



Luis A. Aponte
Council President

February 19, 2015

Ms. Lori Hagen
City Clerk
City of Providence
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Madam Clerk:

Please be advised that Mr. Kas DeCarvalho, Esq., has withdrawn his name from consideration as a Council appointee to the Providence Ethics Commission. Therefore, in accordance with Section 17-33 of the Code of Ordinances, I am hereby nominating Mr. Daniel E. Chaika, Esq., of 34 Elgin Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906, to serve as one of three City Council appointees to the Ethics Commission.

Mr. Chaika shall serve a term of four years, to expire on February 4, 2019.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Luis A. Aponte".

Luis A. Aponte
Council President

IN CITY COUNCIL

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READ
WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.
A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Lori Hagen".
CLERK

DANIEL E. CHAIKA

CURRICULUM VITAE

DESCRIPTION OF PRESENT PRACTICE

General Practitioner appearing extensively in the Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and Connecticut District and Family Courts as well as the Superior Court and Traffic Tribunal representing parties in criminal, civil and family law matters.

EXPERIENCE

- Appointed as commissioner, special master, and guardian ad litem by various Judges in the Rhode Island Family Court.
- Member of the Rhode Island Family Law Inn of Court
- 1993 – Became Managing Partner of Chaika & Chaika.
- 1990 – Became partner in the law firm of Chaika & Chaika.
- 1988 – Joined Chaika & Chaika as an associate.
- 1987-1988 – Joined Rhode Island Supreme Court law clerk pool.

EDUCATION

1984–1987	Suffolk University Law School	Boston, MA
■	Juris Doctor degree.	
1980–1984	Providence College	Providence, RI
	B.A. Cum Laude.	

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW IN:

- Connecticut
 - Massachusetts
 - Rhode Island
- Rhode Island and Massachusetts Federal Courts

EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS ORGANIZED/PRESENTED

April 2009 -Allegations of Sexual Abuse Made During Divorce Proceedings
March 2010 -Medical Records-Ethical Considerations and Use as Evidence
November 2010 - The Child's Gotta Go - Visitation Issues
April 2012 – Who Wants To Be An Ethical Practitioner
October 2012–Who Wants To Be An Ethical Practitioner
April 2013 – Who Wants To Be An Ethical Practitioner