

RATINGS OF ARTICLE III JUDICIAL NOMINEES

110TH CONGRESS

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Key to ABA Rating

WQ = Well Qualified; Q = Qualified; NQ = Not Qualified; sm = substantial majority; m = majority; min = minority
Circuit court nominees are printed in bold.

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 committee is recorded first, followed by the rating or ratings of a minority of the committee. The majority rating is the rating of the committee.

FIRST SESSION

DATE NOMINATED	NAME OF NOMINEE	COURT TO WHICH NOMINATED	ABA RATING
1/9/07	Southwick, Leslie H. (MS)	Fifth Circuit	WQ
1/9/07	Hardiman, Thomas M. (PA)	Third Circuit	WQ (1 abstention)
1/9/07	Keisler, Peter D. (MD)	DC Circuit	WQ
1/9/07	Livingston, Debra Ann (NY)	Second Circuit	WQ
1/9/07	*Smith, Norman Randy (ID)	Ninth Circuit	WQ
1/9/07	Van Bokkelen, Joseph S.	USDC: Northern District of Indiana	WQ
1/9/07	Bailey, John Preston	USDC: Northern District of West Virginia	Q
1/9/07	Baker, Valerie L.	USDC: Central District of California	WQ
1/9/07	Bryant, Vanessa Lynne	USDC: District of Connecticut	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
1/9/07	Donohue, Mary O'Connor	USDC: Northern District of New York	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/9/07	Farr, Thomas Alvin	USDC: Eastern District of North Carolina	WQ
1/9/07	Fischer, Nora Barry	USDC: Western District of Pennsylvania	WQ
1/9/07	Frizzell, Gregory Kent	USDC: Northern District of Oklahoma	WQ
1/9/07	Gutierrez, Philip S.	USDC: Central District of California	WQ

* Nomination was withdrawn and resubmitted on 1/16/07; original rating was carried forward.

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1/9/07	Howard, Marcia Morales	USDC: Middle District of Florida	Q sm /WQ ^{min}
1/9/07	Jarvey, John Alfred	USDC: Southern District of Iowa	WQ
1/9/07	Kapala, Frederick J.	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	WQ
1/9/07	Lioi, Sara Elizabeth	USDC: Northern District of Ohio	WQ
1/9/07	Mauskopf, Roslynn Renee	USDC: Eastern District of New York	Q
1/9/07	O'Grady, Liam	USDC: Eastern District of Virginia	WQ
1/9/07	O'Neill, Lawrence Joseph	USDC: Eastern District of California	WQ
1/9/07	Osteen, William Lindsay Jr.	USDC: Middle District of North Carolina	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/9/07	Ozerden, Halil Suleyman	USDC: Southern District of Mississippi	Q
1/9/07	Reidinger, Martin Karl	USDC: Western District of North Carolina	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/9/07	Rogan, James Edward II	USDC: Central District of California	WQ sm /Q ^{min} (1 abstention)
1/9/07	Schroeder, Thomas D.	USDC: Middle District of North Carolina	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
1/9/07	Settle, Benjamin Hale	USDC: Western District of Washington	Q (1 abstention)
1/9/07	Wood, Lisa Godbey	USDC: Southern District of Georgia	WQ
1/9/07	Wright, Otis D. II	USDC: Central District of California	Q
1/9/07	Wu, George H.	USDC: Central District of California	WQ
1/16/07	Smith, Norman Randy (ID)	Ninth Circuit	WQ
2/15/07	Sullivan, Richard	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ
2/15/07	DeGiusti, Timothy D.	USDC: Western District of Oklahoma	WQ
3/19/07	Kethledge, Raymond M. (MI)	Sixth Circuit	WQsm/Q^{min}
3/19/07	Murphy, Stephen Joseph III (MI)	Sixth Circuit	WQsm/Q^{min}
3/19/07	Jonker, Robert James	USDC: Western District of Michigan	WQ
3/19/07	Maloney, Paul Lewis	USDC: Western District of Michigan	WQ
3/19/07	Neff, Janet T.	USDC: Western District of Michigan	Q ^m /WQ ^{min}

