# United States Senate Committee on the Judiciary Senator Chuck Grassley (R-IA), Chairman

# Status of President Trump's Nominations Considered by the Senate Judiciary Committee During the 115th Congress (as of April 9, 2018 at 6:30 pm)

#### **JUDICIAL BRANCH NOMINEES**

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Senate has <u>confirmed</u> the following of President Trump's judicial nominees:

- 1. Justice Neil Gorsuch (reported to floor on 4/3/2017; confirmed on 4/7/2017)
- 2. Judge Amul Thapar (CA6 / Ky.) (reported to floor on 5/18/2017, confirmed on 5/25/2017)
- 3. Judge David Nye (D. Id.) (reported to floor on 6/15/2017; confirmed on 7/12/2017)
- 4. Judge John Bush (CA6 / Ky.) (reported to floor on 7/13/2017; confirmed on 7/20/2017)
- 5. Judge Kevin Newsom (CA11 / Ala.) (reported to floor on 7/13/2017; confirmed on 8/1/2017)
- Judge Tim Kelly (D.D.C.) (reported to floor on 7/13/2017; confirmed on 9/5/2017)
- 7. Judge Ralph Erickson (CA8 / N.D.) (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 9/28/2017)
- 8. Judge Scott L. Palk (W.D. Okla.) (reported to floor on 6/15/2017; confirmed on 10/26/2017)
- 9. Judge Trevor McFadden (D.D.C.) (reported to floor on 7/20/2017; confirmed on 10/30/2017)
- 10. Judge Amy Barrett (CA7 / Ind.) (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 10/31/2017)
- 11. Judge Joan Larsen (CA6 / Mich.) (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 11/1/2017)
- Judge Allison Eid (CA10 / Colo.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 11/2/2017)
- 13. Judge Stephanos Bibas (CA3 / Penn.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 11/2/2017)
- 14. Judge Donald Coggins (D.S.C.) (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 11/16/2017)
- 15. Judge Dabney Friedrich (D.D.C.) (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 11/27/2017)
- 16. Judge Greg Katsas (CADC) (reported to the on 11/9/2017; confirmed on 11/28/2017)
- 17. Judge Steve Grasz (CA8 / Neb.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; confirmed on 12/12/2017)
- 18. Judge Don Willett (CA5 / Tex.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; confirmed on 12/13/2017)
- 19. Judge James Ho (CA5 / Tex.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; confirmed on 12/14/2017)
- 20. Judge William Campbell (M.D. Tenn.) (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 1/9/2018)
- 21. Judge Thomas Parker (W.D. Tenn.) (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 1/10/2018)
- 22. Judge Walter David Counts III (W.D. Tex.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 1/11/2018)
- 23. Judge Michael Brown (N.D. Ga.) (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; confirmed on 1/11/2018)
- 24. Judge David Stras (CA8 / Minn.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018; confirmed on 1/30/2018)
- 25. Judge Elizabeth Branch (CA11 / Ga.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018; confirmed on 2/27/2018)
- 26. Judge Marvin Quattlebaum (D.S.C.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 3/1/2018)
- 27. Judge Karen Scholer (N.D. Tex.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 3/5/2018)
- 28. Judge Tilman Self (M.D. Ga.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 3/5/2018)
- 29. Judge Terry Doughty (W.D. La.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; confirmed on 3/6/2018)

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following circuit-court nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u> by the full Senate:

- 1. Kyle Duncan (CA5 / La.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 2. Kurt Engelhardt (CA5 / La.) (reported to floor on 2/8/2018)
- 3. Michael B. Brennan (CA7 / Wisc.) (reported to floor on 2/15/2018)
- 4. Joel Carson III (CA10 / N.M.) (reported to floor on 3/15/2018)

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following district-court nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u> by the full Senate:

- 1. Claria Boom (E.D. and W.D. Ky.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; cloture invoked on 4/9/2018)
- 2. John Broomes (D. Kan.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; cloture vote expected after 4/9/2018)
- 3. Rebecca Jennings (W.D. Ky.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; cloture vote expected after 4/9/2018)
- 4. Robert Wier (E.D. Ky.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017)
- 5. Fernando Rodriguez (S.D. Tex.) (reported to floor on 1/11/2018)
- 6. Annemarie Axon (N.D. Ala.) (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)

