.: 37876 **Date Admitted to Practice in Florida:** 4/16/2007

1. Please state your current employer and title, including any professional position and any public or judicial office you hold, your business address and telephone number.

Lucid Legal, PLLC, Managing Member
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Altamonte Springs, FL 32701
(321) 203-0035

2. Please state your current residential address, including city, county, and zip code. Indicate how long you have resided at this location and how long you have lived in Florida. Additionally, please provide a telephone number where you can be reached (preferably a cell phone number), and your preferred email address.

H:

Resided at residence since 12/20/2021
Florida resident since birth, 05/22/1981

Ph: (407) 802-7269
Email: eric@lucidlawyers.com

3. State your birthdate and place of birth.

DOB: 05/22/1981
POB: West Palm Beach, FL

4. Are you a registered voter in Florida (Y/N)?

Yes.

5. Please list all courts (including state bar admissions) and administrative bodies having special admissions requirements to which you have ever been admitted to practice, giving the dates of admission, and if applicable, state whether you have ever been suspended or resigned. Please explain the reason for any lapse in membership.

The Florida Bar, admitted April 16, 2007 - present

Middle District of Florida (Federal), admitted September 05, 2013 - present

6. Have you ever been known by any aliases? If so, please indicate and when you were known by such alias.

No.

EDUCATION:

7. List in reverse chronological order each secondary school, college, university, law school or any other institution of higher education attended and indicate for each the dates of attendance, whether a degree was received, the date the degree was received, class standing, and graduating GPA (if your class standing or graduating GPA is unknown, please request the same from such school).

University of Florida, Levin College of Law – received J.D. 12/22/2006, GPA 2.73

Attended January 2004 – December 2006

University of Florida, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences – received B.A. 05/03/2003, GPA 3.27

Attended August 1999 – May 2003

8. List and describe any organizations, clubs, fraternities or sororities, and extracurricular activities you engaged in during your higher education. For each, list any positions or titles you held and the dates of participation.

ACCENT Speakers Bureau member 1999-2003, Chairman 2002-2003

Florida Blue Key Speech and Debate Tournament, member 1999-2003, Director 2003

Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity, Phi Gamma Chapter, member 2000-2003

Undergraduate Philosophy Society, member 2002-2003

University of Florida Student Senate – Senator 2001

Florida Blue Key Homecoming Pageant – Associate Director 2001

Florida Blue Key Honorary Society – member 2002-2006

Federalist Society at UF Law, member, 2004-2006

Jewish Law Student Association, member 2004-2006, Treasurer 2005-2006

EMPLOYMENT:

9. List in reverse chronological order all full-time jobs or employment (including internships and clerkships) you have held since the age of 21. Include the name and address of the employer, job title(s) and dates of employment. For non-legal employment, please briefly describe the position and provide a business address and telephone number.

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Managing Member
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(321) 203-0035
Self-employed
2022 – present

The Trabin Law Firm
Managing Member
260 Maitland Avenue, Suite 200, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701
(407) 925-2949
Self-employed
2011 – 2022

Office of the State Attorney, Ninth Judicial Circuit
Assistant State Attorney
415 North Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801
(407) 836-2400
The State of Florida
2007 – 2011

Tuttle Law, P.A.
Law Clerk
3617 20th Street, Vero Beach, FL 32960
(772) 563-0032
Douglas Tuttle, Esq.
2005

Office of the State Attorney, Eighth Judicial Circuit
Law Clerk
120 West University Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32601
(352) 374-3670
The State of Florida
2003

10. Describe the general nature of your current practice including any certifications which you possess; additionally, if your practice is substantially different from your prior practice or if you are not now practicing law, give details of prior practice. Describe your typical clients or former clients and the problems for which they sought your services.

My current practice is a litigation-based practice that is primarily split between criminal defense and domestic relations, with frequent court appearances in which I have extensive experience in evidentiary hearings, motion practice, and trial. My work routinely requires careful review of facts, statutory analysis, witness credibility, and procedural rules, often in high-stakes and emotionally charged settings.

In criminal defense matters, I represent clients at all levels of severity—ranging from misdemeanor and criminal traffic matters to serious felonies, including sex crimes, drug trafficking cases, and homicide-related allegations. These cases often involve complex issues such as constitutional claims, multiple co-defendants, statewide prosecutions, forensic or expert testimony, and significant sentencing exposure. Across the spectrum, the work requires diligence, sound judgment, and a consistent commitment to fairness and due process. Sensitivity to witnesses and victims, including children, is essential.

In domestic relations, I handle a wide range of matters, including divorce, paternity, and child support establishment and modification, injunctions, and dependency. Dependency work is particularly challenging because it places the court at the intersection of urgent child safety concerns, family preservation principles, and strict statutory standards. It also demands a high level of professionalism, preparation, and emotional steadiness. I view that work as one of the most consequential areas of my practice because of the lasting impact these proceedings have on children and families.

A smaller portion of my practice includes traffic infractions and small claims matters, which reinforces practical courtroom management skills and the ability to resolve disputes efficiently and respectfully.

The typical clients I represent are individuals who are anxious, frightened, and often encountering the legal system for the first time. Whether the matter is a DUI or a homicide allegation, or whether it is a dependency case, injunction, or divorce, clients typically come to me at a moment when something has gone profoundly wrong in their lives. My role is not only to provide competent legal representation, but to ensure that the process is navigated with clarity, dignity, and respect.

11. What percentage of your appearance in court in the last five years or in the last five years of practice (include the dates) was:

Court

Area of Practice

Federal Appellate	_____ %	Civil	_____ %
Federal Trial	_____ %	Criminal	<u>45</u> %
Federal Other	_____ %	Family	<u>45</u> %
State Appellate	_____ %	Probate	_____ %
State Trial	<u>95</u> %	Other	<u>10</u> %
State Administrative	<u>5</u> %		
State Other	_____ %		
 TOTAL	 <u>100</u> %	 TOTAL	 <u>100</u> %

If your appearance in court the last five years is substantially different from your prior practice, please provide a brief explanation:

12. In your lifetime, how many (number) of the cases that you tried to verdict, judgment, or final decision were:

Jury?	<u>35</u>	Non-jury?	<u>64</u>
Arbitration?	_____	Administrative Bodies?	<u>12</u>
Appellate?	_____		

13. Please list every case that you have argued (or substantially participated) in front of the United States Supreme Court, a United States Circuit Court, the Florida Supreme Court, or a Florida District Court of Appeal, providing the case name, jurisdiction, case number, date of argument, and the name(s), e-mail address(es), and telephone number(s) for opposing appellate counsel. If there is a published opinion, please also include that citation.

