

VACANCIES IN THE FEDERAL JUDICIARY

(Article III Judges Only)

12-1-91

<u>COURT</u>	<u>VACANCY CREATED BY</u>		<u>VACANCY DATE</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>	<u>NOMINATION DATE</u>
D.C. CIRCUIT					
Court of Appeals	Clarence Thomas	Elevated	10-15-91		
FIRST CIRCUIT					
Court of Appeals	David H. Souter	Elevated	10-02-90		
Massachusetts	James J. McNaught	Retired	02-01-91		
Massachusetts	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Massachusetts	Frank H. Freedman	Senior Status	01-01-91		
New Hampshire	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
SECOND CIRCUIT					
Court of Appeals	Wilfred Feinberg	Senior Status	01-31-91		
Connecticut	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Connecticut	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
New York (N)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90	Edmund Kavanagh	07-25-91
New York (N)	Howard G. Munson	Senior Status	11-05-90	Fredrick J. Scullin, Jr.	09-12-91
New York (S)	Robert J. Ward	Senior Status	02-01-91		
New York (S)	John M. Walker	Elevated	11-22-89	Sonia Sotomayor	11-27-91
New York (S)	Richard Owen	Senior Status	09-30-89		
New York (S)	Vincent L. Broderick	Senior Status	11-30-88	Andrew P. O'Rourke	11-12-91
New York (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
New York (S)	Robert W. Sweet	Senior Status	03-01-91		
New York (S)	Mary Johnson Lowe	Senior Status	07-27-91		
New York (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	David G. Trager	11-27-91
New York (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
THIRD CIRCUIT					
Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Jay C. Waldman	07-26-91
Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Court of Appeals	A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr.	Senior Status	01-31-91	Franklin Van Antwerpen	09-11-91
New Jersey	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Mary Little Parell	07-26-91
New Jersey	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Joseph Irenas	11-14-91
New Jersey	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Pennsylvania (E)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90	Anita A. Brody	11-22-91
Pennsylvania (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	John R. Padova	11-15-91

Pennsylvania (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	J. Curtis Joyner	11-15-91
Pennsylvania (E)	Louis H. Pollak	Senior Status	01-01-91	Eduardo C. Robreno	11-26-91
<i>Pennsylvania (E)</i>	<i>Jay C. Waldman</i>	<i>Upon Elevation</i>			
<i>Pennsylvania (E)</i>	<i>Franklin Van Antwerpen</i>	<i>Upon Elevation</i>			
Pennsylvania (M)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Pennsylvania (W)	Gerald J. Weber	Senior Status	12-30-88		
Virgin Islands	Almeric L. Christiam	Senior Status	12-31-86	Thomas K. Moore	10-22-91
Virgin Islands	David V. O'Brien	Deceased	12-22-89		
Delaware	Murray M. Schwartz	Senior Status	07-24-89	Roderick R. McKelvie	11-15-91

FOURTH CIRCUIT

Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Lillian R. Beview	10-22-91
Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Terrence W. Boyle	10-22-91
Court of Appeals	Robert F. Chapman	Senior Status	05-31-91		
Maryland	Alexander Harvey	Senior Status	03-08-91		
Maryland	Norman P. Ramsey	Senior Status	11-01-91		
Maryland	Joseph C. Howard	Senior Status	11-15-91		
Virginia (E)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90	Henry C. Morgan, Jr.	10-22-91
Virginia (E)	J. Calvitt Clarke, Jr.	Senior Status	07-31-91	Robert E. Payne	11-20-91
Virginia (E)	Albert V. Bryan, Jr.	Senior Status	12-01-91		
West Virginia (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
South Carolina	Clyde H. Hamilton	Elevated	07-31-91	William J. Traxler, Jr.	11-14-91

FIFTH CIRCUIT

Court of Appeals	Thomas G. Gee	Retired	02-01-91		
Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Court of Appeals	Sam D. Johnson	Senior Status	05-10-91		
<i>Court of Appeals</i>	<i>Charles Clark</i>	<i>To Retire</i>	<i>01-15-92</i>		
Texas (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Ewing Werlein, Jr.	11-20-91
Texas (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
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Texas (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (W)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (W)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Texas (W)	Emilio M. Garza	Elevated	05-24-91		
Louisiana (E)	Patrick E. Carr	Senior Status	10-01-91		
<i>Louisiana (W)</i>	<i>Tom Stagg</i>	<i>Senior Status</i>	<i>2-29-91</i>		

SIXTH CIRCUIT

Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Court of Appeals	Robert B. Krupansky	Senior Status	07-01-91		

Michigan (E)	Richard Suhreheinrich	Elevated	06-28-90	Nancy G. Edmunds	09-11-91
Michigan (E)	Horace W. Gilmore	Senior Status	05-01-91		
Michigan (W)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90		
Michigan (W)	Douglas W. Hillman	Senior Status	02-15-91	David W. McKeague	09-11-91
Ohio (N)	Richard B. McQuade	Resigned	10-01-89		
Ohio (N)	John M. Manos	Senior Status	04-01-91		
Ohio (N)	Alice M. Batchelder	Elevated	11-27-91		
Ohio (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Sandra S. Beckwith	07-26-91
Tennessee (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Tennessee (M)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Robert L. Echols	10-22-91
Tennessee (W)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Jon P. McCalla	08-01-91
Kentucky (E)	Eugene Siler Jr.	Elevated	09-12-91		

