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Assistant State's Attorney, Baltimore City, 1982-87. Assistant attorney general, Medicaid Fraud Unit, 1987-89. Assistant State's Attorney, Prince George's County, 1989-96 (chief, criminal trials division; chief, homicide & narcotics division). *Born in Baltimore, Maryland, April 16, 1957. Attended Western High School, Baltimore; Howard University, B.A., 1978; University of Maryland School of Law, J.D., 1981. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1982. Member, National, Prince George's County and J. Franklin Bourne Bar Associations. Adjunct Professor, Bowie State University.*

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Advocacy director, Maryland State Planning Council on Developmental Disabilities, 1975-76. Assistant attorney general, and principal counsel to Department of Human Resources, 1980-93. *Born in Baltimore, Maryland, May 10, 1949. Attended Friends School, Baltimore; Cornell University, B.A. (history), cum laude, 1971; University of Maryland School of Law, J.D., 1974. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1975. Member, Maryland State and Baltimore City Bar Associations; Women's Law Center; National Association of Women Judges. Staff attorney and full-time lecturer, Developmental Disabilities Law Project, University of Maryland School of Law, 1976-78. Directing attorney, Evergreen Legal Services, Port Angeles, Washington, 1978-80. Member, J. Dudley Digges Inn of Court. Jennifer L. Robbins Award from Maryland Attorney General in recognition of special achievement in field of human services, 1991.*

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Assistant Public Defender, St. Mary's County, 1972-74. Assistant State's Attorney, St. Mary's County, 1975-76. District Public Defender, District 4 (Calvert, Charles & St. Mary's counties), 1976-82. Member of House of Delegates, representing District 29B (St. Mary's & Calvert counties), 1983-99. Member, Environmental Matters Committee, 1983-90; Appropriations Committee, 1991-99 (capital budget subcommittee; oversight committee on pensions; oversight committee on program open space & agricultural land preservation; chair, transportation & the environment committee); Special Joint Committee on Pensions, 1993-99. House Chair, Joint Audit Committee (formerly Joint Budget and Audit Committee), 1995-97. Member, Joint Committee on Administrative, Executive and Legislative Review, 1995-98; Special Joint Committee on Competitive Taxation and Economic Development, 1996-97; Special Committee on School Enrollment Management, 1996-97; Joint Subcommittee on Program Open Space and Agricultural Land Preservation, 1998-99. Past member, Legislative Council's Special Committee on Rape and Related Offenses. Chair, St. Mary's County Delegation, 1995-99. Member, Tri-County Council for Southern

Maryland, 1983-99; Aquaculture Advisory Committee, 1988-95; Task Force on Feasibility of Future Consolidation of State Psychiatric Hospitals, 1993-95; Task Force on Affiliation between Historic St. Mary's City Commission and St. Mary's College of Maryland, 1996; Historic St. Mary's City Commission, 1997-. Past member, Youth Commission, St. Mary's County; Community College Advisory Board, St. Mary's County; Ethics Law Review Committee, St. Mary's County. Past member, Region II Planning Board, Governor's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice. *Born in Leonardtown, Maryland, August 5, 1943. Attended Great Mills High School, Great Mills, Maryland; St. Mary's College of Maryland, A.A., 1964; University of Maryland, B.S. (economics), 1967; University of Baltimore School of Law, LL.B., 1969. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1970. Member, Maryland State and St. Mary's County Bar Associations. Cross Bottany Award; St. Mary's College of Maryland Alumni Award; Outstanding Young Men of America Award; Delegate of the Year, Maryland Association of Psychosocial Services. Foundation member, Zeta Chapter, Phi Beta Kappa at St. Mary's College of Maryland.*

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Deputy State's Attorney, Allegany County, 1967-71. District Public Defender, Allegany and Garrett counties, 1972-81. Chair, District Advisory Board, Public Defender System, District 12, 1982-96. *Born in Cumberland, Maryland, October 10, 1939. Attended La Salle High School, Cumberland; St. Vincent College, B.A., 1961; University of Maryland School of Law, LL.B., 1964. Order of the Coif; University of Maryland, 1964. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1964. Member, Maryland State Bar Association; Allegany County Bar Association (president, 1991). Instructor (law enforcement & criminal justice), Allegany Community College, 1969-81.*

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