Not applicable.

14. Within the last ten years, have you ever been formally reprimanded, sanctioned, demoted, disciplined, placed on probation, suspended, or terminated by an employer or tribunal before which you have appeared? If so, please state the circumstances under which such action was taken, the date(s) such action was taken, the name(s) of any persons who took such action, and the background and resolution of such action.

No.

15. In the last ten years, have you failed to meet any deadline imposed by court order or received notice that you have not complied with substantive requirements of any business or contractual arrangement? If so, please explain full.

No.

16. For your last six cases, which were tried to verdict or handled on appeal, either before a jury, judge, appellate panel, arbitration panel or any other administrative hearing officer, list the names, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers of the trial/appellate counsel on all sides and court case numbers (include appellate cases). *This question is optional for sitting judges who have served five years or more.*

1. 49-2026-DR-1776; Christopher Morrison, cmorrison@winterparklegal.com, (407) 539-2597
2. 48-2026-CT-402302; Kevin Puldon, kpuldon@sao9.org, (407) 836-1382; and Jacob Garrett Greenfield, jgreenfield@sao9.org, (407) 836-2400.
3. 06-2026-TR-78436; (fatality infraction) Ofc. Julio Revoredo, jrevoredo@sunrisefl.gov, (954) 746-3382.
4. 48-2024-DR-12669; Michele Lebron, mlebron@mylebronlaw.com, (321) 800-5195.
5. 48-2025-DR-6263; Matthew J. Olszewski, Matt@flduigroup.com, (321) 256-1141.
6. 48-2025-DR-5166; pro se.

17. For your last six cases, which were either settled in mediation or settled without mediation or trial, list the names and telephone numbers of trial counsel on all sides and court case numbers (include appellate cases). *This question is optional for sitting judges who have served five years or more.*

1. 59-2026-MM-1933, Shanara Osorio, sosorio@sa18.org, (407) 665-6425.
2. 59-2025-DR-1441; pro se.
3. 49-2023-CF-1486; Brian Hagner, bhagner@sao9.org, (407) 836-2125.
4. 49-2025-CF-2097; Francheska Verdeguez, fverdeguez@sao9.org, (407) 836-2400
5. 59-2025-MM-2717; Jarai Ings, jings@sa18.org, (407) 665-6245
6. 05-2025-CF-25392; Jacob Franklin Harvell, jharvell@sa18.org, (321) 368-2263

18. During the last five years, on average, how many times per month have you appeared in Court or at administrative hearings? If during any period you have appeared in court with greater frequency than during the last five years, indicate the period during which you appeared with greater frequency and succinctly explain.

On average over the last five years, I appear in Court approximately thirteen (13) times per month.

19. If Questions 16, 17, and 18 do not apply to your practice, please list your last six major transactions or other legal matters that were resolved, listing the names, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers of the other party counsel.

Not applicable.

20. During the last five years, if your practice was greater than 50% personal injury, workers' compensation or professional malpractice, what percentage of your work was in representation of plaintiffs or defendants?

Not applicable.

21. List and describe the five most significant cases which you personally litigated giving the case style, number, court and judge, the date of the case, the names, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers of the other attorneys involved, and citation to reported decisions, if any. Identify your client and describe the nature of your participation in the case and the reason you believe it to be significant.

1. State of Florida v. Davin Smith
48-2007-CF-15115-A
Date (verdict): July 24, 2009
Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, Orange County
Hon. Belvin Perry, Presiding
Robin Wilkinson, robinewilkinson@aol.com, (407) 247-5598
Marc Burnham, burnham.marc@gmail.com, (407) 926-2456

It was a profound honor and a defining experience in my legal career to serve as second chair for the State of Florida in this high-stakes first-degree murder prosecution. The case involved the brutal killing of Officer Alfred Gordon of the Orlando Police Department — an event that deeply affected our community and tested every aspect of our trial preparation and presentation.

As second chair, I participated directly in all major phases of the trial, including an extensive week-long jury selection process necessitated by the pursuit of the death penalty. I played an integral role throughout the two-week guilt phase and the subsequent sentencing proceedings, working closely with the lead prosecutor to develop and present complex forensic evidence, examine witnesses, and articulate the State's case to the jury.

This prosecution presented multiple layers of complexity: highly technical scientific exhibits, credibility challenges involving jailhouse informants, and emotionally charged testimony that included the participation of a well-known public figure, Lou Pearlman, whose involvement drew broad media attention.

I believe this case remains significant not only because of the grave nature of the crime and the loss of a law enforcement officer, but also because it underscored for me the vital importance of meticulous preparation, ethical advocacy, and calm judgment under pressure.

While the jury ultimately declined to impose the death penalty, they returned a verdict of guilty, and the defendant will spend the remainder of his life incarcerated — a result I believe brought meaningful accountability and a measure of closure to the victim's family and community.

This case deepened my appreciation for the role of an advocate in our adversarial system and reinforced my commitment to prosecutorial integrity, fairness, and respect for every participant in the judicial process.

2. Valeriano v. Miranda
48-2023-DR-10719
Date (verdict): November 1, 2024
Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, Orange County
Hon. Alison Kerestes, Presiding

I represented the wife in this matter on a pro bono basis through my service with the Orange County Legal Aid Society. The case was accepted by Legal Aid due to a documented history of domestic violence and the client being unemployed due to ongoing medical problems.

Although initially presented as a dissolution of marriage, it quickly became clear that the client's most urgent legal need extended beyond divorce. The husband had perpetrated a serious, life-threatening assault against my client, including striking her in the head and choking her until she lost consciousness, despite knowing that she had a surgically implanted brain shunt and was medically vulnerable. One of the parties' twin daughters, having witnessed, called 911 to obtain emergency assistance.

My client wished to relocate with her children to New York to be near family support and to address her significant medical and personal needs. Without court authorization, however, such a relocation could have exposed this victim of domestic violence to potential criminal and civil consequences.

