

## PERSONAL DATA QUESTIONNAIRE

1. State your full name:

Amanda Green Hawkins

Have you ever been known by any other name? If so, please list.

Yes. Amanda Green

2. Office address (include zip code):

United Steelworkers – Civil Rights Dept., 60 Blvd of the Allies, Pittsburgh PA 15222

Office telephone (include area code):

412-562-2486

Name of law firm, if associated:

N/A

3. Date and place of birth:

August 7, 1971; Jersey City, NJ

4. Are you a naturalized citizen? If so, give date and place of naturalization:

N/A

5. Family status:

- a) Are you married? If so, state the date of marriage and your spouse's full name, including maiden name, if applicable:

Yes. October 24, 2009; Curtis Rommie Hawkins

- b) Have you been divorced? If so, state the date, the number of the case and the court:

No.

6. Have you had any military service? No. If so,

- a) Give dates, branch of service, rank of rate, and present status:

N/A

- b) Have you ever been rejected or released from any of the armed services for reasons other than honorable? If so, give details:

N/A

7. List each college and law school you attended, including dates of attendance, and the degrees awarded and, if you left any institution without receiving a degree, the reason for leaving. List scholastic honors:

Duke University, BA; 1989-1993  
Northeastern Univ. School of Law, JD; 1998-2001

8. List all jurisdictions in which you have applied to take a bar examination, have applied for admission or have been admitted to practice. Include dates of admissions and if not admitted, give application dates and explain the outcome.

U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit; October 14, 2003  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit; August 28, 2008  
U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit; September 29, 2003  
U.S. Court of International Trade; July 1, 2004  
U.S. District Court for the Western District of North Carolina – Charlotte Division  
PA; September 9, 2003  
NJ; August 1, 2003

9. Describe chronologically your law practice and experience after your graduation from law school, including:

- a) Whether you served as clerk to a judge and, if so, the name of the judge, the court, and the dates of the period you were a clerk:

Hon. Lawrence M. Lawson, AJSC  
Superior Court of New Jersey - Monmouth County  
71 Monument Park  
Freehold, NJ 07728  
Sept. 2001-Aug. 2002, Judicial Clerk

- b) Whether you practiced alone and, if so, the addresses and the dates:  
N/A

- c) The dates, names and addresses of law firms or offices, companies or governmental agencies with which you have been connected and the nature of your connection with each:

United Steelworkers  
60 Blvd of the Allies  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Sept. 2002-Dec. 2010, Assistant General Counsel  
Jan. 2011-present, Assistant General Counsel and Director, Civil and Human Rights Dept.

- d) Any other relevant particulars:  
I represented a client, pro bono, in a matter before the Commonwealth Court.

10. With respect to your practice:

- a) What has been the general character of your practice, dividing it into periods with dates if its character has changed over the years?

From approximately September 2003-October 2010, I represented the Steelworkers in litigation in several federal courts throughout the country. The general character of the practice included filing pleadings, conducting discovery, filing motions, writing briefs and appearing for oral argument in several federal district and federal appellate courts. I also represented the Steelworkers before federal and state administrative agencies. Other characteristics of the practice included supervising outside counsel in ongoing litigation, advising the union on contract proposals, and administering and enforcing contracts.

From approximately October 2010-present, the general character of the practice is advising the Steelworkers on various employment law matters relating to discrimination and harassment. I also develop curricula for training and conduct compliance training relating to discrimination and harassment, and represent the Steelworkers before the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and comparable state administrative agencies with jurisdiction over employment discrimination issues. I also conduct workshops to assist staff and local union leaders with contract administration and enforcement.

- b) Describe your typical clients and mention the areas, if any, in which you have concentrated your practice:

My practice has been concentrated in labor and employment law as in-house counsel for an international labor union.

11. With respect to the last five years:

- a) Did you appear in court regularly, occasionally, or not at all? If the frequency of your appearances in court has varied during this period, describe each such variance, giving the dates thereof:

I represented one client, pro bono, in Commonwealth Court.

b) What percentage of these appearances was in:

1. Federal courts: N/A
2. State courts of record: N/A
3. Other courts: 100%; Commonwealth Court

c) What percentage of your litigation was:

1. Civil: 100%
2. Criminal: N/A

d) State the number of cases in courts of record you tried to verdict or judgment (rather than settled), indicating whether you were sole counsel, chief counsel or associate counsel:

None.

e) What percentage of these trials were:

1. Jury: N/A
2. Non-jury: N/A

12. Summarize your experience in court prior to the last five years, indicating as to that period:

a) Whether your appearances in court were more or less frequent:

My court appearances were more frequent and occurred in federal appellate court and federal district court.

b) Any significant changes in the percentages stated in your answers to question 11(b), (c) and (e):

All of the appearances were in federal court for civil matters. I had no trials.

c) Any significant changes in the number of cases per year in courts of record you tried to verdict or judgment (rather than settled), as sole counsel, chief counsel or associate counsel.

