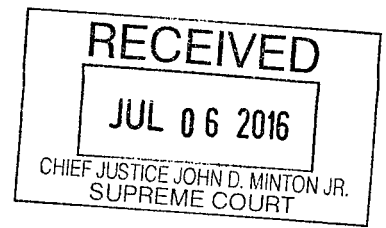




MATTHEW G. BEVIN
GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER



Secretary of State
Frankfort
Kentucky

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WHEREAS, Section 118 of the Kentucky Constitution provides that vacancies in the office of a judge of the Circuit Court are to be filled by the Governor from a list of three names submitted by the appropriate Judicial Nominating Commission; and

WHEREAS, the office of Circuit Judge for the 47th Judicial Circuit, is vacant, and its Judicial Nominating Commission has submitted its recommended appointees to the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Matthew G. Bevin, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by virtue of the authority vested in me pursuant to Section 118 of the Constitution of Kentucky, do hereby appoint the Honorable James Wiley Craft II, Whitesburg, Kentucky 41858, to the office of Circuit Judge for the 47th Judicial Circuit, of Kentucky.

Judge Craft shall serve subject to the provisions of Section 152 of the Constitution of Kentucky.

Please issue a commission to him.


MATTHEW G. BEVIN, GOVERNOR
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY


ALISON LUNDERGAN GRIMES
SECRETARY OF STATE