



## Judicial Nominating Commission

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### VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

**POSITION :** SENIOR JUDGE, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
**OPENING DATE :** April 7, 2021  
**CLOSING DATE :** UNTIL FILLED  
**SALARY :** \$80,000.00 per annum for an ATTORNEY

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**JURISDICTION:** By statute, the Court of Common Pleas has concurrent jurisdiction with the Supreme Court over all civil cases where the amount claimed or the value of the property involved does not exceed \$10,000. For criminal cases, the jurisdiction currently extends to misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors, and violations.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Applicant shall be a citizen of the Republic of Palau, has been or is an attorney licensed to practice before the courts of the Republic.

**SUBMISSIONS:** Interested persons may apply to Judicial Nominating Commission by submitting their application, resume or inquiries to:

Ms. Lue Dee Kotaro  
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