POSITION SUMMARY

The position available is for an Assistant Public Defender in the appellate division of the York County Public Defender’s Office. The successful candidate will handle indigent criminal appeals, including appeals to the Pennsylvania Superior Court and Pennsylvania Supreme Court. The position also entails occasionally handling PCRA and contempt proceedings.

ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS

- Active license to practice law in Pennsylvania
- Familiarity with criminal and appellate law and procedures
- Strong legal research skills
- Strong writing skills
- Intellectual curiosity
- Good organizational skills and ability to manage deadlines
- Ability to communicate well with indigent clients
- Ability to travel to appellate courts for oral arguments

COMPENSATION

- Minimum salary of $67,000
- Comprehensive benefits package, including:
  - Excellent healthcare
  - 10 vacation days per year
  - 6 sick days per year
  - 2 personal days per year

TO APPLY

Interested candidates should forward a cover letter and resumé to Senior Assistant Public Defender Brian McNeil at bmcneil@yorkcountypa.gov.