## Judicial Emergencies (See attachment for revised definition.)

## January 8, 2003

## Information as of the end of the 107th Congress (November 22, 2002).

Court	Vacancy Created By	Reason	Vacancy Date	Days Pending	Weighted filings/ Adjusted filings*
02	NY-E				
	Platt, Thomas C.	Senior	2/1/01	683	717
	Raggi, Reena	Elevated	9/20/02	87	717
03	CCA Greenberg, Morton I.	Senior	6/30/00	899	510
04	CCA				
	Ervin, Sam J. III	Deceased	9/18/99	1185	641
	Murnaghan, Francis	Deceased	8/31/00	837	641
	Phillips, J. Dickson Jr.	Senior	7/31/94	3060	641
04	NC-E				
	Britt, W. Earl	Senior	12/7/97	1835	547
	Fox, James C.	Senior	1/31/01	684	547

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05	CCA				
	Garwood, William L.	Senior	1/23/97	2153	1017
	Parker, Robert M.	Retired	11/1/02	45	1017
	Politz, Henry A.	Senior	8/10/99	1224	1017
05	TX-W Garcia, Hipolito F.	Senior	1/15/02	335	939
06	CCA				
	Keith, Damon	Senior	5/1/95	2786	583
	Kennedy, Cornelia	Senior	3/1/99	1386	583
	Nelson, David A.	Senior	10/1/99	1172	583
	Ryan, James L.	Senior	1/1/00	1080	583
06	OH-N White, George W.	Retired	2/26/99	1389	460
08	ND Webb, Rodney S.	Senior	12/31/01	350	287

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09	CA-C				
	Letts, J. Spencer	Senior	12/19/00	727	484
	Paez, Richard A.	Elevated	3/9/00	1012	484
09	CCA				
	Browning, James R	Senior	9/1/00	836	763
	Fernandez, Ferdinand	Senior	6/1/02	198	763
	Hug, Proctor Jr.	Senior	1/1/02	349	763
	Wiggins, Charles E.	Senior	12/31/96	2176	763
09	OR Jones, Robert E.	Senior	5/1/00	959	543
11	AL-N Buttram, H. Dean Jr	Resigned	6/30/02	169	620
11	AL-S Vollmer, Richard W., Jr	Senior	12/31/00	715	489
11	CCA Cox, Emmett Ripley	Senior	12/18/00	728	1163
11	FL-S Highsmith, Shelby	Senior	3/15/02	276	681

**Total Judicial Emergencies: 29** 

<sup>\*</sup> A judicial emergency is defined as any vacancy in a district court where weighted filings are in excess of 600 per judgeship, or any vacancy in existence more than 18 months where weighted filings are between 430 and 600 per judgeship, or any court with more

than one authorized judgeship and only one active judge.