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Subject: State Bar Appointment

The Idaho State Bar has appointed Chief United States Magistrate Judge Larry M. Boyle to a three-year term on the *Judicial Integrity and Independence Committee*.

The purpose of the Committee, chaired by Boise attorney Craig Meadows, was mentioned in the August President's Message of *The Advocate*, and will study judicial elections in Idaho state courts and issues related to maintaining an independent judiciary.

Judge Boyle has a long history of service to the practicing Bar, the State of Idaho judiciary and the federal judiciary, including service on a national committee on the appointment of United States Supreme Court Chief Justice William Rehnquist. Judge Boyle served an unprecedented eight years on that prominent United States Judicial Conference committee from 1998 to 2006.