Recognizing this risk, I took immediate steps to seek leave to amend the pleadings in order to include a counter-petition for relocation and related relief. Although my initial pro bono assignment concerned only dissolution, I believed it was essential to address the full legal reality confronting this family and therefore undertook substantially additional work to ensure the case was properly positioned for meaningful protection.

The opposing party was self-represented, creating additional procedural challenges. Through diligent preparation and persistence, the matter ultimately proceeded to trial. The court granted dissolution of the marriage, authorized lawful relocation with the children, adopted a safety focused parenting plan, and entered an order establishing child support.

This case is significant to me because it illustrates the importance of identifying the true issues underlying a client's circumstances and using the law to prevent further harm. It reflects my commitment to service beyond the minimum required, particularly for vulnerable individuals who lack resources. Most importantly, it reaffirmed my belief that the legal system can serve as a powerful tool to protect families, restore stability, and provide a path forward when all other avenues appear closed.

3. In the interest of: B.S.

49-2025-DP-20

Date (verdict): June 20, 2024

Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, Osceola County

Hon. Tom Young, Presiding

Robert Camacho, rcamacho@floridabar.org, (407) 425-5424; and

Barbara Dirienzo, Barbara.dirienzo@myflfamilies.com, (407) 579-9402; and

Andrea L. Bose, andrea.bose@gal.fl.gov, (407) 742-6655; and

Natasha P. Bostick, nb@thebosticklawfirm.com, (407) 843-1140.

I represented the father in this highly complex dependency proceeding in which the Department of Children and Families sought termination of my client's parental rights based on allegations that an infant suffered an unexplained arm fracture.

The case involved several days of trial, extensive medical records, expert testimony, and law enforcement involvement. Given the nature of the allegation, this was the type of case many attorneys might be reluctant to accept due to the gravity of the accusations and the intense scrutiny involved. I approached the matter with a deliberate, methodical, and unflinching commitment to uncovering the truth.

I first conducted an exhaustive review of discovery, which consisted of thousands of pages of reports, affidavits, and medical records. Through that careful review, I identified critical gaps and inconsistencies in the State's theory. Only then did I pursue targeted independent investigation to fill those missing pieces, including obtaining complete medical records directly from the child's treating physician—records that were not initially part of DCF's case file and that proved to be directly exculpatory.

My client consistently maintained his innocence and was devastated by the separation from his child. Through careful presentation of medical evidence, effective cross-examination of

witnesses, and clear articulation of medically supported alternative explanations, I exonerated my client and demonstrated that the evidence did not support termination of parental rights.

Ultimately, the court found in favor of my client and declined to terminate his parental rights.

This case is significant to me because it underscores the importance of diligence, analytical rigor, and independent judgment in the practice of law. Few experiences are more harrowing than a parent being wrongfully accused of harming his own child. Helping to exonerate an innocent parent and working toward preservation of a family unit reinforced my belief that courts must remain grounded in evidence, fairness, and calm reasoning, even in the most emotionally charged circumstances.

4. In the interest of: T.H.

35-2023-DP-23

Date (verdict): July 12, 2023

Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, Lake County

Hon. Cary F. Rada, Presiding

Nicholas Gemma, Nicholas.gemma@myflfamilies.com, (352) 742-6330

Iesha Dupes, iesha.dupes@gal.fl.gov, (352) 343-6516

Lori Wurtzel, lori@wurtzellawpllc.com, (407) 362-1655

I represented the father in this dependency proceeding arising from allegations of domestic violence between the parents, which resulted in the removal of the parties' child.

This case was significant because it required strict fidelity to the governing law in circumstances where doing so was neither simple nor emotionally satisfying. The father's conduct toward the mother was concerning and, in many respects, deserving of condemnation. However, the legal question before the court was not whether the father's behavior was appropriate, but whether the statutory grounds existed to sustain dependency as to the child.

After careful review of the evidence, it became clear that there was no competent, substantial evidence that the child had witnessed the alleged incidents, been aware of them, or been directly harmed. While other legal mechanisms existed to address the legitimate concerns raised by the parents' relationship and the father's conduct, the dependency statute required proof that was not present in this case.

I advocated for a result grounded in law rather than emotion, emphasizing the distinct legal standards governing dependency and the importance of not expanding those standards beyond what the legislature intended.

This case is significant to me because it underscores the core principle that justice requires disciplined adherence to the law, even when the result may be unpopular or personally uncomfortable. It reinforced my belief that judges must be guided by evidence, legal standards, and statutory mandates—not by sympathy, outrage, or personal views of a litigant’s character.

5. Lee-Yan v. Picado

59-2014-4221

Date (verdict): May 5, 2017

Circuit Court of the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit, Seminole County, Florida

Hon. Melanie Chase, Presiding

Christina Buchan, christina@buchanlawfirm.com, (407) 299-6363

I represented the husband/petitioner in this complex family law matter involving a purported moderate-term marriage, three minor children, substantial assets and liabilities, and allegations of domestic violence raised by both parties.

During my representation, I discovered conclusive documentary proof from another country that the wife was legally married to another individual at the time of the parties’ purported marriage, rendering the marriage void ab initio under Florida law. Although the case had originally been filed as an annulment, prior counsel had amended the pleadings to seek dissolution of marriage.

After obtaining the documentary proof, I sought leave to amend the pleadings to pursue annulment. The court initially denied the request. Nevertheless, grounded in the controlling statutory framework and case law, I preserved and presented the annulment issue throughout a multi-day trial conducted over several months.

Through presentation of documentary evidence and legal authority, I demonstrated that the undisputed facts compelled a legal conclusion that the parties’ marriage was void as a matter of law. Ultimately, the court reconsidered its prior ruling, permitted amendment of the pleadings during trial, and entered a final judgment granting an annulment.

The ruling carried significant legal and financial consequences, including elimination of equitable distribution and alimony exposure.

This case is significant to me because it reflects the importance of persistence grounded in law, careful statutory analysis, and respectful advocacy. It reinforced my belief that courts must reach legally correct outcomes even when doing so requires reconsideration of earlier rulings, and that principled decision-making must remain anchored in law rather than expedience.

22. Attach at least two, but no more than three, examples of legal writing which you personally wrote. If you have not personally written any legal documents recently, you may attach a writing sample for which you had substantial responsibility. Please describe your degree of involvement in preparing the writing you attached.

The attached two documents were written entirely by me.

