

**SUPREME COURT  
No. 2023-04**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER**

Pursuant to G.L. 1956 § 8-8.2-1(c) which requires the Chief Justice to appoint magistrates to the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal with the advice and consent of the Senate, a Magistrate Selection Committee was convened pursuant to Executive Order No. 2022-09 for the purpose of soliciting and reviewing applications from candidates for the position of magistrate in the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal.

Executive Order 2022-09 is hereby amended as follows:

The Magistrate Selection Committee shall have until March 31, 2023 to transmit to the Chief Justice a list of five (5) to seven (7) names of highly qualified candidates. From this list and the list provided by the Magistrate Selection Committee, designated by Executive Order No. 2022-03, the Chief Justice will fill three (3) vacancies on the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal. The three vacancies to be filled were created by: 1) the retirement of the Honorable Lillian Almeida in December of 2021; 2) the addition of a new magistrate position within the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal, codified by P.L. 2022, ch. 336, § 2 and P.L. 2022, ch. 337, § 2; and 3) the impending retirement, as of March 31, 2023, of the Honorable Edward C. Parker, Associate Judge of the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal.

Entered as an Executive Order of this Court on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2023.

BY ORDER:

/s/  
Paul A. Sutell  
Chief Justice