



OFFICE OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

JUDICIAL SERVICE COMMISSION

SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES FOR JUDICIAL APPOINTMENT

On 18 May 2023 the Judicial Service Commission (JSC) published notices in the media calling for nominations of interested persons to fill vacancies in the following courts - Electoral Court, Gauteng, Limpopo, KwaZulu-Natal Division of the High Court; Labour Court, Labour Appeal Court and Supreme Court of Appeal, the closing date for submission of nominations was 19 June 2023. The following candidates have been shortlisted to be interviewed in October 2023.

1. Electoral Court (One vacancy: Judge-Member)

Judge Leicester Rock Adams

2. Labour Court and Labour Appeal Court (Deputy Judge President)

Judge Edwin Mogomotsi Molahlehi

3. Labour Appeal Court (Four vacancies)

Judge Mzikazi Zolashe Nozibele Lallie

Judge Madeline Portia Nompoti Nkutha-Nkontwana

Judge Kathrine Mary Savage

Judge Andre Van Niekerk

4. Labour Court (Three vacancies: Durban, Gqeberha and Johannesburg)

Adv Kelsey Allen-Yaman (Durban)

Mr Reynaud Neil Daniels (Johannesburg)

Mr Molatelo Robert Makhura (Johannesburg and Gqeberha)

Ms Gugulethu Purrifine Mthlane (Durban and Johannesburg)
Adv Mzungulu Roy Mthombeni

5. KwaZulu-Natal Division of the High Court, Durban (Two vacancies)

Ms Narini Nirmala Hiralall
Prof Mbuzeni Johnson Mathenjwa
Adv Cheryl Stephanie Antonia Smart
Mr Eric Boygani Zaca

6. Limpopo Division of the High Court, Thohoyandou (One vacancy)

Adv Lesibana Gemine Philemon Ledwaba

7. Gauteng Division of the High Court (Four vacancies)

Adv Soraya Khatija Hassim SC
Adv Shaida Aboo Baker Mahomed
Adv Richard Bonakele Mkhabela SC
Adv Omphemetse Mooki SC
Judge Graham Nasious Moshoana
Adv Jacobus Johannes Strijdom SC
Adv Brad Christopher Wanless SC

8. Supreme Court of Appeal (Four vacancies)

Judge Johannes Petrus Daffue
Judge Fayeeza Kathree-Setiloane
Judge Anna Maleshane Kgoele
Judge Nelisa Phiwokazi Mali
Judge Mokgere Busisiwe Shareen Masipa
Judge Gloria Nozuko Mjali
Judge Zamani Mswazi Nhlangulela
Judge Mmathebe Violet Phatshoane
Judge Namhla Thina Yvonne Siwendu
Judge John Eldrid Smith
Judge David Unterhalter



While the JSC advertised five vacancies at the Supreme Court of Appeal (SCA), one vacancy has been withdrawn and interviews will be conducted to fill only four vacancies at this stage.

The shortlisted candidates will be interviewed during the week of 2 to 6 October 2023 and will be notified of the venue, date and time of the interviews in due course.

Law bodies and any persons who wish to comment on the suitability or otherwise of a shortlisted candidate should address their comments to the Secretariat of the Judicial Service Commission at MMondlane@judiciary.org.za and TPhaahlamohlaka@judiciary.org.za, Copied to: JSC@judiciary.org.za. Comments in respect of each candidate must be submitted on a separate page in both pdf and word format, and must reach the Secretariat by no later than **1 September 2023. No comments received after 1 September 2023 will be considered.**

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