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FLORENCE K. MURRAY
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

October 19, 1984

The President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

My dear Mr. President:

RE: Federal Court Organizational Act
H.R. 6163
State Justice Institute Act

The Congress has passed H.R. 6163 which is a part of the Federal Court Organizational Act containing several titles. As chairperson of the Board of Directors of The National Judicial College, I am expressing our particular interest in Title 2 of that Act, the State Justice Institute Act.

For several years, this bipartisan measure has been discussed in the Congress and accepted by the Senate on two prior occasions. This year, both Houses adopted the legislation. The Act provides for the creation of a State Justice Institute to assist the states and national organizations involved with state courts in improving their process and procedure through research and education of judges and related court personnel.

For more than 20 years, The National Judicial College has engaged in the important mission of training state trial judges. More than 98% of all the judicial business in the United States is handled within state courts and their strength is extremely important if our tradition of federalism is to endure. A feeling shared by many is that the governmental units closes to the people, including the courts, can best serve most needs. It is for that reason that we ask your approval of the legislation

The President of the United States

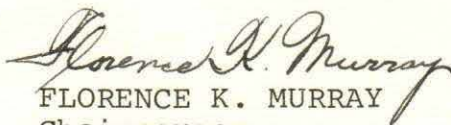
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now awaiting your signature.

The National Judicial College has maintained a mix of public and private funds and we intend to continue to do so. The availability of a modest sum from the State Justice Institute will permit us to continue our important programs in the field of criminal law reform, victims rights and improved court management.

Respectfully yours,



FLORENCE K. MURRAY
Chairperson
The National Judicial College

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cc: Chief Justice Warren E. Burger

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SUBJECT: ADVISES OF RECENT JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS

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Fred Fielding

Supreme Court of the United States
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CHAMBERS OF
THE CHIEF JUSTICE

October 23, 1984

Dear Mr. President,

This is to inform you that pursuant to section 49 of Title 28, United States Code, I have reappointed Senior Circuit Judges Roger Robb of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia and Lewis R. Morgan of the Eleventh Circuit, for an additional term on the special division of the United States Court of Appeals. As you know, under the statute, the sole function of this division is to appoint independent counsel (formerly special prosecutors). I have asked Senior District Judge Ray McNichols of the District of Idaho to succeed Judge J. Edward Lumbard, who has requested not to be reappointed.

Cordially,

Warren E. Burger

Honorable Ronald Reagan
President of the United States
Washington, D.C. 20510

<i>Circuits</i>	<i>Places</i>
Eighth	St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Paul.
Ninth	San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle.
Tenth	Denver, Wichita, Oklahoma City.
Eleventh	Atlanta, Jacksonville, Montgomery.
Federal	District of Columbia, and in any other place listed above as the court by rule directs.

(b) Each court of appeals may hold special sessions at any place within its circuit as the nature of the business may require, and upon such notice as the court orders. The court may transact any business at a special session which it might transact at a regular session.

(c) Any court of appeals may pretermitt, with the consent of the Judicial Conference of the United States, any regular session of court at any place for insufficient business or other good cause.

(d) The times and places of the sessions of the Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit shall be prescribed with a view to securing reasonable opportunity to citizens to appear before the court with as little inconvenience and expense to citizens as is practicable.

(As amended Oct. 14, 1980, Pub.L. 96-452, § 4, 94 Stat. 1994; Apr. 2, 1982, Pub.L. 97-164, Title I, § 104, 96 Stat. 26.)

§ 49. Assignment of judges to division to appoint independent counsels

(a) Beginning with the two-year period commencing on the date of the enactment of this section, three judges or justices shall be assigned for each successive two-year period to a division of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia to be the division of the court for the purpose of appointing independent counsels.

(b) Except as provided under subsection (f) of this section, assignment to such division of the court shall not be a bar to other judicial assignments during the term of such division.

(c) In assigning judges or justices to sit on such division of the court, priority shall be given to senior circuit judges and retired justices.

→ (d) The Chief Justice of the United States shall designate and assign three circuit court judges or justices, one of whom shall be a judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, to such division of the court. Not more than one judge or justice or senior or retired judge or justice may be named to such division from a particular court.

