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Name: Ray Tarasuck

Current City of Residence: Cleveland Date and Place of Birth: 5/31/1965 Youngstown, Ohio

Undergraduate School and Degree (Year of Graduation): Hiram College, BA, 1987

Law School (Year of Graduation): University of Akron School of Law, JD, 1994

Other Graduate School, if any, and Degree (Year of Graduation): Case Western Reserve University, MBA, 1990

Year Admitted to Practice in Ohio: May, 1995 Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in Ohio 28 1/2+
(excluding Judicial Service)

Other Court(s) to Which You Are Admitted & Year(s): US District Court for the Northern District of Ohio

Number of Years Engaged in Practice of Law in any State (excluding Judicial Service): 28 1/2 + years State of Ohio

Briefly describe your areas of practice: Although, I have practiced both civil and criminal law over the course of my 28 1/2
year career, the majority of my current practice at Calfee involves civil litigation as well as government relations work.

Summarize your experience, if any, before the court to which you seek election: I have practiced both civil and criminal
law in Common Pleas Courts all over Northeast Ohio for the entirety of my 28 plus years of practicing law.

Service as judge in state or federal court of record (identify position, court and years of service): Not Applicable

Current Position and Employer (number of years in this position): _____
Senior Counsel, Calfee Halter & Griswold, LLP, 14 years, January 2009-present.

Previous Employment and Dates: Assistant Attorney General, Ohio Attorney General's Office, June 2007-December 2008
Assistant County Prosecutor, Mahoning County Prosecutor's Office 2001-2007.

Solo Practitioner, Youngstown, Ohio, May 1995-June 2007

List no more than five of your significant community or charitable activities:

1) Felony, Misdemeanor, Juvenile Drug Court Prosecutor; 2) Member of the Board of Directors

for the Cleveland Playhouse. 3) Chairman of the Board of the Beatitude House Board of Trustees.

4) Chairman of the Board of the Ursuline Center, (Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown).

5) Member of the Board of Directors for the Lawyers Guild for the Diocese of Cleveland.