PRIOR JUDICIAL EXPERIENCE OR PUBLIC OFFICE

23. Have you ever held judicial office or been a candidate for judicial office? If so, state the court(s) involved, the dates of service or dates of candidacy, and any election results.

No.

24. If you have previously submitted a questionnaire or application to this or any other judicial nominating commission, please give the name(s) of the commission, the approximate date(s) of each submission, and indicate if your name was certified to the Governor's Office for consideration.

Submitted application to on March 24, 2026 to The 18th Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission.

Not certified for consideration.

Submitted application to on January 29, 2026 to The 9th Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission.

Not certified for consideration.

Submitted application to on April 30, 2021 to The 18th Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission.
Not certified for consideration.

25. List any prior quasi-judicial service, including the agency or entity, dates of service, position(s) held, and a brief description of the issues you heard.

Not applicable.

26. If you have prior judicial or quasi-judicial experience, please list the following information:

- (i) the names, phone numbers and addresses of six attorneys who appeared before you on matters of substance;
- (ii) the approximate number and nature of the cases you handled during your tenure;
- (iii) the citations of any published opinions; and

(iv) descriptions of the five most significant cases you have tried or heard, identifying the citation or style, attorneys involved, dates of the case, and the reason you believe these cases to be significant.

Not applicable.

27. Provide citations and a brief summary of all of your orders or opinions where your decision was reversed by a reviewing court or where your judgment was affirmed with significant criticism of your substantive or procedural rulings. If any of the opinions listed were not officially reported, attach copies of the opinions.

Not applicable.

28. Provide citations for significant opinions on federal or state constitutional issues, together with the citation to appellate court rulings on such opinions. If any of the opinions listed were not officially reported, attach copies of the opinions.

Not applicable.

29. Has a complaint about you ever been made to the Judicial Qualifications Commission? If so, give the date, describe the complaint, whether or not there was a finding of probable cause, whether or not you have appeared before the Commission, and its resolution.

Not applicable.

30. Have you ever held an attorney in contempt? If so, for each instance state the name of the attorney, case style for the matter in question, approximate date and describe the circumstances.

Not applicable.

31. Have you ever held or been a candidate for any other public office? If so, state the office, location, dates of service or candidacy, and any election results.

Not applicable.

NON-LEGAL BUSINESS INVOLVEMENT

32. 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, the nature of your duties, and whether you intend to resign such position immediately upon your appointment or election to judicial office.

Not applicable.

33. Since being admitted to the Bar, have you ever engaged in any occupation, business or profession other than the practice of law? If so, explain and provide dates. If you received any compensation of any kind outside the practice of law during this time, please list the amount of compensation received.

Not applicable.

POSSIBLE BIAS OR PREJUDICE

34. The Commission is interested in knowing if there are certain types of cases, groups of entities, or extended relationships or associations which would limit the cases for which you could sit as the presiding judge. Please list all types or classifications of cases or litigants for which you, as a general proposition, believe it would be difficult for you to sit as the presiding judge. Indicate the reason for each situation as to why you believe you might be in conflict. If you have prior judicial experience, describe the types of cases from which you have recused yourself.

Not applicable.

PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

35. List the titles, publishers, and dates of any books, articles, reports, letters to the editor, editorial pieces, or other published materials you have written or edited, including materials published only on the Internet. Attach a copy of each listed or provide a URL at which a copy can be accessed.

Not applicable.

36. List any reports, memoranda or policy statements you prepared or contributed to the preparation of on behalf of any bar association, committee, conference, or organization of which you were or are a member. Provide the name of the entity, the date published, and a summary of the document. To the extent you have the document, please attach a copy or provide a URL at which a copy can be accessed.

Not applicable.

37. List any speeches or talks you have delivered, including commencement speeches, remarks, interviews, lectures, panel discussions, conferences, political speeches, and question-and-answer sessions. Include the date and place they were delivered, the sponsor of the presentation, and a summary of the presentation. If there are any readily available press reports, a transcript or recording, please attach a copy or provide a URL at which a copy can be accessed.

1. Title: "The Law and You: Know Your Rights"

Date/Location: July 8, 2011 – Omni Orlando Resort at ChampionsGate

Sponsor: Sigma Beta Rho National Fraternity (National Convention)

Summary: Interactive presentation providing college-aged attendees with an overview of basic legal rights and responsibilities, including appropriate conduct during law enforcement encounters. Addressed legal issues commonly encountered by students—such as alcohol and controlled substances, domestic violence, trespass, consent, and sexual assault—and discussed potential criminal consequences and collateral impacts on academic standing, honor-code proceedings, and injunctions.

2. Title: “The Law and You: Know Your Rights”

Date/Location: March 23, 2014 – University of Central Florida

Sponsor: Nu Delta Chapter, Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity

Summary: Interactive presentation providing college-aged attendees with an overview of basic legal rights and responsibilities, including appropriate conduct during law enforcement encounters. Addressed legal issues commonly encountered by students—such as alcohol and controlled substances, domestic violence, trespass, consent, and sexual assault—and discussed potential criminal consequences and collateral impacts on academic standing, honor-code proceedings, and injunctions.

3. Title: Seminar on Sealing and Expunging

Date/Location: October 24, 2023 – Seminole State College (via Zoom)

Sponsor: Legal Aid Society of Seminole County

Summary: Presented a comprehensive overview of Florida’s criminal record sealing and expunction process, including the distinctions between sealing and expunction, eligibility and disqualifying offenses, and statutory authority governing relief. Explained application procedures with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, required documentation (fingerprints and certified court records), certificates of eligibility, and the filing of petitions and affidavits. Presentation provided as a pro bono service.

4. Title: Seminar on Sealing and Expunging

Date/Location: October 29, 2024 – Seminole State College (via Zoom)

Sponsor: Legal Aid Society of Seminole County

Summary: Presented a comprehensive overview of Florida’s criminal record sealing and expunction process, including the distinctions between sealing and expunction, eligibility and disqualifying offenses, and statutory authority governing relief. Explained application procedures with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, required documentation (fingerprints and certified court records), certificates of eligibility, and the filing of petitions and affidavits. Presentation provided as a pro bono service.

