

United States District Court Eastern District of New York

Release Date: January 29, 2024

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Chief Judge Margo K. Brodie announced today that the Judges of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York have appointed a Merit Selection Panel composed of attorneys and residents of the district (*see* Administrative Order No. 2024-02 on the Court's website and attached below) to consider the reappointment of U.S. Magistrate Judge Steven Tiscione for a new eight (8)-year term.

All public comments on the reappointment must be received by **no later than February 29, 2024**. Please see the attached public notice for instructions on how to submit comments on the reappointment.

Within forty-five (45) days from its appointment on January 29, 2024, the Panel must report to the Court as to whether it recommends the incumbent for reappointment for an additional term of office.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Reappointment of Incumbent United States Magistrate Judge

The current term of United States Magistrate Judge Steven Tiscione is due to expire on March 20, 2024. The United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York, as required by law, has established a Merit Selection Panel composed of attorneys and residents of this district to consider the reappointment of this magistrate judge to a new eight (8) year term. *See* Administrative Order No. 2024-02 on the Court's website.

The duties of a magistrate judge include the following:

1. conducting preliminary proceedings in criminal cases;
2. presiding over the trial and disposition of misdemeanor cases;
3. conducting various pretrial matters and evidentiary proceedings on delegation from the judges of the district court in both civil and criminal matters;
4. presiding over the trial and disposition of civil cases upon consent of the litigants; and
5. assignment of additional duties not inconsistent with the Constitution and laws of the United States.

See 28 U.S.C. § 636.

Members of the Bar and the Public are invited to submit comments to the Court's Merit Selection Panel as to whether the incumbent magistrate judge should be recommended by the Panel to the Court for reappointment. Comments can be submitted online in PDF format to Clerk-of-Court@nyed.uscourts.gov. Comments that cannot be uploaded online should be submitted in hard copy to:

Merit Selection Panel
c/o Clerk of Court
United States District Court
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, NY 11201

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