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3/19/07	Aycock, Sharion	USDC: Northern District of Mississippi	WQ
3/19/07	Dugas, David Roy	USDC: Middle District of Louisiana	WQ
3/19/07	Hall, James Randal	USDC: Southern District of Georgia	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
3/19/07	Honaker, Richard H.	USDC: District of Wyoming	WQ
3/19/07	Jones, Richard A.	USDC: Western District of Washington	WQ
3/19/07	Sammartino, Janis Lynn	USDC: Southern District of California	Q ^m /WQ ^{min}
3/29/07	Elrod, Jennifer Walker (TX)	Fifth Circuit	Q
5/24/07	Powell, William J.	USDC: Northern District of West Virginia	WQ sm /Q ^{min} (1 abstention)
5/24/07	Thapar, Amul Roger	USDC: Eastern District of Kentucky	WQ (1 abstention)
6/13/07	Laplante, Joseph N.	USDC: District of New Hampshire	Q
6/13/07	Puryear, Gustavus Adolphus IV	USDC: Middle District of Tennessee	Q
6/27/07	O'Connor, Reed Charles	USDC: Northern District of Texas	WQ
7/17/07	Conrad, Robert J. Jr. (NC)	Fourth Circuit	WQ
7/17/07	Haynes, Catharina (TX)	Fifth Circuit	WQ (1 abstention)
7/17/07	Stone, Shalom D. (NJ)	Third Circuit	Qsm/WQ^{min}
7/17/07	Tinder, John Daniel (IN)	Seventh Circuit	WQ
7/18/07	Dow, Robert M. Jr.	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
9/6/07	Getchell, E. Duncan Jr. (VA)	Fourth Circuit	Nom Withdrawn 1/23/08 NO RATING
9/6/07	Matthews, Steve A. (SC)	Fourth Circuit	Qsm/NQ^{min}
9/6/07	Anderson, Stanley Thomas	USDC: Western District of Tennessee	Q
9/6/07	Mendez, John A.	USDC: Eastern District of California	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
10/16/07	Miller, Brian Stacy	USDC: Eastern District of Arkansas	Q
11/15/07	Rosenstein, Rod J. (MD)	Fourth Circuit	WQ
11/15/07	Pratter, Gene E.K. (PA)	Third Circuit	WQ

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11/15/07	Almond, Lincoln D.	USDC: District of Rhode Island	WQ
11/15/07	Davis, Mark S.	USDC: Eastern District of Virginia	WQ
11/15/07	Kays, David Gregory	USDC: Western District of Missouri	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
11/15/07	Novak, David J.	USDC: Eastern District of Virginia	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
11/15/07	** Short, Carolyn P.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
12/6/07	Smith, William E. (RI)	First Circuit	WQsm/Q^{min}
12/6/07	Limbaugh, Stephen N. Jr.	USDC: Eastern District of Missouri	WQ
12/11/07	Suddaby, Glenn T.	USDC: Northern District of New York	WQ
12/11/07	Snow, G. Murray	USDC: District of Arizona	WQ

SECOND SESSION

DATE NOMINATED	NAME OF NOMINEE	COURT TO WHICH NOMINATED	ABA RATING
2/14/08	Lawrence, William T.	USDC: Southern District of Indiana	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
2/26/08	Connolly, Colm F.	USDC: District of Delaware	WQ
3/11/08	Matsumoto, Kiyoo A.	USDC: Eastern District of New York	WQ
3/11/08	Seibel, Cathy	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ
3/13/08	Agee, G. Steven (VA)	Fourth Circuit	WQ (1 abstention)
4/15/08	White, Helene N. (MI)	Sixth Circuit	WQ^m/Q^{min}
4/15/08	Murphy, Stephen Joseph III	USDC: Eastern District of Michigan	WQ
4/29/08	Waddoups, Clark	USDC: District of Utah	WQ
4/29/08	Gardephe, Paul G.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ
4/30/08	Anello, Michael M.	USDC: Southern District of California	WQ
5/8/08	Conrad, Glen E. (VA)	Fourth Circuit	WQ^m/Q^{min}

** Nomination was withdrawn and resubmitted on 7/24/08.

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6/19/08	O'Neill, Michael	USDC: District of District of Columbia	
6/19/08	Rosen, Jeffrey Adam	USDC: District of District of Columbia	WQ
7/10/08	Arguello, Christine M.	USDC: District of Colorado	Q
7/10/08	Brimmer, Philip A.	USDC: District of Colorado	WQ
7/10/08	Goldberg, Gregory E.	USDC: District of Colorado	Q
7/10/08	Jung, William Frederic	USDC: Middle District of Florida	WQ
7/10/08	Scriven, Mary Stenson	USDC: Middle District of Florida	WQ
7/15/08	Dugan, Timothy G.	USDC: Eastern District of Wisconsin	Q
7/17/08	Trenga, Anthony John	USDC: Eastern District of Virginia	WQ
7/23/08	Melgren, Eric F.	USDC: District of Kansas	WQ
7/23/08	Hernandez, Marco A.	USDC: District of Oregon	Q
7/24/08	Diamond, Paul S. (PA)	Third Circuit	WQ
7/24/08	Goldberg, Mitchell S.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
7/24/08	Jones, C. Darnell II	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
7/24/08	Short, Carolyn P.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
7/24/08	Slomsky, Joel H.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
7/31/08	Tharp, John J. Jr.	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	WQ
7/31/08	Barry, J. Richard	USDC: Southern District of Mississippi	WQ ^m /Q ^{min}
7/31/08	Marcelle, Thomas	USDC: Eastern District of New York	WQ ^m /Q ^{min}
9/9/08	Preska, Loretta A. (NY)	Second Circuit	WQ
9/9/08	Davis, J. Mac	USDC: Western District of Wisconsin	Q ^m /WQ ^{min}
9/26/08	Simon, Philip P. (ID)	Seventh Circuit	WQ

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