(e) Any vacancy in such division of the court shall be filled only for the remainder of the two-year period in which such vacancy occurs and in the same manner as initial assignments to such division were made.

(f) Except as otherwise provided in chapter 39 of this title, no member of such division of the court who participated in a function conferred on the division under chapter 39 of this title involving a¹ independent counsel shall be eligible to participate in any judicial proceeding concerning a matter which involves such independent counsel while such independent counsel is serving in that office or which involves the exercise of such independent counsel's official duties, regardless of whether such independent counsel is still serving in that office.

(Added Pub.L. 95-521, Title VI, § 602(a), Oct. 26, 1978, 92 Stat. 1873; and amended Pub.L. 97-409, § 2(b)(1), Jan. 3, 1983, 96 Stat. 2039.)

¹ So in original.

CHAPTER 5—DISTRICT COURTS

Sec.
[142. Repealed.]

§ 84. California

California is divided into four judicial districts to be known as the Northern, Eastern, Central, and Southern Districts of California.

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DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 10, 1984

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE WILLIAM J. HUGHES

SUBJECT FORWARDS RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY BAR
ASSOCIATIONS IN SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY REGARDING
APPOINTMENT OF FEDERAL JUDGESHIPS

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 20, 1984

Dear Congressman Hughes:

M.B. Oglesby, Jr., Assistant to the President, kindly provided with a copy of your recent letter to the President forwarding a joint resolution passed by the Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem County Bar Associations, recommending that individuals from Southern New Jersey be nominated to fill the vacancies on the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey.

We appreciate your taking the time to bring this resolution to our attention. Be assured that we are always receptive to recommendations of qualified candidates for Federal judicial appointments, and would welcome advice as to such candidates at any time.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Orig. signed by FFF

Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President

The Honorable William J. Hughes
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

December 11, 1984

Dear Bill:

On behalf of the President I would like to thank you for your letter of December 5 recommending that the Administration select nominees from southern New Jersey to fill three Federal judgeship positions which are currently vacant.

We appreciate your interest in these positions. Please know that we have transmitted your recommendation to the appropriate officials within the Administration for careful review and consideration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M. B. Oglesby, Jr.
Assistant to the President

The Honorable William J. Hughes
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December 5, 1984

The President
The White House
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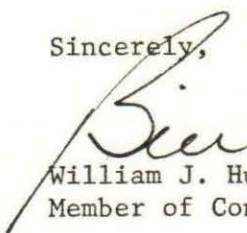
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As you will see, the Bar Associations have requested that you look to South Jersey candidates to fill three federal judgeships which are currently vacant. We have an outstanding organized Bar in Southern New Jersey, with many eminently qualified candidates among its membership.

As South Jersey is the fastest growing region of the entire State, it would be extremely fitting for you to give serious consideration to potential judgeship candidates from this region. I would greatly appreciate your most serious consideration of this request.

With kind personal regards.

Sincerely,


William J. Hughes
Member of Congress

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Dear Mr. President:

Enclosed herewith is a Joint Resolution adopted unanimously by the Bar Associations of the nine Counties comprising the Southern portion of the State of New Jersey, representing nearly half of the State's 21 Counties, regarding the three current vacancies on the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey in the vicinages of Trenton and Camden.

On behalf of these County Bar Associations, I urge your support of this Joint Resolution, and your immediate action to fill these three Federal Judgeships with eminently qualified members of the State Judiciary and Bar from the Southern portion of New Jersey.

Your assistance and prompt action in making these important appointments will greatly advance the administration of justice for the citizens of Southern New Jersey. Thank you very much.

Respectfully yours,

Frank M. Lario, Jr.
President

Camden County Bar Association

Enclosure

cc: Hon. William French Smith
Hon. William Bradley
Hon. Frank R. Lautenberg
All Members, Senate Judiciary Committee
Hon. Peter W. Rodino
All U.S. Congressmen from Southern New Jersey ✓

JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE ATLANTIC, BURLINGTON,
CAMDEN, CAPE MAY, CUMBERLAND, GLOUCESTER,
MERCER, OCEAN AND SALEM COUNTY BAR ASSOCIA-
TIONS REGARDING FEDERAL JUDICIAL POSITIONS

WHEREAS, three judicial positions currently exist in the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, the appointees to which shall be assigned to the Trenton and Camden vicinages; and

