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District of Minnesota
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United States District Court for the District of Minnesota
Reappointment of Magistrate Steven E. Rau

MINNEAPOLIS, MN – Chief Judge John R. Tunheim is pleased to announce the re-appointment of Magistrate Judge Steven E. Rau to the United States District Court, District of Minnesota.

Judge Rau took his initial oath of office on January 14, 2011 and was re-appointed to another eight year term on November 9, 2018.

Chief Judge John R. Tunheim had the following statement, “I am delighted to have Judge Rau with us for another eight years. His dedication, thoughtfulness, and commitment to justice are paramount for a Magistrate Judge and I am confident he will continue to serve the District wonderfully.”

Judge Rau was born and raised in Massachusetts. He received his undergraduate degree from Carleton College and his law degree from William Mitchell College of Law. From 2000 until his initial appointment, Rau was been a partner with Flynn Gaskins & Bennett, and before that was with Lindquist and Vennum. He also served as a law clerk to Minnesota Supreme Court Chief Justice Douglas K. Amdahl.

Judge Rau’s chambers will remain in the Warren E. Burger Federal Building & United States Courthouse, where he has been chambered since 2011.

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