

## **Supreme Court of Illinois**

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## MEDIA ADVISORY – January 11, 2013

## JUSTICE RITA B. GARMAN TO SWEAR IN JUDGE LISA HOLDER WHITE AS THE NEWEST MEMBER OF THE ILLINOIS APPELLATE COURT

WHO: Justice Rita B. Garman of the Illinois Supreme Court

**WHAT:** Swearing-in Ceremony of Circuit Judge Lisa Holder White to the Illinois Appellate Court – Fourth Judicial District

WHEN: Monday, January 14, 2013 – 9:30 a.m.

WHERE: Ceremonial Courtroom, Supreme Court Building, 200 E. Capitol Avenue Springfield

Justice Garman will administer the judicial oath of office to Circuit Judge Lisa Holder White of the Sixth Judicial Circuit as an Appellate Court justice. Judge White was assigned by the Supreme Court to fill the judicial vacancy created by the death of the Hon. John McCullough.

Judge White will become the first African American to be seated on the Fourth District Appellate Court.

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