

RATINGS OF ARTICLE III JUDICIAL NOMINEES

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Key to ABA Rating

WQ = Well Qualified; Q = Qualified; NQ = Not Qualified; sm = substantial majority; m = majority; min = minority.

Unanimous committee ratings appear as a single rating. In other situations, the rating from the majority or substantial majority (constituting ten to thirteen votes) of the Standing Committee is recorded first, followed by the rating or ratings of a minority of the Standing Committee. **In all circumstances, the majority rating is the official rating of the ABA Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary.**

FIRST SESSION

DATE NOMINATED	NAME OF NOMINEE	COURT TO WHICH NOMINATED	ABA RATING
1/5/11	Reyna, Jimmie V. (MD)	Federal Circuit	WQ
1/5/11	Nourse, Victoria Frances (WI)	Seventh Circuit	WQ
1/5/11	Liu, Goodwin (CA)	Ninth Circuit	WQ
1/5/11	Graves, James Earl Jr. (MS)	Fifth Circuit	Q (1 abstention)
1/5/11	Halligan, Caitlin Joan (NY)	DC Circuit	WQ
1/5/11	DuMont, Edward Carroll (DC)	Federal Circuit	WQ
1/5/11	Donald, Bernice Bouie (TN)	Sixth Circuit	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/5/11	Carney, Susan Laura (CT)	Second Circuit	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
1/5/11	Allen, Arenda Laretta Wright	USDC: Eastern District of Virginia	Q sm /WQ ^{min}
1/5/11	Battaglia, Anthony Joseph	USDC: Southern District of California	WQ
1/5/11	Bissoon, Cathy	USDC: Western District of Pennsylvania	Q
1/5/11	Boasberg, James Emanuel	USDC: District of District of Columbia	WQ
1/5/11	Briccetti, Vincent L.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ (1 recusal)
1/5/11	Butler, Louis Bennett Jr.	USDC: Western District of Wisconsin	WQ
1/5/11	Cecchi, Claire	USDC: District of New Jersey	Q ^m /WQ ^{min}

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1/5/11	Chen, Edward Milton	USDC: Northern District of California	WQ
1/5/11	Cogburn, Max Oliver Jr.	USDC: Western District of North Carolina	WQ^m/Q^{min} (1 abstention)
1/5/11	D'Agostino, Mae Avila	USDC: Northern District of New York	WQ (1 abstention)
1/5/11	Dalton, Roy Bale Jr.	USDC: Middle District of Florida	WQsm/Q^{min}
1/5/11	Darrow, Sara Lynn	USDC: Central District of Illinois	Q
1/5/11	Davila, Edward John	USDC: Northern District of California	Qsm/NQ^{min}
1/5/11	Day, Charles Bernard	USDC: District of Maryland	WQ
1/5/11	Hernandez, Marco Antonio	USDC: District of Oregon	Q (1 abstention)
1/5/11	Holmes, Paul K. III	USDC: Western District of Arkansas	WQ
1/5/11	Hornak, Mark Raymond	USDC: Western District of Pennsylvania	WQ
1/5/11	Jackson, Amy Berman	USDC: District of District of Columbia	WQ
1/5/11	Jackson, Richard Brooke	USDC: District of Colorado	WQ
1/5/11	Jones, Steve C.	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	WQ
1/5/11	Kronstadt, John A.	USDC: Central District of California	Qsm/WQ^{min} (1 abstention)
1/5/11	Mariani, Robert David	USDC: Middle District of Pennsylvania	WQ
1/5/11	Marmolejo, Marina Garcia	USDC: Southern District of Texas	Q
1/5/11	McConnell, John J. Jr.	USDC: District of Rhode Island	Qsm/NQ^{min} (3 abstention)
1/5/11	Myerscough, Sue Ellen	USDC: Central District of Illinois	Q
1/5/11	Ross, John Andrew	USDC: Eastern District of Missouri	WQ
1/5/11	Salas, Esther	USDC: District of New Jersey	WQ (1 recusal)
1/5/11	Saldaña, Diana	USDC: Southern District of Texas	WQ
1/5/11	Shadid, James E.	USDC: Central District of Illinois	Qsm/WQ^{min}
1/5/11	Sharp, Kevin Hunter	USDC: Middle District of Tennessee	Q