- 7. Thomas Farr (E.D.N.C.) (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 8. William Ray (N.D. Ga.) (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 9. Liles Burke (N.D. Ala.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 10. Michael Juneau (W.D. La.) (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 11. Jeffrey Beaverstock (S.D. Ala.) (reported to floor on 11/9/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 12. Emily Marks (M.D. Ala.) (reported to floor on 11/9/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 13. Holly Teeter (D. Kan.) (reported to floor on 11/9/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- Mark Norris (W.D. Tenn.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 15. Terry Moorer (S.D. Ala.) (reported to floor on 12/7/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 16. Eli Richardson (M.D. Tenn.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 17. Matthew Kacsmaryk (N.D. Tex.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 18. Charles Goodwin (W.D. Okla.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 19. Stan Baker (S.D. Ga.) (reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 20. Barry Ashe (E.D. La.) (reported to floor on 2/8/2018)
- 21. James Sweeney II (S.D. Ind.) (reported to floor on 2/8/2018)
- 22. Howard Nielson, Jr. (D. Utah) (reported to floor on 2/8/2018)
- 23. Daniel Domenico (D. Colo.) (reported to floor on 2/15/2018)
- 24. Marilyn Horan (W.D. Pa.) (reported to floor on 2/15/2018)
- 25. Susan Baxter (W.D. Pa) (reported to floor on 2/15/2018)
- 26. Maryellen Noreika (D. Del.) (reported to floor on 3/15/2018)
- 27. Colm Connolly (D. Del.) (reported to floor on 3/15/2018)
- 28. William Jung (M.D. Fla.) (reported to floor on 3/15/2018)

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following Article I court nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u>:

1. Ryan Holte (Fed. Claims) (reported to floor on 3/15/2018)

Following hearings by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following circuit-court nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting markup votes</u> from the Committee to the full Senate for confirmation votes:

- 1. John B. Nalbandian (CA6 / Ky.) (hearing held on 3/7/2018; hold burned on 3/22/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- Michael Scudder (CA7 / III.) (hearing held on 3/21/2018; expect to burn hold on 4/12/2018; expert to report to floor on 4/19/2018)
- 3. Amy St. Eve (CA7 / III.) (hearing held on 3/21/2018; expect to burn hold on 4/12/2018; expert to report to floor on 4/19/2018)

Following hearings by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following district-court nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting markup votes</u> from the Committee to the full Senate for confirmation votes:

- 1. Kari Dooley (D. Conn.) (hearing held on 3/7/2018; hold burned on 3/22/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 2. Jill Otake (D. Haw.) (hearing held on 3/7/2018; hold burned on 3/22/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 3. Dominic Lanza (D. Ariz.) (hearing held on 3/7/2018; hold burned on 3/22/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 4. C.J. Williams (N.D. Iowa) (hearing held on 3/21/2018; expect to burn hold on 4/12/2018; expert to report to floor on 4/19/2018)

Following hearings by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following Article I court nominees of President Trump are awaiting markup votes:

1. None.

The following circuit-court nominees of President Trump are awaiting nominations hearings:

- 1. Ryan Bounds (CA9 / Ore.) (nomination received on 9/7/2017; re-nomination received on 1/8/2018)
- 2. Mark J. Bennett (CA9 / Haw.) (nomination received on 2/15/2018; hearing scheduled for 4/11/2018)
- 3. Andrew Oldham (CA5 / Tex.) (nomination received on 2/15/2018)

The following district-court nominees of President Trump are awaiting nominations hearings:

- 1. Gordon Giampietro (E.D. Wisc.) (nomination received on 12/20/2017)
- 2. Chad Kenney (E.D. Pa.) (nomination received on 12/20/2017)

- 3. J. Campbell Barker (E.D. Tex.) (nomination received on 1/23/2018)
- 4. Jeremy D. Kernodle (E.D. Tex.) (nomination received on 1/23/2018)
- 5. Michael J. Truncale (E.D. Tex.) (nomination received on 1/23/2018)
- Wendy Vitter (E.D. La) (nomination received on 1/23/2018; hearing scheduled for 4/11/2018)
- 7. Alan Albright (W.D. Tex.) (nomination received on 1/24/2018)
- 8. Susan Brnovich (D. Ariz.) (nomination received on 1/24/2018)
- 9. Robert Summerhays (W.D. La.) (nomination received on 1/24/2018; hearing scheduled for 4/11/2018)
- 10. Nancy Brasel (D. Minn.) (nomination received on 2/15/2018; hearing scheduled for 4/11/2018)
- 11. Thomas Kleeh (N.D. W. Va.) (nomination received on 2/15/2018)
- 12. Peter Phipps (W.D. Pa.) (nomination received on 2/15/2018)
- 13. Eric Tostrud (D. Minn.) (nomination received on 2/15/2018; hearing scheduled for 4/11/2018)

The following Article I court nominees of President Trump are awaiting nominations hearings:

Maureen Ohlhausen (Fed. Claims) (nomination received on 1/24/2018)

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Senate has <u>confirmed</u> the following other Judicial Branch nominees of President Trump:

1. None.

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following other Judicial Branch nominees of President Trump are awaiting confirmation votes by the full Senate:

None.

