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Executive Department

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Columbus

I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint, Thomas ■ Taneff, P.I.L., J.D., from New Albany, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the State Cosmetology and Barber Board for a new term beginning November 1, 2018 and ending at the close of business October 31, 2023, replacing Thomas ■ Taneff, whose term expired.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I
have hereunto subscribed my name
and caused the Great Seal of the State
of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this
31st day of October in the year of our
Lord, Two Thousand and Eighteen.

John R. Kasich
Governor

Thomas Taneff is the principal of Thomas Taneff Co., LPA. He has been practicing law for over 30 years.

Thomas Taneff has worked in probate, estate planning, estate administration, and adoption services throughout his entire legal career. As a former Franklin County Probate Court Magistrate and in nearly two decades of private practice focusing on probate and adoption law, Thomas Taneff has learned these specific legal areas from every possible perspective.

Thomas earned a Juris Doctor from Capital University Law School and a Bachelor of Science from The Ohio State University. He also completed a post-graduate program at the Harvard Law School.

He focuses his practice on

- Probate
- Estate Administration
- Estate Planning
- Guardianship
- Adoption
- Birth Mother Adoption
- Surrogacy
- Foster Parent

Thomas was a former judicial law clerk under the Honorable Probate Judge Richard Metcalf and then served as a Franklin County Probate Court Magistrate.

Tommy Taneff is proud to announce being elected as an Ohio Super Lawyer from 2011 through 2018. Tommy is included among the top 5% of attorneys in Ohio, and among the most highly regarded attorneys in the profession. Ohio Super Lawyers selection process includes peer nominations, a blue ribbon panel review and independent research of candidates.

He is a recipient of the 2005 Congressional “Angels in Adoption” award for his commitment and dedication to improving the lives of children through his adoption work.

He is a member of the Columbus Bar Association and the Ohio State Bar Association.

Thomas was a member of former Ohio Governor George Voinovich’s Adoption Task Force and Commission that rewrote the Ohio adoption code to help safeguard adoptions. He also sat on the Franklin County Children’s Services Adoption Committee, which was responsible for removing age and race as factors restricting Ohio adoptions.

Thomas is regularly featured on local TV stations WBNS-TV, WCMH-TV, and WSYX-TV for stories pertaining to both probate and adoption issues. He also frequently writes a Law You Can Use column for numerous Ohio newspapers. Thomas has also been used by the Columbus Dispatch as an expert in stories they have done on adoption.

He is a frequent lecturer at Capital University Law School, both the Columbus and Ohio State Bar Associations, and numerous central Ohio hospitals.

Thomas is a former trustee of Jewish Family Services and The Ohio State Board of Cosmetology. He served as a New Albany Village Councilman for nearly ten years.

GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Date: 10/31/2018

Name of Appointee: Mr. Thomas Taneff, P.I.L., J.D.

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Name of Commission: State Cosmetology and Barber Board

Contact: Chris Logsdon
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Term Begins: 11/1/2018

Term Ends: 10/31/2023

Party Affiliation: Republican

Senate Confirmation: Appointed by the Governor, confirmed by the Senate

Financial Disclosure: Public disclosure required

Vice: Thomas N. Taneff