

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE FEDERAL JUDICIARY

RATINGS OF ARTICLE III JUDICIAL NOMINEES

113TH CONGRESS

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Key to ABA Rating:

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

Unanimous 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
1/3/13	Bacharach, Robert E. (OK)	Tenth Circuit	WQ
1/3/13	Halligan, Caitlin Joan (NY)	DC Circuit	WQ
1/3/13	Kayatta, William J., Jr. (ME)	First Circuit	WQ
1/3/13 (*1/6/2014)	Pryor, Jill A. (GA)	Eleventh Circuit	WQ
1/3/13	Shwartz, Patty (NJ)	Third Circuit	WQ
1/3/13	Srinivasan, Srikanth (VA)	DC Circuit	WQ
1/3/13	Taranto, Richard G. (MD)	Federal Circuit	WQ
1/3/13	Cadish, Elissa F.	USDC: District of Nevada	Q
1/3/13	Caproni, Valerie E.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ
1/3/13	Chappell, Sheri P.	USDC: Middle District of Florida	Q
1/3/13	Chen, Pamela K.	USDC: Eastern District of New York	Q
1/3/13	Davis, Brian J.	USDC: Middle District of Florida	WQ
1/3/13	Dick, Shelly D.	USDC: Middle District of Louisiana	Q sm /WQ ^{min}

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1/3/13	Dorsey, Jennifer A.	USDC: District of Nevada	Qsm/NQ^{min}
1/3/13	Failla, Katherine P.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ^m/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Gonzales, Kenneth J.	USDC: District of New Mexico	Q
1/3/13	Gordon, Andrew Patrick	USDC: District of Nevada	WQsm/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Jackson, Ketanji B.	USDC: District of Columbia	Q
1/3/13 (*1/6/2014)	Márquez, Rosemary	USDC: District of Arizona	Q
1/3/13	McShane, Michael J.	USDC: District of Oregon	Q^m/WQ^{min}
1/3/13	Moore, Raymond P.	USDC: District of Colorado	WQ
1/3/13	Nunley, Troy L.	USDC: Eastern District of California	Q^m/WQ^{min}
1/3/13	O'Connell, Beverly R.	USDC: Central District of California	WQ
1/3/13	Orrick, William H. III	USDC: Northern District of California	WQ
1/3/13	Quiñones Alejandro, Nitza	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	Qsm/NQ^{min}
1/3/13	Restrepo, Luis F.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
1/3/13	Roman, Nelson S.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQsm/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Schmehl, Jeffrey L.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ^m/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Thomas, William L.	USDC: Southern District of Florida	WQ^m/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Torres, Analisa N.	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q
1/3/13	Watson, Derrick K.	USDC: District of Hawaii	WQsm/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Barnett, Mark A.	US Court of International Trade	WQ^m/Q^{min}
1/3/13	Kelly, Claire R.	US Court of International Trade	WQ
1/31/13	Kelly, Jane (IA)	Eighth Circuit	Q
1/31/13	Phillips, Gregory A. (WY)	Tenth Circuit	WQ
2/7/13	Chen, Raymond T. (MD)	Federal Circuit	WQ

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2/11/13	Hughes, Todd M. (DC)	Federal Circuit	Q
4/15/13	Broderick, Vernon S.	USDC: Southern District of New York	WQ (1 recusal)
5/6/13	Bruce, Colin Stirling	USDC: Central District of Illinois	Q
5/6/13	Ellis, Sara Lee	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	Qsm/NQ^{min} (1 recusal)
5/6/13	Wood, Andrea R.	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	Q^m/NQ^{min} (1 recusal)
5/9/13	Haikala, Madeline H.	USDC: Northern District of Alabama	WQ
5/9/13	Woods, Gregory H.	USDC: Southern District of New York	Q^m/WQ^{min} (1 recusal)
5/16/13	Brown, Debra M.	USDC: Northern District of Mississippi	Q
5/16/13 (*1/6/2014)	Reeves, Pamela L.	USDC: Eastern District of Tennessee	WQ
5/16/13	Wolford, Elizabeth A.	USDC: Western District of New York	Q (1 recusal)
5/16/13 (*1/6/2014)	McHugh, Carolyn B. (UT)	Tenth Circuit	WQ (1 abstention)
5/23/13	McCafferty, Landya B.	USDC: District of New Hampshire	WQ
5/23/13	Morris, Brian	USDC: District of Montana	WQ (1 abstention)
5/23/13	Watters, Susan P.	USDC: District of Montana	Q (1 abstention)
6/4/13	Millett, Patricia A. (VA)	DC Circuit	WQ
6/4/13	Pillard, Cornelia T. L. (DC)	DC Circuit	WQ
6/4/13	Wilkins, Robert L. (DC)	DC Circuit	WQ
6/7/13 (*1/6/2014)	Brooks, Timothy L.	USDC: Western District of Arkansas	WQ
6/7/13 (*1/6/2014)	Meyer, Jeffrey A.	USDC: District of Connecticut	WQ
6/20/13 (*1/6/2014)	Donato, James J.	USDC: Northern District of California	WQsm/Q^{min}
6/20/13 (*1/6/2014)	Freeman, Beth L.	USDC: Northern District of California	Q
6/20/13 (*1/6/2014)	May-Parker, Jennifer P.	USDC: Eastern District of North Carolina	Q
6/26/13 (*1/6/2014)	Delgado Hernandez, Pedro A.	USDC: District of Puerto Rico	WQ

