



BETH OTTER AUCTION

In June 1998, an exhibit of courtroom drawings was held in Baltimore's City Hall entitled "Otter in the Court." It attracted many legal world regulars, judges and lawyers who enjoyed seeing themselves captured in action. Among them was former Bar Library Board of Director and then Baltimore State's Attorney Patricia C. Jessamy, who praised Otter's artwork for its emotional range and intensity. Of fellow lawyers, Jessamy said in jest, "They know they have not arrived until they've been depicted in Beth's drawings." **Come join us on, Thursday, May 26 for "Otter in the Court – Part II".**

Featured Sketches: Among those portrayed by Ms. Otter, that will be on display, and up for auction, are renditions of Judges Edward J. Angeletti; Stuart R. Berger; Elsbeth Levy Bothe; Roger W. Brown; John Carroll Byrnes; Evelyn Omega Cannon; Andre M. Davis; John F. Fader, II; Marvin J. Garbis; Askew W. Gatewood, Jr.; John M. Glynn; Clifton J. Gordy; Clayton Greene, Jr.; Marcella Holland; Mabel Houze Hubbard; Joseph H. H. Kaplan; Kenneth Lavon Johnson; Shirley B. Jones; Keith E. Matthews; Joseph Patrick McCurdy, Jr.; J. Frederick Motz; John N. Prevas; William D. Quarles, Jr.; Paul A. Smith; Marvin B. Steinberg; and John C. Themelis. Pictured counsel include Henry Belsky; Gregg L. Bernstein; Timothy J. Doory (pre- investiture); M. Albert Figinski; Althea M. Handy (preinvestiture); Sharon May; and Stephen Montanarelli.

Office Décor Galore: These **signed originals** truly are amazing and would greatly enhance the **décor** of any law office.

Now & Then: For a sample of the kinds of extraordinary sketches you are going to encounter on May 26, visit the "gallery" along the walls of the 1st, 2nd, 4th and 6th floors of the Mitchell Courthouse. On May 26 there will be thirty wonderfully framed sketches up for auction.

Refreshments & Entertainment: The event will be catered by L. DiPasquale & Sons with music by Mr. Joe Williams.

Place: Mitchell Courthouse – 100 North Calvert Street – Main Reading Room of the Bar Library (Room 618, Mitchell Courthouse).

Time: 5:00 p.m., Thursday, May 26, 2016.

Invitees: All are invited.

R.S.V.P.: Although it is not necessary to register your attendance, we ask that if you are interested in attending, for the purposes of ordering food and beverages, you let us know by telephoning the Library at 410-727-0280 or by e-mail to jwbennett@barlib.org.

For Fun, and everyone likes fun, use the links below to check out our sketches. If you are a Baltimore City practitioner, or have ever appeared in the courts of Baltimore (State & Federal), instead of looking for Waldo, you can look for yourself. If you can identify anyone, including yourself, could you indicate who and what sketch. We are trying to identify everyone but are not quite there yet. Thanks and hope to see you Thursday, May 26.

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