

STATE OF DELAWARE



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
DOVER

EXECUTIVE ORDER
NUMBER SIXTEEN

RE: APPOINTMENT OF COURT COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, the Judicial Nominating Commission was created by Executive Order No. 4,
and

WHEREAS, the Superior Court, Court of Common Pleas, and Family Court have
increased the decision-making roles of Commissioners in recent years, and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the Judicial Nominating Commission assist the Governor
with the selection of Commissioners for the Superior Court, Court of Common Pleas, and Family
Court,

I, RUTH ANN MINNER, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, hereby
ORDER on this 27th day of April, 2001 that Executive Order No. 4 ("the Order"), is amended in
the following fashion: the first Whereas clause of the Order is deleted in its entirety and replaced
with the following:

"WHEREAS, under Article IV of the Delaware Constitution and Title 10 of the Delaware
Code, the Governor appoints, by and with the consent of the State Senate, the Chief Justice and
Associate Justices of the Delaware Supreme Court, the Chancellor and Vice Chancellors of the
Court of Chancery, the President Judge, Associate Judges, and Commissioners of the Superior
Court, the Chief Judge, Associate Judges, and Commissioners of the Family Court, the Chief
Judge, other Judges, and Commissioners of the Court of Common Pleas, and the Chief
Magistrate of the Justice of the Peace Courts (collectively, "judges"); and"




Governor

ATTEST:


Secretary of State