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6/26/13 (*1/6/2014)	Hendricks, Bruce H.	USDC: District of South Carolina	WQ
6/26/13 (*1/6/2014)	Lee, Alison R.	USDC: District of South Carolina	WQ^m/Q^{min}
7/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Chhabria, Vince G.	USDC: Northern District of California	WQ
7/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Leitman, Matthew F.	USDC: Eastern District of Michigan	WQ
7/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Levy, Judith E.	USDC: Eastern District of Michigan	Q
7/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Michelson, Laurie J.	USDC: Eastern District of Michigan	WQ
7/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Moody, James M., Jr.	USDC: Eastern District of Arkansas	WQ
7/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Parker, Linda V.	USDC: Eastern District of Michigan	Qsm/NQ^{min}
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Moritz, Nancy L. (KS)	Tenth Circuit	Q
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Friedland, Michelle T. (CA)	Ninth Circuit	WQ (Chair recused)
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Owens, John B. (CA)	Ninth Circuit	WQ (Chair recused)
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Cooper, Christopher R.	USDC: District of Columbia	WQ^m/Q^{min} (1 recusal plus chair recused)
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Crabtree, Daniel D.	USDC: District of Kansas	WQ
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Harpool, M. Douglas	USDC: Western District of Missouri	WQ
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Lipman, Sheryl H.	USDC: Western District of Tennessee	WQ^m/Q^{min}
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	McHugh, Gerald A., Jr.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
8/1/13 (*1/6/2014)	Smith, Edward G.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Bashant, Cynthia A.	USDC: Southern District of California	Q
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Bastian, Stanley A.	USDC: Eastern District of Washington	WQ
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Humetewa, Diane J.	USDC: District of Arizona	Qsm/WQ^{min}
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Levy, Jon D.	USDC: District of Maine	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Logan, Steven P.	USDC: District of Arizona	WQ
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Rayes, Douglas L.	USDC: District of Arizona	WQ

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9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Shah, Manish S.	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	WQsm/Q^{min} (1 recusal)
9/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Tuchi, John J.	USDC: District of Arizona	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/24/13 (*1/6/2014)	Barron, Jeremiah D.	First Circuit	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/24/13 (*1/6/2014)	Talwani, Indira	USDC: District of Massachusetts	Q
9/24/13 (*1/6/2014)	Mastroianni, Mark G.	USDC : District of Massachusetts	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Chuang, Theodore D.	USDC: District of Maryland	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/25/13 (*1/6/2014)	Hazel, George J.	USDC: District of Maryland	Qsm/WQ^{min}
11/7/13 (*1/6/2014)	Rosenbaum, Robin S. (FL)	Eleventh Circuit	WQ
11/7/13 (*1/6/2014)	Peterson, James D.	USDC: Western District of Wisconsin	WQ
11/7/13 (*1/6/2014)	Rosenstengel, Nancy J.	USDC: Southern District of Illinois	Q
11/7/13 (*1/6/2014)	White, Ronnie L.	USDC: Eastern District of Missouri	Q
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Costa, Gregg Jeffrey (TX)	Fifth Circuit	WQ
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Carnes, Julie E. (GA)	Eleventh Circuit	WQ
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Soto, James Alan	USDC: District of Arizona	Q
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Sorokin, Leo T.	USDC: District of Massachusetts	WQ
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Ross, Eleanor Louise	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	Q^m/NQ^{min}
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	May, Leigh Martin	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	Q
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Lauck, M. Hannah	USDC: Eastern District of Virginia	WQ
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Cohen, Mark Howard	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	Q^m/WQ^{min}
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Chutkan, Tanya S.	USDC: District of Columbia	Q
12/19/13 (*1/6/2014)	Boggs, Michael P.	USDC: Northern District of Georgia	WQsm/Q^{min}