5. Title: Seminar on Sealing and Expunging

Date/Location: June 10, 2025 – Seminole State College (via Zoom)

Sponsor: Legal Aid Society of Seminole County

Summary: Presented a comprehensive overview of Florida’s criminal record sealing and expunction process, including the distinctions between sealing and expunction, eligibility and

disqualifying offenses, and statutory authority governing relief. Explained application procedures with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, required documentation (fingerprints and certified court records), certificates of eligibility, and the filing of petitions and affidavits. Presentation provided as a pro bono service.

- 38.** Have you ever taught a course at an institution of higher education or a bar association? If so, provide the course title, a description of the course subject matter, the institution at which you taught, and the dates of teaching. If you have a syllabus for each course, please provide.

No.

- 39.** List any fellowships, honorary degrees, academic or professional honors, honorary society memberships, military awards, and any other special recognition for outstanding service or achievement. Include the date received and the presenting entity or organization.

Not applicable.

- 40.** Do you have a Martindale-Hubbell rating? If so, what is it and when was it earned?

Yes, AV rated in 2017, and Distinguished in 2018.

- 41.** List all bar associations, legal, and judicial-related committees of which you are or have been a member. For each, please provide dates of membership or participation. Also, for each indicate any office you have held and the dates of office.

Orange County Bar Association, Young Lawyers Section, 2007-2012

The Federalist Society, 2021 – present

Seminole County Bar Association, 2021 – present

Orange County Bar Association, 2021 – present

Central Florida Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, 2021 – present

- 42.** List all professional, business, fraternal, scholarly, civic, charitable, or other organizations, other than those listed in the previous question to which you belong, or to which you have belonged since graduating law school. For each, please provide dates of membership or participation and indicate any office you have held and the dates of office.

Jewish Community Relations Committee, Central Florida, 2015 – present; Chairman 2025 – present

- 43.** Do you now or have you ever belonged to a club or organization that in practice or policy restricts (or restricted during the time of your membership) its membership on the basis of race, religion (other than a church, synagogue, mosque or other religious institution), national origin,

or sex (other than an educational institution, fraternity or sorority)? If so, state the name and nature of the club(s) or organization(s), relevant policies and practices and whether you intend to continue as a member if you are selected to serve on the bench.

No.

- 44.** Please describe any significant pro bono legal work you have done in the past 10 years, giving dates of service.

I accept pro bono referrals from the Orange County Bar Association and the Seminole County Bar Association. Over the past ten years, these matters have included name-change petitions, domestic violence injunction proceedings, and other domestic relations cases.

For the past several years (2022–present), I have also provided pro bono educational seminars on criminal record sealing and expunction through the Legal Aid Society of Seminole County.

Additionally, in 2011 and 2012, I volunteered with and served as a judge for the Orange County Teen Court program.

- 45.** Please describe any hobbies or other vocational interests.

I enjoy gardening and have numerous fruit-bearing plants such as pineapples, peaches, finger limes, and mangoes growing in my garden. I also have a variety of rose bushes that I tend. Gardening has reinforced for me the importance of patience, discipline, and consistency, and I find it deeply rewarding to nurture something over time and ultimately enjoy the literal fruits of that effort. It is a pursuit that helps to literally beautify the world.

I also enjoy cooking and baking bread, which I view as creative and grounding pursuits. To me, these are forms of craftsmanship that combine precision, patience, and care that yields comfort and sustenance. In my leisure time, I enjoy reading, following Florida Gators football, and maintaining a longtime appreciation for Star Trek. Most meaningful to me, however, is spending time with my family. My wife and I have three wonderful children and it is a joy to love them and watch them grow.

- 46.** Please state whether you have served or currently serve in the military, including your dates of service, branch, highest rank, and type of discharge.

No.

- 47.** Please provide links to all social media and blog accounts you currently maintain, including, but not limited to, Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Instagram.

<https://www.lucidlawyers.com>

<https://www.facebook.com/LucidLegalPLLC>
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/eric-trabin-9075375/>
<https://www.facebook.com/eric.trabin>
<https://www.facebook.com/TrabinEsquire>
<https://www.facebook.com/TrabinLaw>
<https://twitter.com/Trabout>
<https://www.instagram.com/ejtrabin/>
<https://www.instagram.com/trabinlaw/>
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKzxzt3PAu5ydDOBIRESX1g>

FAMILY BACKGROUND

48. Please state your current marital status. If you are currently married, please list your spouse's name, current occupation, including employer, and the date of the marriage. If you have ever been divorced, please state for each former spouse their name, current address, current telephone number, the date and place of the divorce and court and case number information.

Married – Jennifer Trabin, attorney, Lucid Legal, PLLC, 03/03/2012

49. If you have children, please list their names and ages. If your children are over 18 years of age, please list their current occupation, residential address, and a current telephone number.

Collette Trabin, age 13
Eitan Trabin, age 11
Shira Trabin, age 5

CRIMINAL AND MISCELLANEOUS ACTIONS

50. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor, including adjudications of guilt withheld? If so, please list and provide the charges, case style, date of conviction, and terms of any sentence imposed, including whether you have completed those terms.

No.

51. Have you ever pled nolo contendere or guilty to a crime which is a felony or misdemeanor, including adjudications of guilt withheld? If so, please list and provide the charges, case style, date of conviction, and terms of any sentence imposed, including whether you have completed those terms.

No.

52. Have you ever been arrested, regardless of whether charges were filed? If so, please list and provide sufficient details surrounding the arrest, the approximate date and jurisdiction.

No.

53. Have you ever been a party to a lawsuit, either as the plaintiff, defendant, petitioner, or respondent? If so, please supply the case style, jurisdiction/county in which the lawsuit was filed, case number, your status in the case, and describe the nature and disposition of the matter.

1. Orange County, Florida, 48-2011-SC-352, Plaintiff, sued for damage caused by movers, default entered against Defendant.
2. Orange County, Florida, 48-2012-CA-3350, Defendant, sued for auto negligence due to a low-speed bumper collision, case was settled by insurance and voluntarily dismissed.
3. Orange County, Florida, 48-2018-CA-8959, Defendant, sued for professional malpractice by disgruntled opposing party from domestic relations case, dismissed with prejudice by the court.

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54. To your knowledge, has there ever been a complaint made or filed alleging malpractice as a result of action or inaction on your part?

No.

55. To the extent you are aware, have you or your professional liability carrier ever settled a claim against you for professional malpractice? If so, give particulars, including the name of the client(s), approximate dates, nature of the claims, the disposition and any amounts involved.

No.