N/A

13. Describe five of the most significant litigated matters which you personally handled and give the citations thereto, if the cases were reported. Give a capsule summary of the substance of each case and a succinct statement of what you believe to be the particular significance of the case. Identify the party or parties whom you represented and describe in detail the nature of your participation in the litigation and the final

disposition of the case. Also state as to each case a) the dates of the trial periods; b) the name of the court and the judge before whom the case was tried; and c) the individual name, address and telephone numbers of co-counsel for each of the other parties;

In United Steel, Paper and Forestry, Rubber, Manufacturing, Energy, Allied-Industrial and Service Workers Int'l Union, AFL-CIO/CLC and its Local No. 850L v. Continental Tire North America, Inc., 562 F.Supp.2d 677 (W.D.N.C. 2008), I represented the Plaintiff, also known as United Steelworkers, in an action to compel arbitration of grievances over employee benefits. The case is significant because it endorses the arbitrability of disputes even where the contract has expired. More importantly, this decision affected a rather large bargaining unit that relied on the negotiated benefits that were at issue. I prepared the pleadings, and wrote the brief with some editing by my colleague. There was no trial. The Court granted our motion for summary judgment after oral argument. I gave the entire oral argument. This matter was before the Hon. David Kessler. Counsel for Defendants were Brent Knight, Esq. and Brian W. Easley, Esq., Jones Day Reavis & Pogue, 77 W. Wacker Dr., #3500, Chicago, IL 60601; 312-782-3939. My co-counsel was Michael Okun, Esq., Patterson Harkavy, 100 Europa Dr., Ste. 420, Chapel Hill, NC 27517; 919-942-5200.

In *Former Employees of Citation Corporation v. United States*, Docket # 04-00198, I represented the Plaintiffs in the United States Court of International Trade. Plaintiffs lost their jobs when their plant closed, and applied for Trade Adjustment Assistance benefits, but their application was denied. We sought an order that Plaintiffs be certified as eligible for benefits, or that the matter be remanded for a proper hearing and investigation. The Court ordered the United States to conduct another hearing and investigation. This was significant because approximately 226 former employees were impacted. There was no trial. I gave the entire oral argument for the Plaintiffs, and wrote the brief with no assistance from another attorney. This matter was before the Hon. Timothy C. Stanceu.

In *B.S. v. Dept. of Public Welfare*, Docket # 761-CD-2014, I represented the Plaintiff who was denied a hearing based on the ALJ's application of res judicata. We appealed to Commonwealth Court arguing that the case fit within the exceptions to res judicata, and that Plaintiff should be granted a new hearing. The case settled after I filed the brief. It is significant because the Plaintiff's license to operate a family child daycare had been revoked. Operation of this home-based business was Plaintiff's source of income. I represented Plaintiff, pro bono.

In *Woodell v. Ormet Primary Aluminum*, Docket # 04-0726, I worked with outside counsel to represent Defendant United Steelworkers in the Supreme Court of Ohio. Plaintiff sought leave to appeal the lower court's dismissal of his tort claims. The Union successfully argued in the trial court and in the Seventh District Court of Appeals that Plaintiff's claims were preempted by federal law. The Supreme Court declined to grant Plaintiff leave to appeal. This case is significant because it recognizes employees' right to freedom of speech in the context of a labor dispute, thereby preempting tort claims under state law. I did not appear in this matter, but worked through outside counsel and wrote the brief. Outside counsel was Timothy F. Cogan, Esq., Cassidy Myers Cogan, 1413 Eoff St., Wheeling, WV 26003; 304-232-8100.

In *Ideal Electric Co. v. United Steelworkers, Local 850*, Docket # 1:04-CV-6, I worked with outside counsel to represent United Steelworkers, Local 850 in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio, Eastern Division. We were seeking enforcement of an arbitration award, and I filed the motion for summary judgment and wrote the supporting brief. The case is significant because it recognizes the deference given to labor arbitration awards, and the narrow scope of review for arbitration awards. Outside counsel was Timothy J. Gallagher, Esq., Schwarzwald & McNair, 1300 East Ninth St., Ste. 616, Cleveland, OH 44114; 216-566-1600.

