

**Judicial Emergencies - 110th Congress**

**May 1, 2007**

| <u>Court</u> | <u>Circuit</u> | <u>Vacancy Created By</u> | <u>Reason</u> | <u>Vacancy Date</u> | <u>Days Pending</u> | <u>Weighted/Adjusted Filings</u> |
|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| 01           | CCA            | Selya, Bruce M.           | Senior        | 12/31/06            | 121                 | 747                              |
| 02           | CCA            | Walker, John M.           | Senior        | 9/30/06             | 213                 | 1127                             |
| 02           | NY-S           | Mukasey, Michael B.       | Retired       | 9/8/06              | 235                 | 621                              |
| 02           | NY-S           | Casey, Richard Conway     | Deceased      | 3/22/07             | 40                  | 621                              |
| 04           | CCA            | Murnaghan, Francis        | Deceased      | 8/31/00             | 2434                | 660                              |
| 04           | CCA            | Phillips, J. Dickson, Jr. | Senior        | 7/31/94             | 4657                | 660                              |
| 05           | CCA            | Higginbotham, Patrick E.  | Senior        | 8/28/06             | 246                 | 1145                             |
| 05           | CCA            | Pickering, Charles W.     | Retired       | 12/8/04             | 874                 | 1145                             |
| 06           | CCA            | Ryan, James L.            | Senior        | 1/1/00              | 2677                | 665                              |
| 06           | MI-E           | Duggan, Patrick J.        | Senior        | 9/29/00             | 2405                | 433                              |
| 06           | MI-W           | Enslin, Richard Alan      | Senior        | 9/1/05              | 607                 | 511                              |
| 06           | MI-W           | McKeague, David W.        | Elevated      | 6/13/05             | 687                 | 511                              |
| 06           | MI-W           | Quist, Gordon J.          | Senior        | 1/1/06              | 485                 | 511                              |
| 09           | CA-S           | Keep, Judith Nelson       | Deceased      | 9/14/04             | 959                 | 442                              |
| 09           | CCA            | Trott, Stephen S.         | Senior        | 12/31/04            | 851                 | 1072                             |
| 09           | WA-W           | Burgess, Franklin D.      | Senior        | 3/9/05              | 783                 | 557                              |

**Total Emergencies: 16**

***A judicial emergency is defined as the following:***

**District court**

- any vacancy where weighted filings are in excess of 600 per judgeship;
- any vacancy in existence more than 18 months where weighted filings are between 430 and 600 per judgeship;
- any court with more than one authorized judgeship and only one active judge.

**Circuit court**

- any vacancy in a court of appeals where adjusted filings per panel are in excess of 700;
- any vacancy in existence more than 18 months where adjusted filings are between 500 to 700 per panel.