56. Has there ever been a finding of probable cause or other citation issued against you or are you presently under investigation for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by any court, administrative agency, bar association, or other professional group. If so, provide the particulars of each finding or investigation.

No.

57. To your knowledge, within the last ten years, have any of your current or former co-workers, subordinates, supervisors, customers, clients, or the like, ever filed a formal complaint or accusation of misconduct including, but not limited to, any allegations involving sexual harassment, creating a hostile work environment or conditions, or discriminatory behavior against you with any regulatory or investigatory agency or with your employer? If so, please state the date of complaint or accusation, specifics surrounding the complaint or accusation, and the resolution or disposition.

No.

58. Are you currently the subject of an investigation which could result in civil, administrative, or criminal action against you? If yes, please state the nature of the investigation, the agency conducting the investigation, and the expected completion date of the investigation.

No.

59. Have you ever filed a personal petition in bankruptcy or has a petition in bankruptcy been filed against you, this includes any corporation or business entity that you were involved with? If so, please provide the case style, case number, approximate date of disposition, and any relevant details surrounding the bankruptcy.

No.

60. In the past ten years, have you been subject to or threatened with eviction proceedings? If yes, please explain.

No.

61. Please explain whether you have complied with all legally required tax return filings. To the extent you have ever had to pay a tax penalty or a tax lien was filed against you, please explain giving the date, the amounts, disposition, and current status.

Yes, complied with all legally required tax filings and never had tax penalty or tax lien.

HEALTH

62. Are you currently addicted to or dependent upon the use of narcotics, drugs, or alcohol?

No.

63. During the last ten years have you been hospitalized or have you consulted a professional or have you received treatment or a diagnosis from a professional for any of the following: Kleptomania, Pathological or Compulsive Gambling, Pedophilia, Exhibitionism or Voyeurism? If your answer is yes, please direct each such professional, hospital and other facility to furnish the Chairperson of the Commission any information the Commission may request with respect to any such hospitalization, consultation, treatment or diagnosis. ["Professional" includes a Physician, Psychiatrist, Psychologist, Psychotherapist or Mental Health Counselor.] Please describe such treatment or diagnosis.

No.

- 64.** In the past ten years have any of the following occurred to you which would interfere with your ability to work in a competent and professional manner: experiencing periods of no sleep for two or three nights, experiencing periods of hyperactivity, spending money profusely with extremely poor judgment, suffering from extreme loss of appetite, issuing checks without sufficient funds, defaulting on a loan, experiencing frequent mood swings, uncontrollable tiredness, falling asleep without warning in the middle of an activity. If yes, please explain.

No.

- 65.** Do you currently have a physical or mental impairment which in any way limits your ability or fitness to properly exercise your duties as a member of the Judiciary in a competent and professional manner? If yes please explain the limitation or impairment and any treatment, program or counseling sought or prescribed.

No.

- 66.** During the last ten years, have you ever been declared legally incompetent or have you or your property been placed under any guardianship, conservatorship or committee? If yes, provide full details as to court, date, and circumstances.

No.

- 67.** During the last ten years, have you unlawfully used controlled substances, narcotic drugs, or dangerous drugs as defined by Federal or State laws? If your answer is "Yes," explain in detail. (Unlawful use includes the use of one or more drugs and/or the unlawful possession or distribution of drugs. It does not include the use of drugs taken under supervision of a licensed health care professional or other uses authorized by Federal or State law provisions.)

No.

- 68.** In the past ten years, have you ever been reprimanded, demoted, disciplined, placed on probation, suspended, cautioned, or terminated by an employer as result of your alleged consumption of alcohol, prescription drugs, or illegal drugs? If so, please state the circumstances under which such action was taken, the name(s) of any persons who took such action, and the background and resolution of such action.

No.

- 69.** Have you ever refused to submit to a test to determine whether you had consumed and/or were under the influence of alcohol or drugs? If so, please state the date you were requested to submit to such a test, the type of test required, the name of the entity requesting that you submit to the test, the outcome of your refusal, and the reason why you refused to submit to such a test.

No.

70. In the past ten years, have you suffered memory loss or impaired judgment for any reason? If so, please explain in full.

No.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

71. Describe any additional education or experiences you have which could assist you in holding judicial office.

My undergraduate education at the University of Florida in Criminology, with a minor in Philosophy, provided a strong foundation in the structure and function of the legal system, legal theory, and analytical reasoning. Criminology involved intensive study of the development of criminal law, the operation of courts, and the practical application of legal principles. Philosophy strengthened my abilities in logic, critical thinking, and careful reading, skills that are directly applicable to legal research, statutory interpretation, and judicial decision-making.

These academic foundations inform my practice on a daily basis and assist me in analyzing complex legal issues, evaluating arguments, resolving disputes, and clearly communicating rulings and expectations to both attorneys and self-represented litigants.

My experience as a prosecutor further prepares me for judicial service. In that role, I worked closely with judges, defense attorneys, other prosecutors, court staff, law enforcement officers, investigators, and expert witnesses, and developed an appreciation for the collaborative nature of the justice system. I understand the importance of professionalism, preparation, and treating every person in the courtroom with dignity and respect. I also gained substantial courtroom experience and familiarity with docket management, evidentiary issues, and trial procedure.

A central motivation throughout my career has been service to others. I routinely accept pro bono matters and referrals through local bar associations, provide pro bono educational seminars, and have long sought opportunities to use my legal skills to assist individuals who otherwise may lack access to representation. This commitment to service reflects my belief that the justice system functions best when it is accessible, fair, and administered with care.

In addition, I currently serve as Chairman of the Jewish Community Relations Committee of Greater Orlando. In this role, I regularly work with community leaders, law enforcement agencies, elected officials, interfaith leaders, and community stakeholders to address public safety concerns, respond to incidents of antisemitism, and promote lawful, constructive solutions that protect vulnerable communities. This position requires careful listening, coalition-building, and measured problem-solving—skills directly relevant to judicial service. The work reinforces the importance of public confidence in institutions, respect for the rule of law, and cooperation between communities and those charged with maintaining public safety.

Together, these educational, professional, and community experiences would assist me in serving as a fair, prepared, and diligent judge who faithfully applies the law.

72. Explain the particular contribution you believe your selection would bring to this position and provide any additional information you feel would be helpful to the Commission and Governor in evaluating your application.