14. If a substantial period of your practice has been before administrative boards, commissions or agencies during the past five years, identify the boards, commissions or agencies before which you have practiced and estimate percentages of practice time devoted thereto:

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, 30%  
PA Human Relations Commission, 10%

15. If a substantial portion of your practice has been before Appellate courts during the past five years, identify the Appellate Courts before which you have practiced and estimate percentages of practice time devoted thereto:

N/A

16. a) Have you ever held judicial office? If so, give dates and details, including the courts involved, whether elected or appointed, periods of services, and a description of the jurisdiction of each of such courts with any limitations upon the jurisdiction of each court:

No.

- b) Have you ever held public office other than judicial office? If so, give details, including the office involved, whether elected or appointed, and the length of your service, giving details:

Yes. I was appointed as a councilmember to represent Council District 13 of the Allegheny County Council in March 2008, and in 2009, I ran and won to fill the remainder of the term until 2011. In 2011, I ran and won to fill the term from 2012-2015.

I was also appointed as a Member of the Board for the Port Authority of Allegheny County in July 2011, and reappointed in September 2013. My term expired in December 2015.

17. Have you ever been an unsuccessful candidate for elective, judicial, or other public office? If so, give details, including dates:

No.

18. Have you ever been engaged in any occupation, business or profession other than the practice of law or the holding of judicial or other public office? If so, give details, including dates:

Yes, I was an independent consultant for Pure Romance from March 2017 until September 2017.

19. Are you now an officer or director or otherwise engaged in the management of any business enterprise?

a) If so, give details, including the name of your enterprise, the nature of the business, the title or other description of your position, the nature of your duties and the term of your service.

No.

b) Is it your intention to resign such positions and withdraw from any participation in the management of any such enterprises if you are elected and confirmed? If not, give reasons:

N/A

20. Have you ever been arrested, charged with or convicted of violating any federal law or regulation, state law or regulation, or county or municipal law, regulation or ordinance? If so, give details. Do not include summary traffic offenses:

No.

21. Are you under any ongoing federal, state or local investigation or indictment for possible violation of a criminal statute? If so, give particulars:

No.

22. Has a tax lien or other collection procedure been instituted against you by federal, state or local authorities? If so, give particulars:

No.

23. Have you ever been sued by a client? If so, give particulars:

No.

24. Have you ever been a party or otherwise involved in any other legal proceedings? If so, give the particulars. Do not list proceedings in which you were merely a guardian ad litem or stakeholder. Include all legal proceedings in which you were a party in interest,

a material witness, were named as co-conspirator or a co-respondent and any grand jury investigation in which you figured as a subject or in which you appeared as a witness:

Hawkins v. Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Civil Division, Docket # GD18-010335 (lawsuit because of property damage from broken water main)

Hawkins v. Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority before the Public Utility Commission, Docket # C-2018-3003793 (complaint filed because of property damage from broken water main; complaint withdrawn and the matter is closed)

Hawkins v. Staybright Electric of CO, Inc., et al. in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Civil Division, Docket# GD-16-017744 (loss of consortium claim because of personal injury in an auto accident)

Hawkins v. Bey, et al., in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Civil Division, Docket# AR-17-2565 (Defendants' appeal of an arbitration award where they were ordered to pay damages)

Seahawk Projects, Inc. v. Steele City Contracting, LLC, in the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County, Civil Division, Docket# 2016-CV-9280-CV (lawsuit for breach of contract and theft of services)

25. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by, or been the subject of a complaint to, any court, administrative agency, bar association, disciplinary committee, or other professional group? If so, give the particulars:

No.

26. What is the present state of your health? (If any medical condition or issue exists, you may be requested to execute a medical record authorization form as part of the interview process.)

I have no current medical issues or conditions, and I visit my physician as recommended.

27. Do any circumstances exist that would affect your ability to perform the function of the position you seek or fulfill the term of office? If so, please explain.

No.



28. Furnish at least five examples of legal articles, law review articles, briefs, or other legal writings which reflect your personal work. If briefs are submitted, indicate the degree to which they represent your personal work:

Five briefs are submitted with this application, and marked as Sample 1 through Sample 5. I wrote Sample 1, with editing assistance from another attorney. I wrote and edited each of the remaining briefs identified as Samples 2-5, and they represent my personal work without assistance from another attorney.

