

# MODIFICATION REQUEST COVER SHEET

<b>Name of Filer</b>	<b>LAURA INVEEN</b>
<b>Reporting Period</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annual report – calendar year 2014 <input type="checkbox"/> Candidate/Appointee report
<b>Type of Request</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Renewal with No Change – <u>original granted on August 28, 2008</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal with Change
<b>Office Held/Sought &amp; Term</b>	Superior Court Judge, King County Elected term expires December, 2016
<b>Application Rule(s)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Income & Ownership Interest: WAC 390-28-100(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Residence: WAC 390-28-100(d) <input type="checkbox"/> Attorney: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(i) <input type="checkbox"/> Judge / Judicial Candidate: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(ii) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spousal: WAC 390-28-100(1)(e)(iv) <input type="checkbox"/> Other: WAC 390-28-100(1)(a)(c)
<b>Supporting Documents (attached)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Current F-1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Modification Application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prior order (if renewal) – <u>Order # 3201</u>
<b>Reason(s) for Modification (as stated by filer)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Judge Inveen is requesting renewal of the reporting modification that would exempt her from disclosing the business and other governmental customers that paid \$12,000, during 2014, to Kirkpatrick, Lockhart, Preston, Gates &amp; Ellis (K &amp; L Gates), a large law firm of which her spouse is a member with less than 1% ownership interest.</li> <li>• Judge Inveen said that K &amp; L Gates had over \$1 billion dollars in revenue, with more than 13,000 business clients. The firm has 2,000 attorneys and more than 3,000 other employees in 48 offices throughout the United States and worldwide. She stated that more than 6,000 customers would be subject to disclosure.</li> <li>• Judge Inveen stated that it would be a logistical hardship to provide a list of reportable business and other governmental customers of K &amp; L Gates. She said it would also be virtually impossible to review all of the clients to determine which would have a privacy interest, or would need to give permission to have their information disclosed, as many entities do not wish the fact that they are employing a law firm to be disclosed.</li> <li>• Judge Inveen stated that her husband is not part of the governing structure of the firm, and does not have immediate access to the law firm's client lists without making a special request.</li> <li>• Judge Inveen said that she has no connection with K &amp; L Gates. She stated that as a judge, she recuses herself from hearing any matters handled by K &amp; L Gates, whether she knows the lawyer or not. She stated that she has made herself aware of her husband's clients and does not handle these clients' matters.</li> </ul>
<b>Staff Recommendations</b>	Approve renewal of the reporting modification with no change.