If selected, I would bring to this position a strong commitment to the rule of law, judicial restraint, and the fair and efficient administration of justice. I firmly believe that judges must apply the law as written and respect the separation of powers by leaving policy decisions to the Legislature.

I would approach the bench with patience, humility, and an even temperament. I would strive to ensure that every man and woman in the courtroom is treated with courtesy and respect, and that each case is decided based on the facts and governing law. The public must have confidence that their courts are neutral, principled, and consistent.

My professional background has provided extensive courtroom experience and exposure to a wide range of legal issues. I have worked closely with judges, court staff, law enforcement, and attorneys, and I understand the importance of preparation, professionalism, and efficient docket management. These experiences would allow me to contribute immediately and effectively.

I recognize that judicial resources are limited and that timely resolution of cases is essential to public confidence. I work efficiently, prepare thoroughly, and make decisions promptly while maintaining careful attention to detail.

If appointed, I would serve with diligence, integrity, and fidelity to the law, and I would work every day to justify the trust placed in me by the Commission and the Governor.

REFERENCES

73. List the names, addresses, e-mail addresses and telephone numbers of ten persons who are in a position to comment on your qualifications for a judicial position and of whom inquiry may be made by the Commission and the Governor.

David Bear, 111 N. Orange Ave., #800, Orlando, FL 32801, david@bearlegalsolutions.com, (407) 739-0889

Michele Bernard, 220 N. Rosalind Ave., #200, Orlando, FL 32801,
mbernard@omaralawgroup.com, (407) 898-5151

Rabbi Menachem Mendy Bronstein, 195 S. Westmonte Dr., #1126, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714, rabbi@jewishaltamonte.com, (407) 720-8111

Rabbi Jordan Gerson, 3925 Lockwood Boulevard, Oviedo, FL 32765,
jordan.gerson@centralfloridahillel.org, (407) 382-2658

Alexis Lambert Fowler, 1275 1st St. NE, Washington, DC 20417, afowler@peacecorps.gov,
(202) 692-1077

Seth Hyman, 200 E. Robinson St., #1120, Orlando, FL 32801, seth@sethhymanlaw.com, (407) 274-7501

David Jancha, 218 E. New York Ave., #B, Deland, FL 32724, david@janchalawoffice.com,
(386) 308-3000

Justin Presser, 285 Douglas Ave., #2150, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714,
jpresser@findyourjustice.com, (407) 216-2000

David Spalter, 655 W. Morse Blvd., #212, Winter Park, FL 32789,
dspalter@schwartzlawfirm.com, (407) 647-8911

Lori Wurtzel, 425 W. New England Ave., #200, Winter Park, FL 32789,
lori@wurtzellawpllc.com, (407) 362-1655

CERTIFICATE

I have read the foregoing questions carefully and have answered them truthfully, fully and completely. I hereby waive notice by and authorize The Florida Bar or any of its committees, educational and other institutions, the Judicial Qualifications Commission, the Florida Board of Bar Examiners or any judicial or professional disciplinary or supervisory body or commission, any references furnished by me, employers, business and professional associates, all governmental agencies and instrumentalities and all consumer and credit reporting agencies to release to the respective Judicial Nominating Commission and Office of the Governor any information, files, records or credit reports requested by the commission in connection with any consideration of me as possible nominee for appointment to judicial office. Information relating to any Florida Bar disciplinary proceedings is to be made available in accordance with Rule 3-7.1(l), Rules Regulating The Florida Bar. I recognize and agree that, pursuant to the Florida Constitution and the Uniform Rules of this commission, the contents of this questionnaire and other information received from or concerning me, and all interviews and proceedings of the commission, except for deliberations by the commission, shall be open to the public.

Further, I stipulate I have read and understand the requirements of the Florida Code of Judicial Conduct.

Dated this 15th day of September, 2026.

Eric J. Trabin

Printed Name

[Signature]
Signature

State of Florida

County of Seminole

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of

☒ physical presence OR ☐ online notarization

this 15 day of September, 2026.

By Eric Trabin

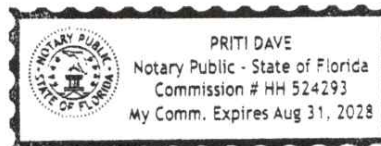
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☒ Produced ID _____
Type of Identification Florida Driver License

[Signature]

Signature Notary Public

PRITI DAVE



Printed name of Notary Public

(Pursuant to Section 119.071(4)(d)(1), F.S.), . . . The home addresses and telephone numbers of justices of the Supreme Court, district court of appeal judges, circuit court judges, and county court judges; the home addresses, telephone numbers, and places of employment of the spouses and children of justices and judges; and the names and locations of schools and day care facilities attended by the children of justices and judges are exempt from the provisions of subsection (1), dealing with public records.

FINANCIAL HISTORY

1. State the amount of gross income you have earned, or losses you have incurred (before deducting expenses and taxes) from the practice of law for the preceding three-year period. This income figure should be stated on a year to year basis and include year to date information, and salary, if the nature of your employment is in a legal field.

Current Year-To-Date: \$60,934.00

Last Three Years: 2023: \$76,891.00 2024: \$69,665.00 2025: \$77,918.50

2. State the amount of net income you have earned, or losses you have incurred (after deducting expenses but not taxes) from the practice of law for the preceding three-year period. This income figure should be stated on a year to year basis and include year to date information, and salary, if the nature of your employment is in a legal field.

Current Year-To-Date: \$60,934.00

Last Three Years: 2023: \$62,817.50 2024: \$63,704.25 2025: \$75,935.00

3. State the gross amount of income or losses incurred (before deducting expenses or taxes) you have earned in the preceding three years on a year by year basis from all sources other than the practice of law, and generally describe the source of such income or losses.

Current Year-To-Date: \$0

Last Three Years: \$0 \$0 \$0

4. State the amount you have earned in the preceding three years on a year by year basis from all sources other than the practice of law, and generally describe the source of such income or losses.

Current Year-To-Date: \$0

Last Three Years: \$0 \$0 \$0

5. State the amount of net income you have earned or losses incurred (after deducting expenses) from all sources other than the practice of law for the preceding three-year period on a year by year basis, and generally describe the sources of such income or losses.