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1/5/11	Simon, Michael Howard	USDC: District of Oregon	WQ ^m /Q ^{min} (1abstention)
1/5/11	Totenberg, Amy Mil	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	WQ (1 abstention)
1/5/11	Urbanski, Michael Francis	USDC: Western District of Virginia	WQ
1/5/11	Williams, Kathleen Mary	USDC: Southern District of Florida	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/26/11	Floyd, Henry F. (SC)	Fourth Circuit	WQ
1/26/11	Green, Michael Charles	USDC: Western District of New York	Q ^m /NQ ^{min}
1/26/11	Oetken, James Paul	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q
1/26/11	Ramos, Nelva Gonzales	USDC: Southern District of Texas	Q sm /WQ ^{min}
1/26/11	Silas, Natasha Perdew	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
1/26/11	Walker, Linda T.	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/26/11	Manglona, Ramona V.	USDC: District of the Northern Mariana Islands	Q
2/2/11	Engelmayer, Paul A.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ (1 recusal)
2/2/11	Mikkanen, Arvo	USDC: Northern District of Oklahoma	Q
2/16/11	Cain, Timothy Martin	USDC: District of South Carolina	Q
2/16/11	Skavdahl, Scott W.	USDC: District of Wyoming	WQ
3/2/11	Brown, Nannette Jolivette	USDC: Eastern District of Louisiana	Q
3/2/11	Torresen, Nancy	USDC: District of Maine	WQ
3/2/11	Lewis, Wilma A.	USDC: District Court of the Virgin Islands	WQ
3/9/11	Kuntz, William Francis II	USDC: Eastern District of New York	WQ
3/9/11	Six, Stephen N.	Tenth Circuit	WQ
3/16/11	Lewis, Mary G.	USDC: District of South Carolina	Q
3/16/11	Triche-Milazzo, Jane	USDC: Eastern District of Louisiana	Q

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3/31/11	Nathan, Alison J,	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q ^m /NQ ^{min} (1 recusal)
4/6/11	Hickey, Susan Owens	USDC: Western District of Arkansas	Q
4/6/11	Gleason, Sharon L.	USDC: District of Alaska	WQ
5/4/11	Christensen, Dana L.	USDC: District of Montana	WQ
5/4/11	Droney, Christopher	Second Circuit	WQ
5/4/11	Forrest, Katherine B.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ (1 recusal)
5/4/11	Gerrard, John M.	USDC: District of Nebraska	WQ
5/4/11	Ramos, Edgardo	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ (1 recusal)
5/4/11	Scola, Robert N. Jr.	USDC: Southern District of Florida	WQ (1 recusal)
5/4/11	Rogers, Yvonne Gonzalez	USDC: Northern District of California	Q
5/9/11	Higginson, Stephen A.	Fifth Circuit	WQ
5/11/11	Andrews, Richard G.	USDC: District of Delaware	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
5/11/11	Bencivengo, Cathy Ann	USDC: Southern District of California	WQ
5/11/11	Helmick, Jeffrey J.	USDC: Northern District of Ohio	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
5/18/11	Christen, Morgan	Ninth Circuit	WQ
5/19/11	Carter, Andrew L. Jr.	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q (1 recusal)
5/19/11	Gilstrap, James Rodney	USDC: Eastern District of Texas	Q
5/19/11	Groh, Gina Marie	USDC: Northern District of West Virginia	Q
6/7/11	Brodie, Margo Kitsy	USDC: Eastern District of New York	Q ^m /WQ ^{min}
6/7/11	Furman, Jesse M.	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q ^m /WQ ^{min} (1 recusal)
6/7/11	Morgan, Donna Sue "Susie"	USDC: Eastern District of Louisiana	Q
6/7/11	Phillips, Mary Elizabeth	USDC: Western District of Missouri	WQ

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6/23/11	Zipps, Jennifer Guerin	USDC: District of Arizona	WQ
6/23/11	Márquez, Rosemary	USDC: District of Arizona	Q
6/29/11	Nuffer, David	USDC: District of Utah	WQ
6/29/11	Rice, Thomas Owen	USDC: Eastern District of Washington	Qsm/NQ^{min}
7/20/11	Fitzgerald, Michael Walter	USDC: Central District of California	WQ
7/28/11	Abrams, Ronnie	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q^m/WQ^{min}
7/28/11	Contreras, Rudolph	USDC: District of Columbia	Q^m/WQ^{min}
7/28/11	Wallach, Evan	Federal Circuit	WQ
8/2/11	Du, Miranda	USDC: District of Nevada	Qsm/NQ^{min}
8/2/11	Jordán, Adalberto José	Eleventh Circuit	WQ
9/8/11	Thacker, Stephanie	Fourth Circuit	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/8/11	Costa, Gregg J.	USDC: Southern District of Texas	WQ
9/15/11	Guaderrama, David	USDC: Western District of Texas	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/23/11	Nguyen, Jacqueline H.	Ninth Circuit	Q
9/23/11	Wimes, Brian C.	USDC: Eastern and Western Districts of Missouri	Q
10/5/11	Shwartz, Patty	Third Circuit	WQ