

**JUDICIAL NOMINATING COMMISSION, SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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The Seventeenth Circuit Judicial Nominating Commission hereby gives notice of receipt of the following applications for the vacancy in the Broward County Court created by the elevation of **County Court Judge Catalina Avalos** to the Broward Circuit Court, and the vacancy in the Broward Circuit Court created by the resignation of **Circuit Court Judge Mariya Weekes**:

1. Lucy Ramos Miller
2. Christopher Beauregard Wigand
3. Allana Robinson Woods
4. Yves Pierre Laventure
5. Janice Carine Haywood
6. Woody Robert Clermont
7. Lisa Beth Glick
8. Stephanie Michelle Matalon
9. Bernardo Protano
10. Pascale Achille
11. Robinson Keith Ustler
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