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Notice of Judicial Vacancy
Washington State Court of Appeals, Division III, District 3

On September 28, 2015, Judge Stephen M. Brown announced his retirement from the bench, effective December 31, 2015. Governor Jay Inslee is now seeking interested and qualified members of the Washington State Bar Association to submit applications to fill this vacancy. The Governor's application for judicial appointment, the Uniform Judicial Evaluation Questionnaire, is accepted by the WSBA and several minority bar associations for evaluation purposes. It can be downloaded from the URL address below.

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All applicants for appointment are strongly encouraged to submit their completed applications, along with the Waiver and Authorization to Release Information, and schedule evaluations with the WSBA and minority bar association judicial evaluation committees as soon as possible. All applications must be completed and submitted to the Governor's Office by **October 30, 2015**. Judicial evaluation ratings must be submitted to the Governor's Office of General Counsel by **November 13, 2015**. See the WSBA Judicial Recommendation Committee's timelines at its website (<http://www.wsba.org/Legal-Community/Committees-Boards-and-Other-Groups/Judicial-Recommendation-Committee>).

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