

# Vacancies in the Federal Judiciary

August 1, 1982

| Court                 | Vacancy Created By  | Reason       | Vacancy Date | Nominee         | Nomination Date |
|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>First Circuit</b>  |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| RI                    | Pettine, Raymond    | Retired      | 7/6/1982     | Selya, Bruce M. | 7/27/1982       |
|                       |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| PR                    | Toledo, Jose        | Deceased     | 2/3/1980     |                 |                 |
|                       |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| <b>Second Circuit</b> |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| NY-E                  | Neaher, Edward      | Retired      | 5/28/1982    |                 |                 |
|                       | Pratt, George C.    | Elevated     | 6/21/1982    |                 |                 |
| NY-S                  | MacMahon, Lloyd     | Retired      | 5/31/1982    |                 |                 |
|                       | Pierce, Lawrence W. | Elevated     | 11/30/1981   |                 |                 |
| <b>Third Circuit</b>  |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| NJ                    | Biunno, Vincent     | Retired      | 3/23/1982    |                 |                 |
|                       |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| PA-E                  | Becker, Edward      | Elevated     | 1/22/1982    |                 |                 |
|                       | Lord, Joseph        | Retired      | 7/1/1982     |                 |                 |
| <b>Fourth Circuit</b> |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| NC-E                  | PL 95-486           | New Position | 11/8/1978    |                 |                 |
|                       |                     |              |              |                 |                 |
| NC-M                  | Gordon, Eugene      | Retired      | 7/12/1982    |                 |                 |
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| <b>Fifth Circuit</b>   |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| CCA                    | Ainsworth, Robert        | Deceased | 12/22/1981      |                    |                    |
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|                        |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| LA-E                   | Gordon, Jack             | Deceased | 3/4/1982        |                    |                    |
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| TX-N                   | Higginbotham, Patrick B. | Elevated | 7/27/1982       |                    |                    |
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| <b>Sixth Circuit</b>   |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| CCA                    | Brown, Bailey            | Retired  | 6/16/1982       | Wellford, Harry W. | 7/27/1982          |
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| OH-N                   | Contie, Jr., Leroy J.    | Elevated | 3/23/1982       |                    |                    |
|                        | Krupansky, Robert B.     | Elevated | 3/19/1982       |                    |                    |
|                        |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| <b>Seventh Circuit</b> |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| CCA                    | Sprecher, Robert         | Deceased | 5/15/1982       |                    |                    |
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| IL-N                   | Parsons, James B.        | Retired  | 8/30/1981       |                    |                    |
|                        |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| IL-C                   | Morgan, Robert D.        | Retired  | 5/27/1982       | Mihm, Michael M.   | 7/27/1982          |
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| <b>Eighth Circuit</b>  |                          |          |                 |                    |                    |
| CCA                    | Henley, J. Smith         | Retired  | 5/31/1982       |                    |                    |
|                        | Stephenson, Roy          | Retired  | 4/1/1982        |                    |                    |
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| MO-W                   | Gibson, John R.          | Elevated | 3/30/1982       |                    |                    |
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| <b>Ninth Circuit</b>                |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>CA-C</b>                         | Gray, William P.      | Retired  | 3/26/1982       |                        |                    |
|                                     | Williams, David       | Retired  | 1/17/1981       |                        |                    |
|                                     |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>Tenth Circuit</b>                |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>NM</b>                           | Mechem, Edward        | Retired  | 7/3/1982        |                        |                    |
|                                     |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>Eleventh Circuit</b>             |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>AL-N</b>                         | McFadden, Frank       | Resigned | 1/1/1982        | Acker, Jr., William M. | 7/22/1982          |
|                                     |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>District of Columbia Circuit</b> |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>CCA</b>                          | Robb, Roger           | Retired  | 5/31/1982       | Scalia, Antonin        | 7/15/1982          |
|                                     |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>DC</b>                           | Bryant, William       | Retired  | 1/31/1982       |                        |                    |
|                                     |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>Federal Circuit</b>              |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>CCA</b>                          | Kunzi, Robert         | Deceased | 2/21/1982       |                        |                    |
|                                     |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>International Trade</b>          |                       |          |                 |                        |                    |
| <b>USIT</b>                         | Richardson, Skovil    | Deceased | 3/30/1982       |                        |                    |
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| <b><u>VACANCIES</u></b>        |                                |        |                 |         |                    |
|                                | Courts of Appeals:             | 7      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | District Courts:               | 23     |                 |         |                    |
|                                | Supreme Court:                 | 0      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | Court of International Trade:  | 1      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | <b>Total Vacancies:</b>        | 31     |                 |         |                    |
| <b><u>NOMINEES PENDING</u></b> |                                |        |                 |         |                    |
|                                | Courts of Appeals:             | 2      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | District Courts:               | 3      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | Supreme Court:                 | 0      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | Court of International Trade:  | 0      |                 |         |                    |
|                                | <b>Total Nominees Pending:</b> | 5      |                 |         |                    |