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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13

Offered January 21, 2026

*Nominating persons to be elected to circuit court judgeships.*

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Referred to Committee for Courts of Justice

RESOLVED by the Senate of Virginia, That the following persons are hereby nominated to be elected to the respective circuit court judgeships as follows:

The Honorable Rufus A. Banks, Jr., of Chesapeake, as a judge of the First Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing July 1, 2026.

The Honorable Stephen C. Mahan, of Virginia Beach, as a judge of the Second Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing October 1, 2026.

The Honorable Jonathan L. Stone, of Virginia Beach, as a judge of the Second Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing February 1, 2026.

The Honorable Michael A. Gaten, of Hampton, as a judge of the Eighth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing July 1, 2026.

The Honorable Jane M. Reynolds, of Stafford, as a judge of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing April 1, 2026.

Charles D. Clark, Esquire, of Hanover, as a judge of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing April 1, 2026.

The Honorable Dale B. Durrer, of Culpeper, as a judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing July 1, 2026.

The Honorable Michael F. Devine, of Fairfax County, as a judge of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing April 1, 2026.

Marin B. Greene, Esquire, of Fairfax County, as a judge of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing July 1, 2026.

The Honorable Charles N. Dorsey, of Salem, as a judge of the Twenty-third Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing July 1, 2026.

The Honorable Joel R. Branscom, of Botetourt, as a judge of the Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing February 1, 2026.

The Honorable Michael Lee Moore, of Russell, as a judge of the Twenty-ninth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing April 1, 2026.

The Honorable Brian K. Patton, of Russell, as a judge of the Twenty-ninth Judicial Circuit for a term of eight years commencing July 1, 2026.

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