Judicial Emergencies - 110th Congress

Apr 1, 2007

<u>Court</u>	<u>Circuit</u>	Vacancy Created By	Reason	Vacancy Date	Days Pending	Weighted/Adjusted Fillings
01	CCA	Selya, Bruce M.	Senior	12/31/06	91	838
02	CCA	Walker, John M.	Senior	9/30/06	183	1228
03	CCA	Alito, Samuel A., Jr.	Elevated	1/31/06	425	707
03	CCA	Van Antwerpen, Franklin S.	Senior	10/23/06	160	707
04	CCA	Murnaghan, Francis	Deceased	8/31/00	2404	686
04	CCA	Phillips, J. Dickson, Jr.	Senior	7/31/94	4627	686
04	WV-N	Broadwater, W. Craig	Deceased	12/18/06	104	350
05	CCA	Higginbotham, Patrick E.	Senior	8/28/06	216	1187
05	CCA	Pickering, Charles W.	Retired	12/8/04	844	1187
05	MS-S	Barbour, William H.	Senior	2/4/06	421	746
05	MS-S	Bramlette, David C.	Senior	3/20/06	377	746
06	CCA	Neilson, Susan Bieke	Deceased	1/25/06	431	716
06	CCA	Ryan, James L.	Senior	1/1/00	2647	716
06	MI-E	Duggan, Patrick J.	Senior	9/29/00	2375	440
06	MI-W	Enslen, Richard Alan	Senior	9/1/05	577	470
06	MI-W	McKeague, David W.	Elevated	6/13/05	657	470
06	MI-W	Quist, Gordon J.	Senior	1/1/06	455	470
09	CCA	Trott, Stephen S.	Senior	12/31/04	821	1233
09	WA-W	Burgess, Franklin D.	Senior	3/9/05	753	558
11	GA-S	Edenfield, B. Avant	Senior	8/2/06	242	544

Total Emergencies: 20

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.