UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA SURVEY FOR JUDGE PAUL M. BAISIER

Judge Paul M. Baisier of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Georgia asked the Federal Judicial Center (FJC) to survey members of the Bar to assess his performance. The judge's decision to ask the FJC to conduct this survey is entirely voluntary and is part of Judge Baisier's ongoing commitment to provide the highest level of public service possible. The FJC is the research and education organization for the federal courts and is located in Washington, D.C.

During the week of April 26th, the FJC will send an email to each attorney who has practiced before Judge Baisier during the past three years. The email will explain how to access and complete an online questionnaire.

The questionnaire contains both closed-ended questions (e.g., rating scales) and openended questions. Research staff at the FJC will compile and analyze together the responses from all lawyers and will provide Judge Baisier a report, including the comments that are received in response to the open-ended questions and statistical tables aggregating the results for the closed-ended questions. FJC staff will not provide anyone (including the judge) with the identity of the people who responded, if FJC staff become aware of that information. The results are exclusively for Judge Baisier's use in improving his performance; the FJC will not provide the results to anyone other than the judge and the results will not be used in the reappointment process.

If you do not receive an email from the FJC and want to participate, please contact Beth Wiggins of the FJC by phone at 202-215-2861 or by email at bwiggins@fjc.gov.

If you have questions about the survey or encounter any technical difficulties, please also contact Beth Wiggins. If you would prefer to complete a paper version of the questionnaire, she can provide you with a copy and instructions for returning it to the FJC.