UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
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APPOINTMENT OF A	ADMINISTRATIVE
MERIT SELECTION PANEL	ORDER
	2010-02
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Pursuant to the authority conferred by 28 U.S.C. Sections 631, et. seq., and the further authority granted by the Judicial Conference of the United States, the Board of Judges of the Eastern District of New York hereby appoints a Merit Selection Panel to consider the reappointments of two (2) incumbent United States Magistrate Judges, Viktor V. Pohorelsky and Robert M. Levy, for new eight (8) year terms. The current terms of Judges Pohorelsky and Levy are due to expire, respectively, on January 30, 2011 and March 19, 2011.

Now therefore, it is ORDERED that the members of the Merit Selection Panel for the Eastern District of New York are:

Robert L. Begleiter, Esq., Chairman Ernest T. Bartol, Esq. Jonathan Behrins, Esq. Richard Cahn, Esq. Professor Steven Dean Richard C. Hamburger, Esq. Margaret Krumholz Roseann B. MacKechnie, Esq. Henry Putzel, Esq. Manuel Quintana, Esq. Diane Russo Joseph W. Ryan, Jr., Esq. Paul H. Schoeman, Esq. Paul Siegfried, Esq. Lai Sun Yee, Esq. Carol L. Ziegler, Esq.

It is further, ORDERED, that within ninety (90) days of appointment, the Panel must provide the Court with the Panel's recommendation on each of the two (2) incumbent U.S. Magistrate Judges regarding their appointment to an additional 8 year term of office.

All public comments must be received by **September 24, 2010**.

Dated: July > 2010

Raymond J. Dearie

Chief Judge