UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

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CLERK OF COURT

MARK S. DAVIS
CHIEF JUDGE

ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

November 14, 2022

Today, Lindsey R. Vaala was sworn in as a Magistrate Judge for the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia in the Alexandria division.

Judge Vaala is a 2002 graduate of Davidson College. She received a M.A. from NYU in Madrid in 2003 and graduated from the College of William and Mary Law School in 2008.

Judge Vaala served as a law clerk to the Honorable Theresa Carroll Buchanan in the Eastern District of Virginia from 2008 to 2009. She then joined the Washington, D.C. office of Vinson & Elkins LLP.

Judge Vaala was selected for an eight-year term by the United States district judges of the Eastern District of Virginia on the recommendation of a volunteer merit selection panel comprised of lawyers and other citizens from Northern Virginia.