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- a. That the person meet all legal requirements, including those in the Wisconsin Constitution, for becoming a member of the judiciary; and
  - b. That the person is a member in good standing of the State Bar of Wisconsin and a resident of the State of Wisconsin; and
  - c. That the person appointed is likely to measure up to those standards outlining the significant qualities of an ideal judge as set forth in Section 60.01 of the Wisconsin Supreme Court Rules; and
  - d. That the person is fair, experienced, even-tempered, and free of biases against any class of citizens or any religious or racial groups; and
  - e. That the person possesses sound mental and physical health such that he or she can fully and completely perform the duties of the office for which the vacancy exists;
8. Provide that the Governor shall designate from the Council membership a Chairperson; and
  9. Provide that the Council shall adopt such rules concerning its operating procedures as it deems appropriate; and
  10. Instruct and encourage the Council to solicit applications for each judicial vacancy; instruct the Council to review the qualifications of all those interested in appointment, and to provide the Governor with a list of at least three but no more than five persons who the Council regards as best qualified for the vacant position no later than six weeks after notification of the vacancy; and
  11. Instruct the Council to keep all proceedings confidential, consistent with state law; and
  12. Instruct the Secretary of the Department of Administration to provide the Council with sums of money that are necessary and proper for the legitimate travel and operating expenses of the Council as provided by the Joint Committee on Finance under Section 20.505(3)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes.



By the Governor:

  
Douglas La Follette  
Secretary of State

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this twenty-seventh day of April in the year two thousand and one.

  
Scott McCallum  
Governor