29. List all bar associations and professional societies of which you are a member and give the titles and dates of any offices which you have held in such groups. List chairmanships of any committees in bar associations and professional societies and memberships on any committees which you believe to be of particular significance (e.g., judicial selection committee, disciplinary committee, grievance committee).

AFL-CIO Lawyers Coordinating Committee, Member

American Bar Association, Member

30. List your experiences in teaching and lecturing, including law school, continuing legal education and to non-legal audiences.

Faculty, ABA Section of Labor and Employment Law - EEO Committee National Conference, 2011

Faculty, ABA Section of Labor and Employment Law Conference, 2012

Track Coordinator, ABA Section of Labor and Employment Law Conference, 2014

Faculty, ABA Webinar titled Harassment and Bullying Investigations: What to Know When Conducting Effective Investigations, 2018

Teaching Facilitator, Northeastern Univ. School of Law, Winter 1999-2000 and Fall 2001

Guest Lecturer, Carlow Univ., Introduction to U.S. Labor History, Fall 2018

Workshop Facilitator on various labor and employment law issues and topics, United Steelworkers, 2002-present

Guest Lecturer, Univ. of Pittsburgh's Roscoe Robinson, Jr. Memorial Lecture Series, approx. 2011

31. List all organizations other than bar associations, professional associations or societies of which you are or have been a member, including civic, charitable, religious, educational, social and fraternal organizations:

Mt. Ararat Baptist Church

Venture Outdoors, Boardmember

New Voices Pittsburgh, Advisory Committee Member

Women's Law Project, Trustee

Pittsburgh Zoo, Boardmember

Urban League of Greater Pittsburgh

NAACP – Pittsburgh Chapter

Democratic National Committee, Member and DNC Rules and Bylaws Committee, Member

32. List any honors, prizes, awards or other forms of recognition which you have received (including any indication of academic distinction in college or law school) other than those mentioned in answers to the foregoing questions.

Community College of Allegheny County, Vanguard Diversity Award

Pittsburgh Progressive Woman

New Voices Voice of Justice Award

Women and Girls Foundation, Art of Justice Honoree  
Allegheny County Democratic Committee, Catherine Baker Knoll Award

New Pittsburgh Courier Feb 40

Citation from Hon. Jack Wagner, Auditor General

Citations from PA House of Representatives

Special Recognition from Sen. Jane Orie

Proclamation from Pittsburgh City Council

33. State any other information which may reflect positively or adversely on you or which you believe should be disclosed in connection with consideration of you for an election to an Appellate Court of Pennsylvania.

I also have the following legal experience:

Mediator; Superior Court of New Jersey – Monmouth County, Special Civil Part, Freehold, NJ; September 2001 to August 2002

Law Clerk; Levy, Ratner & Behroozi, New York, NY; December 2000-February 2001

Law Clerk; International Union of Electronic, Electrical, Salaried, Machine and Furniture Workers (IUE), Washington, DC; March 2000-August 2000

Judicial Intern; Hon. Joseph A. Greenaway, USDJ, US District Court, District of New Jersey, Newark, NJ; September 1999-November 1999

34. Why do you wish to become a Justice or Judge? What special strengths do you feel you possess that would particularly well qualify you for the position of Justice or Judge?

In my previous service on the Allegheny County Council, I sponsored and secured passage of a county-level civil rights law that protects the rights of women, LGBT people, racial and religious minorities. This achievement required me to listen to competing opinions and work hard to protect the interests of underrepresented and disadvantaged minorities. My background demonstrates that I have devoted my legal career full force to public service. My law practice, which has focused on appellate work, suits me for the Pennsylvania Superior Court, which I am convinced is the next natural step in my career. I have spent my career developing skills in assembling and working with a team, delving into competing interests, harmonizing those interests in a way that promotes justice and fairness, and standing by my decisions once I am persuaded that I have thoroughly considered the issues. I want to have a broader impact by contributing my experience, my skill, and my conviction to the Superior Court.

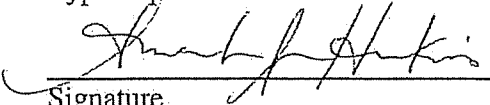
35. Did you sign the PBA Judicial Campaign Advertising Guidelines? (Please return signed pledge with completed questionnaire.)

Yes.

**CERTIFICATION STATEMENT**

The undersigned certifies that all of the statements made in this questionnaire are true, complete and correct to the best of his/her knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

Amanda Green-Hawkins  
Type or print name

  
Signature

12/14/2018  
Date