WHEREAS, there are a multitude of eminently qualified State Court jurists sitting in the Superior Court of New Jersey in the Counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem and of eminently qualified practitioners practicing and residing in those Counties; and

WHEREAS, knowledge of local issues and concerns is believed to be essential to the effective operation of a judicial system, either State or Federal; and

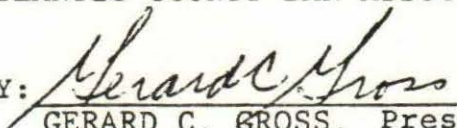
WHEREAS, it is the belief of these Associations that the public's respect for and confidence in our judicial systems, either State or Federal, is increased by the presence, on the Bench, of Judges from the area in which they are sitting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Bar Associations of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem, that they go on record as supporting, for the above three vacancies noted, nominations either of sitting Judges from the State Court system sitting in Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem Counties or of active practitioners who reside and practice in these Counties.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the President of the United States, members of the Senate Judiciary Committee, all Senators representing the citizens of the State of New Jersey, and other officials involved with the judicial selection process.

ATLANTIC COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

BY:


GERARD C. GROSS, President

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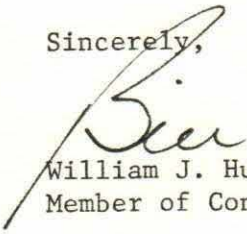
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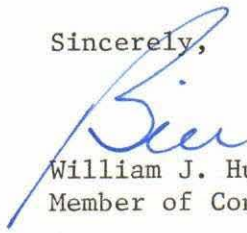
Enclosed please find a copy of a resolution adopted by the Bar Associations of the nine Counties from Southern New Jersey, most of which I have the privilege of representing in the Congress.

As you will see, the Bar Associations have requested that you look to South Jersey candidates to fill three federal judgeships which are currently vacant. We have an outstanding organized Bar in Southern New Jersey, with many eminently qualified candidates among its membership. ←

As South Jersey is the fastest growing region of the entire State, it would be extremely fitting for you to give serious consideration to potential judgeship candidates from this region. I would greatly appreciate your most serious consideration of this request.

With kind personal regards.

Sincerely,


William J. Hughes
Member of Congress

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Dear Mr. President:

Enclosed herewith is a Joint Resolution adopted unanimously by the Bar Associations of the nine Counties comprising the Southern portion of the State of New Jersey, representing nearly half of the State's 21 Counties, regarding the three current vacancies on the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey in the vicinages of Trenton and Camden.

On behalf of these County Bar Associations, I urge your support of this Joint Resolution, and your immediate action to fill these three Federal Judgeships with eminently qualified members of the State Judiciary and Bar from the Southern portion of New Jersey.

Your assistance and prompt action in making these important appointments will greatly advance the administration of justice for the citizens of Southern New Jersey. Thank you very much.

Respectfully yours,

Frank M. Lario, Jr.
President

Camden County Bar Association

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cc: Hon. William French Smith
Hon. William Bradley
Hon. Frank R. Lautenberg
All Members, Senate Judiciary Committee
Hon. Peter W. Rodino
All U.S. Congressmen from Southern New Jersey ✓

JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE ATLANTIC, BURLINGTON,
CAMDEN, CAPE MAY, CUMBERLAND, GLOUCESTER,
MERCER, OCEAN AND SALEM COUNTY BAR ASSOCIA-
TIONS REGARDING FEDERAL JUDICIAL POSITIONS

WHEREAS, three judicial positions currently exist in the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, the appointees to which shall be assigned to the Trenton and Camden vicinages; and

WHEREAS, there are a multitude of eminently qualified State Court jurists sitting in the Superior Court of New Jersey in the Counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem and of eminently qualified practitioners practicing and residing in those Counties; and

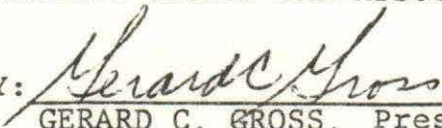
WHEREAS, knowledge of local issues and concerns is believed to be essential to the effective operation of a judicial system, either State or Federal; and

WHEREAS, it is the belief of these Associations that the public's respect for and confidence in our judicial systems, either State or Federal, is increased by the presence, on the Bench, of Judges from the area in which they are sitting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Bar Associations of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem, that they go on record as supporting, for the above three vacancies noted, nominations either of sitting Judges from the State Court system sitting in Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Mercer, Ocean and Salem Counties or of active practitioners who reside and practice in these Counties.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the President of the United States, members of the Senate Judiciary Committee, all Senators representing the citizens of the State of New Jersey, and other officials involved with the judicial selection process.