Current Year-To-Date: \$0

Last Three Years: \$0 \$0 \$0

FORM 6

FULL AND PUBLIC

DISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST

PART A – NET WORTH

Please enter the value of your net worth as of December 31 or a more current date. [Note: Net worth is not calculated by subtracting your *reported* liabilities from your *reported* assets, so please see the instructions on page 3.]

My net worth as of September, 2026 was \$412,042.52

PART B - ASSETS

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:

Household goods and personal effects may be reported in a lump sum if their aggregate value exceeds \$1,000. This category includes any of the following, if not held for investment purposes; jewelry; collections of stamps, guns, and numismatic items; art objects; household equipment and furnishings; clothing; other household items; and vehicles for personal use.

The aggregate value of my household goods and personal effects (described above) is \$ 30,000.00

ASSETS INDIVIDUALLY VALUED AT OVER \$1,000:

DESCRIPTION OF ASSET (specific description is required – see instructions p. 3)	VALUE OF ASSET
2024 Hyundai Elantra	\$21,000.00
	\$557,000.00
Raymond James Roth IRA xL532	\$32,013.55
Raymond James 529 Plan x6527	\$9,340.12
Raymond James 529 Plan xF382	\$92,016.17
Raymond James 529 Plan xK151	\$99,629.09

PART C - LIABILITIES

LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF \$1,000 (See instructions on page 4):

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	AMOUNT OF LIABILITY
Loancare, PO Box 8068, Virginia Beach, VA 23450	\$329,806.69
USF Financial Credit Union, PO Box 47989, Tampa, FL 33646	\$15,398.89
Mohela, PO Box 9500, Wilkes-Barre, PA 18773	\$35,069.02
American Express, PO Box 96001, Los Angeles, CA 90096-8000	\$14,171.61
Discover, PO Box 6103, Carol Stream, IL 60197-6103	\$14,161.64
Chase, PO Box 15299, Wilmington, DE 19850-5299	\$19,448.56

JOINT AND SEVERAL LIABILITIES NOT REPORTED ABOVE:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CREDITOR	AMOUNT OF LIABILITY

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PART D - INCOME

You may ***EITHER*** (1) file a complete copy of your latest federal income tax return, *including all W2's, schedules, and attachments*, ***OR*** (2) file a sworn statement identifying each separate source and amount of income which exceeds \$1,000 including secondary sources of income, by completing the remainder of Part D, below.

- ☐ I elect to file a copy of my latest federal income tax return and all W2's, schedules, and attachments.
(if you check this box and attach a copy of your latest tax return, you need not complete the remainder of Part D.)

PRIMARY SOURCE OF INCOME (See instructions on page 5):

NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME EXCEEDING \$1,000	ADDRESS OF SOURCE OF INCOME	AMOUNT
Lucid Legal, PLLC	706 Turnbull Avenue, Suite 201	\$77,918.50
	Altamonte Springs, FL 32701	

SECONDARY SOURCES OF INCOME [Major customers, clients, etc., of businesses owned by reporting person—see instructions on page 6]

NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY	NAME OF MAJOR SOURCES OF BUSINESS' INCOME	ADDRESS OF SOURCE	PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY OF SOURCE
N/A			

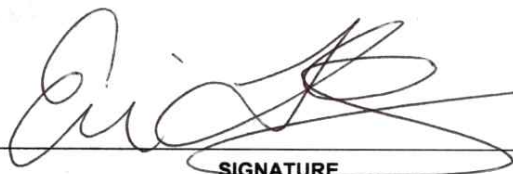
PART E - INTERESTS IN SPECIFIC BUSINESS [Instructions on page 7]

	BUSINESS ENTITY #1	BUSINESS ENTITY #2	BUSINESS ENTITY #3
NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY	Lucid Legal, PLLC		
ADDRESS OF BUSINESS ENTITY	706 Turnbull Avenue, Suite 201 Altamonte Springs, FL 32701		
PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY	Legal services		
POSITION HELD WITH ENTITY	Managing member		
I OWN MORE THAN A 5% INTEREST IN THE BUSINESS	Yes		
NATURE OF MY OWNERSHIP INTEREST	Partner		

IF ANY OF PARTS A THROUGH E ARE CONTINUED ON A SEPARATE SHEET, PLEASE CHECK HERE ☐

OATH

I, the person whose name appears at the beginning of this form, do depose on oath or affirmation and say that the information disclosed on this form and any attachments hereto is true, accurate, and complete.



SIGNATURE

STATE OF FLORIDACOUNTY OF Seminole

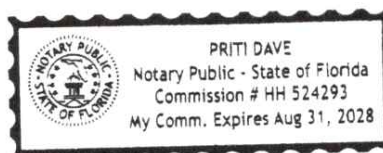
Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this 15th day of September, 2026 by Eric Trabin



(Signature of Notary Public—State of Florida)

PRITHI DAVE

(Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public)

Personally Known _____ OR Produced Identification ☒Type of Identification Produced Florida Driver License

JUDICIAL APPLICATION DATA RECORD

The judicial application shall include a separate page asking applicants to identify their race, ethnicity and gender. Completion of this page shall be optional, and the page shall include an explanation that the information is requested for data collection purposes in order to assess and promote diversity in the judiciary. The chair of the Commission shall forward all such completed pages, along with the names of the nominees to the JNC Coordinator in the Governor's Office (pursuant to JNC Uniform Rule of Procedure).

(Please Type or Print)

Date: _____

JNC Submitting To: 18th Circuit

Name (please print): _____

Current Occupation: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Attorney No.: 37876

Gender (check one): ☐ Male ☐ Female

Ethnic Origin (check one): ☐ White, non-Hispanic

☐ Hispanic

☐ Black

☐ American Indian/Alaskan Native

☐ Asian/Pacific Islander

County of Residence: Seminole

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO THE
FAIR CREDIT REPORTING ACT (FCRA)

The Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) may obtain one or more consumer reports, including but not limited to credit reports, about you, for employment purposes as defined by the Fair Credit Reporting Act, including for determinations related to initial employment, reassignment, promotion, or other employment-related actions.

CONSUMER'S AUTHORIZATION FOR
FDLE TO OBTAIN CONSUMER REPORT(S)

I have read and understand the above Disclosure. I authorize the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) to obtain one or more consumer reports on me, for employment purposes, as described in the above Disclosure.

Eric J. Trabin

Printed Name of Applicant



Signature of Applicant

Date: 09/16/2026