SECOND SESSION

DATE NOMINATED	NAME OF NOMINEE	COURT TO WHICH NOMINATED	ABA RATING
1/16/14	Bough, Stephen R.	USDC: Western District of Missouri	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
1/16/14	Boulware, Richard F., II	USDC: District of Nevada	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
1/16/14	Mendoza, Salvador, Jr.	USDC: Eastern District of Washington	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
1/16/14	Yandle, Staci Michelle	USDC: Southern District of Illinois	Q
2/6/14	Krause, Cheryl Ann	Third Circuit	WQ
2/6/14	Bloom, Beth Francine	USDC: Southern District of Florida	Q
2/6/14	Gayles, Darrin Phillip	USDC: Southern District of Florida	Q/WQ
2/6/14	Mendoza, Carlos Eduardo	USDC: Middle District of Florida	Q
2/6/14	Byron, Paul Gregory	USDC: Middle District of Florida	Q sm /NQ
2/26/14	Rosenberg, Robin Lee	USDC: Southern District of Florida	Q
3/11/14	Abrams, Leslie Joyce	USDC: Middle District of Georgia	Q ^m /NQ ^{min}
3/13/14	deGravelles, John W.	USDC: Middle District of Louisiana	WQ
4/3/14	Birotte, André, Jr.	USDC: Central District of California	WQ
4/3/14	Moss, Randolph D.	USDC: District of Columbia	WQ
5/1/2014	Pepper, Pamela	USDC: Eastern District of Wisconsin	WQ
5/8/2014	Sannes, Brenda Kay	USDC: Northern District of New York	WQ
5/8/2014	Harris, Pamela Ann	Fourth Circuit	WQ
5/20/2014	Crawford, Geoffrey W.	USDC: District of Vermont	WQ
6/16/2014	Bolden, Victor Allen	USDC: District of Connecticut	WQ sm /Q ^{min}
6/16/2014	Beetlestone, Wendy	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	Q
6/16/2014	Kearney, Mark A.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	Q
6/16/2014	Leeson, Joseph F., Jr.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	Q sm /NQ ^{min}

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6/16/2014	Pappert, Gerald J.	USDC: Eastern District of Pennsylvania	WQ
6/19/2014	Hale, David J.	USDC: Western District of Kentucky	Q
6/19/2014	Stivers, Gregory N.	USDC: Western District of Kentucky	Q (1 Recusal)
6/26/2014	Arleo, Madeline Cox	USDC: District of New Jersey	WQ
6/26/2014	Mazzant, Amos L., III	USDC: Eastern District of Texas	WQsm/Q^{min}
6/26/2014	Pitman, Robert Lee	USDC: Western District of Texas	WQ
6/26/2014	Schroeder, Robert William, III	USDC: Eastern District of Texas	WQ
7/31/2014	Burroughs, Allison Dale	USDC: District of Massachusetts	Q^m/NQ^{min}
7/31/2014	Mehta, Amit Priyavadan	USDC: District of Columbia	Q
8/5/2014	Alonso, Jorge Luis	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	Qsm/WQ^{min}
8/5/2014	Blakey, John Robert	USDC: Northern District of Illinois	Q
9/8/2014	Davidson, Jeanne Evelyn	US Court of International Trade	WQ
9/8/2014	Gilliam, Haywood Stirling, Jr.	USDC: Northern District of California	WQsm/Q^{min} (1 Recusal)
9/18/2014	Azrack, Joan Marie	USDC: Eastern District of New York	WQ (1 Recusal)
9/18/2014	Bennett, Alfred H.	USDC: Southern District of Texas	Q
9/18/2014	Biggs, Loretta Copeland	USDC: Middle District of North Carolina	Q
9/18/2014	Dillon, Elizabeth K.	USDC: Western District of Virginia	WQsm/Q^{min}
9/18/2014	Hanks, George C., Jr.	USDC: Southern District of Texas	WQ
9/18/2014	Olvera, Jose Rolando., Jr.	USDC: Southern District of Texas	WQ^m/Q^{min}
9/18/2014	Parrish, Jill N.	USDC: District of Utah	WQ
11/12/2014	DeArcy Hall, LaShann Moutique	USDC: Eastern District of New York	Q
11/12/2014	Drozd, Dale A.	USDC: Eastern District of California	WQ
11/12/2014	Restrepo, Luis Felipe	Third Circuit	WQsm/Q^{min}

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11/12/2014	Stoll, Kara Farnandez	Federal Circuit	WQ
11/20/2014	Donnelly, Ann Marie	USDC: Eastern District of New York	Q
11/20/2014	Ketchmark, Roseann	USDC: Western District of Missouri	Q sm /NQ ^{min}
11/20/2014	McDonough, Travis Randall	USDC: Eastern District of Tennessee	Q

KEY

* Indicates date of renomination during this Congress.

NOTES

1. On January 3, 2014, at the end of the 1st Session, Congress returned 55 of the 56 pending nominations. On January 6, 2014, President Obama renominated all of the returned nominees except William Thomas. Their renomination date appears in parentheses under their original entries on the chart.

2. The 113th Congress commenced on 01/03/13 and adjourned sine die 12/16/14.

3. As of August 1, 2013, any instance in which a chair is recused from participation in an evaluation is noted as a separate entry. Prior to August 1, 2013, the chart only noted recusals that affected the voting.