ATLANTIC COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

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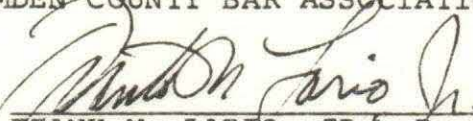
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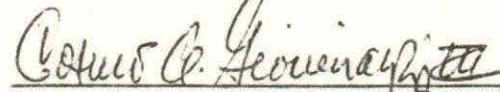
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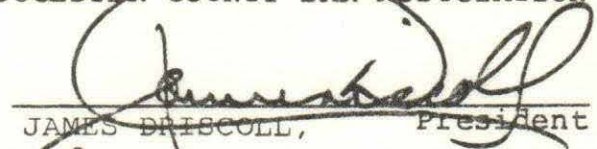
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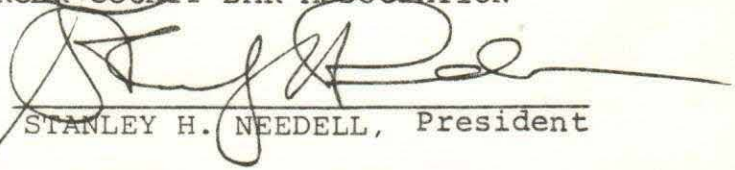
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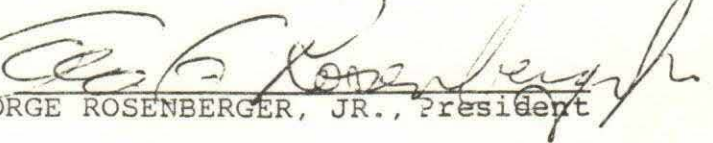
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President Ronald Reagan
The White House,
Washington, D.C. 20500

My dear Mr. President:

I wish to express my appreciation to you for appointing me as Federal District Judge for Nevada upon the recommendation of Senator Paul Laxalt. It is a high honor and privilege for me to serve on the federal bench.

It was a very special moment for me and my family when you telephoned me to advise me you were sending my name to the Senate for confirmation. You were very kind in taking the time to make that call which fulfilled the dream of a lifetime for me.

Both Mary Ann and I want to congratulate you on your re-election. You have accomplished a great deal for the people of our nation during your first term and we are very proud you will be continuing to provide leadership, confidence and strength to our people during the next four years. We take comfort and inspiration from the vision which you have for our people and will always point with pride to what you have done for us and for our country.

Again, thank you Mr. President for the confidence you have in me. I shall always do my best to be worthy of the special trust you have given me.

Sincerely,


HOWARD D. McKIBBEN

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
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FROM: FRED F. FIELDING *Orig. signed by FFF*
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Summary of Decisions -- September 6, 1984
Meeting of the President's Federal
Judicial Selections Committee

Summarized below are the decisions made in our meeting of September 6, 1984.

I. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE CIRCUIT COURTS

A. Tenth Circuit: The background investigations will be initiated on U.S. District Court Judge John P. Moore as a candidate for appointment to this court.

B. D.C. Circuit: The Justice Department will report at our next meeting on the qualifications of Loren Smith as a candidate for appointment to this court.

II. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE DISTRICT COURTS

A. Western District of Arkansas: The background investigations will be initiated on Oliver L. Adams as a candidate for appointment to this court.

B. Western District of New York: The background investigations will be initiated on Judge John M. Finnerty as a candidate for appointment to this court.

C. Southern District of Florida: No action will be taken at this time to fill the vacancies on this court.

D. Northern District of Illinois: The background investigations will be initiated on Ann C. Williams as a candidate for appointment to this court.

E. District of Montana: The background investigations will be initiated on Judge Diane G. Barz as a candidate for appointment to this court.

F. Central District of California: B. Oglesby will request Senator Wilson to recommend more candidates for the vacancies on this court.