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EMPLOYMENT
OPPORTUNITY
ANNOUNCEMENT
STATE OF NEW YORK
UNIFIED COURT SYSTEM

PLEASE POST

ANNOUNCEMENT NO. 8502

PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITY

POSITION TITLE: COURT ATTORNEY - REFEREE

JG: 31

LOCATION: ERIE COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT
92 FRANKLIN ST., BUFFALO, NY 14202

BASE SALARY: \$ 101,593

CLASSIFICATION: NON-COMPETITIVE/CONFIDENTIAL

QUALIFICATIONS: Applicants must be currently employed by the NYS Unified Court System; **and** have Admission to the New York State Bar and Two (2) years of service in the Associate Court Attorney title; **or** Eight (8) years of relevant legal experience gained after admission to the New York State Bar

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF WORK:

Court Attorney-Referees act as special referees and research and analyze complex legal issues and questions raised in civil and criminal cases heard in trial courts or on appeal to certain County Courts and may be responsible for supervision of court attorneys and support staff who are located in one or more courts situated throughout a county, judicial district, or department. They serve in a confidential capacity and work with substantial independence from supervision in units located in the Court of Claims or special parts in the Supreme Court or in County, District, Family, and Surrogate's Courts in counties entirely within cities or in counties that have populations exceeding 400,000.

ASSIGNMENT:

Appointee will provide legal research assistance, conduct hearings and perform other legal related duties for Erie County Surrogate's Court and other courts within the 8th Judicial District as operational needs require.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by persons assigned to this title. They do not include all job duties performed by employees in the title, and every position does not necessarily require these duties. Although a position is available and situated at a specific location, the appointee may be subject to reassignment to any position in the same title in this promotion unit dependent upon the needs of the Unified Court System. All applications received from this announcement may be used to fill any vacancies in this title that may occur in this court or agency within the next six (6) months. Position(s) available at the present time: 1.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: All interested persons meeting the minimum qualifications are encouraged to submit a UCS-5 Application for Employment form (obtainable from any administrative office in a court building or on the web at www.nycourts.gov/careers/UCS5.pdf) and a resume to:

MARIE VILLARI
PRINCIPAL ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE
92 FRANKLIN STREET
BUFFALO, NY 14202
(716) 845-2505

APPLICANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO COMPLETE THE EEO DATA COLLECTION FORM.

POSTING DATE: February 11, 2015

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED OR RECEIVED BY: February 25, 2015

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