SEVENTH CIRCUIT

Illinois (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Philip G. Reinhard	08-01-91
Illinois (N)	Nicholas J. Bua	Retired	11-04-91		
Illinois (S)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90		
Wisconsin (E)	Robert W. Warren	Senior Status	08-01-91		

EIGHTH CIRCUIT

<i>Court of Appeals</i>	<i>Donald P. Lay</i>	<i>Senior Status</i>	<i>02-07-92</i>	Morris Arnold	11-06-91
<i>Arkansas (W)</i>	<i>Morris Arnold</i>	<i>Upon Elevation</i>			
Arkansas (W)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Jimm Larry Hendren	10-24-91
Arkansas (E)	Garnett Thomas Eisele	Senior Status	08-01-91		
Missouri (E)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90		
Missouri (E)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Donald J. Stohr	11-14-91
Missouri (E)	William L. Hungate	Senior Status	10-01-91		
Missouri (W)	Scott O. Wright	Senior Status	10-05-91		
Nebraska	Warren K. Urbom	Senior Status	12-17-90		
Nebraska	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90		
Minnesota	Robert G. Renner	Senior Status	02-22-92		
Iowa (N)	David R. Hansen	Elevated	11-15-91		

NINTH CIRCUIT

Alaska	Andrew J. Kleinfeld	Elevated	09-12-91		
California (C)	Robert C. Bonner	Resigned	08-13-90		
California (C)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
California (C)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
California (C)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
California (C)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
California (E)	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90	Garland E. Burrell, Jr.	08-01-91
California (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Ronald M. Whyte	07-26-91
California (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Carlos Bea	11-20-91
California (S)	J. Lawrence Irving	Resigned	12-31-90		
California (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Hawaii	PL 101-650 (T)		12-01-90		

Guam	Cristobal Duenas	Senior Status	01-01-88	
Washington (W)	Jack E. Tanner	Senior Status	01-28-91	
Nevada	<i>Edward C. Reed, Jr.</i>	<i>Senior Status</i>	<i>07-15-91</i>	13

TENTH CIRCUIT

Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Francis A. Keating II	11-14-91
Court of Appeals	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Paul J. Kelly, Jr.	11-19-91
New Mexico	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Oklahoma (N)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Tony Michael Graham	11-14-91
Oklahoma (N)	H. Dale Cook	Senior Status	12-31-91		
Oklahoma (W)	Layn R. Phillips	Resigned	06-22-91	Timothy D. Leonard	11-20-91
Wyoming	PL 101-650		12-01-90		

ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

Court of Appeals	Paul H. Roney	Senior Status	10-01-89		
Court of Appeals	Thomas A. Clark	Senior Status	08-31-91		
Court of Appeals	Frank M. Johnson, Jr.	Senior Status	10-30-91		
Alabama (M)	Truman M. Hobbs	Senior Status	02-08-91	Ira DeMat	11-14-91
<i>Alabama (N)</i>	<i>E. B. Halton, Jr.</i>	<i>Senior Status</i>	<i>01-01-92</i>		
Florida (S)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Ursula Mancusi Ungaro	11-26-91
Florida (S)	William M. Hoeveler	Senior Status	01-31-91	Thomas E. Sholts	07-26-91
Florida (S)	Eugene P. Spellman	Deceased	05-04-91	K. Michael Moore	10-04-91
Florida (M)	PL 101-650		12-01-90	Steven D. Merryday	09-23-91
Georgia (N)	Robert H. Hall	Senior Status	12-31-90	Julie E. Carnes	08-01-91
Georgia (N)	Richard C. Freeman	Senior Status	12-31-91		
Georgia (N)	Marvin H. Shoob	Senior Status	09-30-91		
Georgia (M)	PL 101-650		12-01-90		
Georgia (S)	Anthony A. Alaimo	Senior Status	07-01-91	James B. Franklin	11-26-91

FEDERAL CIRCUIT

Edward S. Smith	Senior Status	05-31-89
Howard T. Markey	Retired	04-30-91

COURT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE

James L. Watson	Senior Status	02-28-91
Edward D. Re	Retired	04-30-91

(T) = Temporary Position

Italics signify an individual's intent to take senior status or retire at a future date.

Title II of Public Law 101-650, signed by the President on December 1, 1990, creates 11 circuit and 74 district judgeships.

Total Vacancies:

Court of Appeals	21
District Courts	103
Court of International Trade	2

March 15, 1988, at its semiannual meeting, the Judicial Conference of the United States noted the adverse effect Article III judicial vacancies of more than 18 months have on the courts and litigants, and said that all such vacancies create judicial emergencies.

As of December 1, 1991, the following federal courts have judicial emergencies:

- Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
- Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit
- Southern District of New York (3)
- District of Virgin Islands (2)
- District of Guam
- Western District of Pennsylvania
- District of Delaware
- Northern District of Ohio