State of Illinois Supreme Court

At a Term of the Supreme Court, begun and held in Springfield, on Monday, the 8th of May, 2017.

Present: Lloyd A. Karmeier, Chief Justice

Justice Charles E. Freeman
Justice Robert R. Thomas
Justice Thomas L. Kilbride
Justice Rita B. Garman
Justice Anne M. Burke
Justice Mary Jane Theis

M.R. 27781(5)

In re: Illinois Judicial College Committee on Guardian *ad litem* Education

Charge

Under the direction of the Illinois Judicial College Board of Trustees, the Committee on Guardian *ad litem* Education shall coordinate and deliver continuing education for Guardians *ad litem*. This will include identifying opportunities to enhance the effective and efficient administration of justice in a way that promotes public integrity, trust and confidence, and considers the legal, sociological, cultural and technical issues that may impact decision making and court administration.

Order

Effective July 1, 2017, the following individuals are appointed to the Committee on Guardian *ad litem* Education for staggered terms expiring on the dates as indicated, or until such time that an appointee is no longer a member of the Committee on Guardian *ad litem* Education, whichever occurs earlier:

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Hon. Jennifer H. Bauknecht

Eleventh Judicial Circuit

Law & Justice Center

Circuit Judge

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Donald D. Bernardi Attorney at Law 1408 E. Ironwood Drive Normal, IL 61761 June 30, 2023 Hon. Mark H. Clarke Circuit Judge 1st Judicial Circuit Alexander County Courthouse 2000 Washington Avenue Cairo, IL 62914 June 30, 2023

Melissa A. Frydman Director, Family Advocacy Clinic University of Illinois 504 East Pennsylvania Avenue Champaign, IL 61820 June 30, 2019

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Effective July 1, 2017, the **Honorable Robert F. Harris** is appointed **Chairperson** of the Committee on Guardian *a litem* Education for a term expiring June 30, 2020.

Effective July 1, 2017, the **Honorable Mark H. Clarke** is appointed **Vice-Chairperson** of the Committee on Guardian *ad litem* Education for a term expiring June 30, 2020.

Effective July 1, 2017, the **Honorable Colleen F. Sheehan** shall serve as the **Illinois Judicial College Board of Trustees Liaison** to the Committee on Guardian *ad litem* Education.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of said Court, this 16th day of May, 2017.

Myn Taff Gusboll Clerk,
Supreme Court of the State of Illinois

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