

**VACANCIES IN THE FEDERAL JUDICIARY**  
 ( Article III Judges only )  
 September 1, 1988

<u>COURT</u>	<u>VACANCY CREATED BY:</u>			<u>NOMINEE</u>
<b><u>DC CIRCUIT</u></b>				
Court of Appeals	Robert Bork	Res'd	2-5-88	Judith Richards Hope (4-14-88)
<b><u>FIRST CIRCUIT</u></b>				
Court of Appeals	Frank Coffin	To ret.	2-1-89	
<b><u>SECOND CIRCUIT</u></b>				
Court of Appeals	Irving Kaufman	Ret'd	7-1-87	Stuart Summit (9-23-87)
New York (S)	William C. Conner	Ret'd	3-31-87	Robert P. Patterson, Jr. (6-14-88)
New York (S)	Whitman Knapp	Ret'd	11-23-87	
New York (S)	Edward Weinfeld	Dec'd	1-17-88	
New York (S)	Richard J. Daronco	Dec'd	5-21-88	
New York (E)	Henry Bramwell	Ret'd	9-30-87	
New York (E)	Mark A. Costantino	Ret'd	12-1-87	Howard Levitt (12-22-87)
<b><u>THIRD CIRCUIT</u></b>				
Court of Appeals	Joseph F. Weis, Jr.	Ret'd	3-31-88	Richard L. Nygaard (5-25-88)
Pennsylvania (W)	Carol Los Mansmann	Elev'd	4-22-85	D. Brooks Smith (7-28-88)
Pennsylvania (W)	Hubert I. Teitelbaum	Ret'd	7-2-85	James R. McGregor (3-14-88)
Pennsylvania (E)	Daniel H. Huyett III	Ret'd	5-1-88	Jay C. Waldman (8-3-88)
Virgin Islands	Almeric L. Christian	Ret'd	12-31-86	Adriane J. Dudley (6-20-88)

**FOURTH CIRCUIT**

Maryland	Joseph H. Young	Ret'd	8-1-87	Marvin J. Garbis (7-6-88)
North Carolina (W)	David B. Sentelle	Elev'd	10-19-87	Richard L. Voorhees (7-31-87)
North Carolina (M)	Hiram Ward	Ret'd	4-29-88	Norwood Carlton Tilley, Jr. (4-26-88)
Virginia (E)	D. Dortch Warriner	Dec'd	3-17-86	Shannon T. Mason, Jr. (2-22-88)

**FIFTH CIRCUIT**

Court of Appeals	Robert M. Hill	Dec'd	10-19-87	Jacques L. Wiener, Jr. (6-27-88)
Court of Appeals	Albert Tate	Dec'd	3-27-86	John M. Duhe, Jr. (6-27-88)
Texas (S)	John Singleton, Jr.	Ret'd	4-1-88	Melinda Harmon (6-23-88)
Louisiana (W)	John Duhe, Jr.	Upon Elevation		

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Michigan (E)	John Feikens	Ret'd	3-1-86	Paul V. Gadola (4-23-87)
Tennessee (E)	Robert L. Taylor	Ret'd	1-15-85	Robert L. Jordan (7-25-88)
Kentucky (E)	Scott Reed	Ret'd	8-1-88	

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Court of Appeals	J. Blaine Anderson	Dec'd	4-17-88	
Court of Appeals	Anthony Kennedy	Elev'd	2-3-88	Pamela A. Rymer (4-26-88)
Court of Appeals	Warren J. Ferguson	Ret'd	8-1-86	
California (C)	Pamela Rymer	Upon Elevation		Robert C. Bonner (6-15-88)
California (N)	Spencer Williams	Ret'd	2-24-87	Vaughn R. Walker (12-18-87)
California (N)	Robert F. Peckham	To ret.	11-10-88	
Guam	Cristobal Duenas	Ret'd	1-1-88	
No. Mariana Island	Alfred Laureta	To Expire	7-13-88	Alex R. Munson (2-25-88)
Oregon	James M. Burns	To ret.	11-24-89	

### TENTH CIRCUIT

Colorado	John P. Moore	Elev'd	5-14-85	William H. Erickson (3-23-88)
Colorado	New position** (P.L.98-353)		7-10-84	Donald E. Abram (2-19-88)
Colorado	John L. Kane, Jr.	Ret'd	4-8-88	Lewis T. Babcock (6-23-88)

### ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

Alabama (N)	J. Foy Guin Jr.	To ret.	2-2-89	
Alabama (S)	Emmett Cox	Elev'd	4-25-88	Charles R. Butler, Jr. (4-28-88)

### FEDERAL CIRCUIT

	Shiro Kashiwa	Res'd	1-7-86	Susan Liebeler (3-23-87)
	Oscar H. Davis	Dec'd	6-19-88	

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\*\* New position created under Public Law 98-353, July 10, 1984.

**Total new positions:** 24 Court of Appeals judgeships  
61 District Court judgeships

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

As of August 1, 1988 the following Federal courts have "judicial emergencies:"

Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit  
Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit  
Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit  
Western District of Pennsylvania  
Eastern District of Virginia  
Eastern District of Michigan  
Eastern District of Tennessee  
District of Colorado  
District of Virgin Islands

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