

## Vacancies in the Federal Judiciary - 109th Congress

Apr 1, 2006

| Circuit               | Vacancy Created By         | Reason   | Vacancy Date | Nominee                  | Nomination |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------|------------|
| <b>First Circuit</b>  |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| PR                    | Laffitte, Hector M.        | Senior   | 11/15/05     |                          |            |
|                       | Perez-Gimenez, Juan M.     | Senior   | 3/28/06      |                          |            |
| <b>Second Circuit</b> |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| CT                    | Squatrito, Dominic J.      | Senior   | 11/1/04      | Vanessa Lynne Bryant     | 1/25/06    |
| NY-E                  | Block, Frederic            | Senior   | 9/1/05       | Brian M. Coogan          | 1/25/06    |
|                       | Trager, David G.           | Senior   | 3/1/06       |                          |            |
| NY-M                  | Scullin, Jr., Frederick J. | Senior   | 3/13/06      |                          |            |
| <b>Third Circuit</b>  |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| CCA                   | Alito, Samuel A., Jr.      | Elevated | 1/31/06      |                          |            |
|                       | Chertoff, Michael          | Resigned | 2/15/05      | Michael A. Chagares      | 1/25/06    |
|                       | Nygaard, Richard L.        | Senior   | 7/9/05       |                          |            |
| NJ                    | Bassler, William G.        | Senior   | 3/6/05       | Noel Lawrence Hilman     | 1/25/06    |
|                       | Bissell, John W.           | Retired  | 9/1/05       | Susan Davis Wigenton     | 1/25/06    |
|                       | Orlofsky, Stephen M.       | Resigned | 8/31/03      | Sheridan, Peter G.       | 2/14/05    |
|                       | Walls, William H.          | Senior   | 1/31/05      | Renee Marie Bump         | 1/25/06    |
| PA-E                  | Van Antwerpen, Franklin    | Elevated | 5/20/04      | Thomas M. Golden         | 1/25/06    |
| PA-W                  | Cindrich, Robert J.        | Resigned | 1/31/04      |                          |            |
| <b>Fourth Circuit</b> |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| CCA                   | Murnaghan, Francis         | Deceased | 8/31/00      |                          |            |
|                       | Phillips, J. Dickson Jr.   | Senior   | 7/31/94      | Boyle, Terrence W.       | 2/14/05    |
| NC-E                  | Howard, Malcolm J.         | Senior   | 12/31/05     |                          |            |
| NC-M                  | Bullock, Frank W.          | Senior   | 12/31/05     |                          |            |
| NC-W                  | McKnight, H. Brent         | Deceased | 11/27/04     | Whitney, Frank D.        | 2/14/06    |
|                       | Mullen, Graham C.          | Senior   | 12/1/05      |                          |            |
| VA-E                  | Hilton, Claude M.          | Senior   | 12/31/05     |                          |            |
| <b>Fifth Circuit</b>  |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| CCA                   | Pickering, Charles W. Sr.  | Retired  | 12/8/04      | Wallace, Michael Brunson | 2/8/06     |
| MS-S                  | Barbour, William H.        | Senior   | 2/4/06       |                          |            |
|                       | Bramlette, David C.        | Senior   | 3/20/06      |                          |            |
| TX-S                  | Werlein, Jr., Ewing        | Senior   | 12/31/05     | Gray Hampton Miller      | 1/25/06    |
| <b>Sixth Circuit</b>  |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| CCA                   | Neilsen, Susan Bieke       | Deceased | 1/25/06      |                          |            |
|                       | Ryan, James L.             | Senior   | 1/1/06       |                          |            |
| MI-E                  | Duggan, Patrick J.         | Senior   | 9/29/00      | Ryan, Daniel P.          | 2/14/05    |
|                       | Gadola, Paul V.            | Senior   | 1/31/01      | Ludington, Thomas L.     | 2/14/05    |
|                       | Zatkoff, Lawrence P.       | Senior   | 6/16/04      | Cox, Sean F.             | 2/14/05    |
| MI-W                  | Enslin, Richard Alan       | Senior   | 9/1/05       |                          |            |
|                       | McKeague, David W.         | Elevated | 6/13/05      |                          |            |
|                       | Quist, Gordon J.           | Senior   | 1/1/06       |                          |            |
| OH-N                  | Wells, Lesley              | Senior   | 2/14/06      |                          |            |
| OH-S                  | Rice, Walter Herbert       | Senior   | 11/30/04     | Barrett, Michael Ryan    | 12/16/05   |
| <b>Eighth Circuit</b> |                            |          |              |                          |            |
| MN                    | Kyle, Richard H.           | Senior   | 5/31/05      | Schiltz, Patrick Joseph  | 12/14/05   |

**Ninth Circuit**

|      |                       |          |          |                          |          |
|------|-----------------------|----------|----------|--------------------------|----------|
| CCA  | Browning, James R.    | Senior   | 9/1/00   | Ikuta, Sandra Segal      | 2/8/06   |
|      | Nelson, Thomas        | Senior   | 11/14/03 | Myers III, William Gerry | 2/14/05  |
|      | Tashima, A. Wallace   | Senior   | 6/30/04  | Smith, Milan D., Jr.     | 2/14/06  |
|      | Trott, Stephen S.     | Senior   | 12/31/04 | Smith, Norman Randy      | 12/16/05 |
| CA-C | Hatter Jr., Terry J.  | Senior   | 4/22/05  |                          |          |
|      | Marshall, Consuelo B. | Senior   | 10/24/05 |                          |          |
|      | Taylor, Gary L.       | Senior   | 12/8/04  |                          |          |
|      | Tevrizian, Dickvan    | Senior   | 8/5/05   | Andrew J. Guilford       | 1/25/06  |
| CA-S | Keep, Judith Nelson   | Deceased | 9/14/04  |                          |          |
| WA-W | Burgess, Franklin D.  | Senior   | 3/9/05   |                          |          |

**Tenth Circuit**

|      |                       |         |          |                   |         |
|------|-----------------------|---------|----------|-------------------|---------|
| CCA  | Ebel, David M.        | Senior  | 1/16/06  |                   |         |
|      | Seymour, Stephanie K. | Senior  | 10/16/05 |                   |         |
| OK-N | Holmes, Sven Erik     | Retired | 3/14/05  | Holmes, Jerome A. | 2/14/06 |

**District of Columbia Circuit**

|     |                     |          |         |                    |         |
|-----|---------------------|----------|---------|--------------------|---------|
| CCA | Edwards, Harry T.   | Senior   | 11/3/05 |                    |         |
|     | Roberts, John G.    | Elevated | 9/29/05 |                    |         |
|     | Silberman, Laurence | Senior   | 11/1/00 | Brett M. Kavanaugh | 1/25/06 |

**Federal Circuit**

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|-----|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--|--|
| CCA | Clevenger, Raymond Charles III | Senior | 2/1/06 |  |  |
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**Total Vacancies: 54****Total Nominees Pending: 24**