Following hearings by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following other Judicial Branch nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting markup votes</u> from the Committee to the full Senate for confirmation votes:

1. None.

The following other Judicial Branch nominees of President Trump are awaiting nominations hearings:

- 1. William H. Pryor Jr., Chairman of the United States Sentencing Commission (nomination received on 3/1/2018)
- 2. Luis Felipe Restrepo, Commissioner of the United States Sentencing Commission (nomination received on 3/1/2018)
- 3. Henry E. Hudson, Commissioner of the United States Sentencing Commission (nomination received on 3/1/2018)
- 4. William Graham Otis, Commissioner of the United States Sentencing Commission (nomination received on 3/1/2018)

#### **DOJ NOMINEES**

NOTE: On January 4, 2018, Senator Gardner (R-CO) announced a hold on the confirmation of all DOJ nominees. On February 14, 2018, Senator Gardner modified his hold to exclude the nominees for Assistant Attorney General for the National Security Division, U.S. Attorneys, and U.S. Marshals.

# Main Justice

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Senate has <u>confirmed</u> the following Main Justice nominees of President Trump:

- 1. Attorney General Jeff Sessions (reported to floor on 2/1/2017; confirmed on 2/8/2017)
- 2. Deputy Attorney General Rod Rosenstein (reported to floor on 4/3/2017; confirmed on 4/25/2017)
- 3. Associate Attorney General Rachel Brand (reported to floor on 4/3/2017; confirmed on 5/18/2017)
- 4. Chris Wray, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation (reported to floor on 7/20/2017; confirmed on 8/1/2017)
- 5. Beth Williams, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Policy (reported to floor on 7/20/2017; confirmed on 8/3/2017)
- 6. Stephen Boyd, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs (reported to floor on 6/29/2017; confirmed on 8/3/2017)
- 7. Solicitor General Noel Francisco (reported to floor on 6/8/2017; confirmed on 9/19/2017)
- 8. Makan Delrahim, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division (reported to floor on 6/8/2017; confirmed on 9/27/2017)
- 9. Steven Engel, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel (reported to floor on 6/8/2017; confirmed on 11/7/2017)
- 10. John Demers, Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division (reported to the Senate Intelligence Committee on 10/19/2017; Senate Intel reported to floor on 11/7/2017; confirmed on 2/15/2018)

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following Main Justice nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u> by the full Senate:

- Jeffrey Clark, nominee for Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 2. Brian Benczkowski, nominee for Assistant Attorney General for the Criminal Division (reported to floor on 9/28/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)
- 3. Eric Dreiband, nominee for Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Rights Division (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; re-reported to floor on 1/18/2018)

The following Main Justice nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting markup votes</u> from the Committee to the full Senate for a confirmation vote:

 Joseph Hunt, nominee for AAG of the Civil Division (hearing held on 3/7/2018; expect to burn hold on 4/12/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/19/2018)

The following Main Justice nominees of President Trump are awaiting nominations hearings:

1. None.

## U.S. Attorneys

Following markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Senate has <u>confirmed</u> the following United States Attorney nominees of President Trump:

Justin Herdman, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Ohio (reported to floor on 7/20/2017; confirmed on 8/3/2017) 1. 2. John Huber, U.S. Attorney, D. Utah (reported to floor on 7/20/2017; confirmed on 8/3/2017) 3. John Town, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Ala. (reported to floor on 7/20/2017; confirmed on 8/3/2017) 4. Michael Dunavant, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Tenn. (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 5. Louis Franklin, U.S. Attorney, M.D. Ala. (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 6. Jessie Liu, U.S. Attorney, D.D.C. (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 7. Richard Moore, U.S. Attorney, S.D. Ala. (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 8. Peter Deegan, U.S. Attorney, N.D. lowa (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 9. Mark Krickbaum, U.S. Attorney, S.D. lowa (reported to floor on 8/3/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 10. Donald Cochran, Jr., U.S. Attorney, M.D. Tenn. (reported to floor on 9/7/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) Kurt Alme, U.S. Attorney, D. Mont. (reported to floor on 9/7/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 11. Russell Coleman, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Ky. (reported to floor on 9/7/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 12. 13. Brian Kuester, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Okla. (reported to floor on 9/7/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 14. Trent Shores, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Okla. (reported to floor on 9/7/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 15. Bart Davis, U.S. Attorney, D. Idaho (reported to floor on 9/7/2017; confirmed on 9/14/2017) 16. Cody Hiland, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Ark. (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 9/28/2017) Josh Minkler, U.S. Attorney, S.D. Ind. (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 9/28/2017) 17. 18. Byung Pak, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Ga. (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 9/28/2017) 19. Robert Higdon, Jr., U.S. Attorney, E.D.N.C. (reported to floor on 9/14/2017; confirmed on 9/28/2017) 20. Halsey Frank, U.S. Attorney, D. Me. (reported to floor on 9/28/2017; confirmed on 10/3/2017) 21... Jeffrey Jensen, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Mo. (reported to floor on 9/28/2017; confirmed on 10/3/2017) 22. Michael Hurst, Jr., U.S. Attorney, S.D. Miss. (reported to floor on 9/28/2017; confirmed on 10/3/2017) 23. Thomas Kirsch II, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Ind. (reported to floor on 9/28/2017; confirmed on 10/3/2017) 24. William Powell, U.S. Attorney, N.D. W. Va. (reported to floor on 9/28/2017; confirmed on 10/3/2017) 25. Bryan Schroder, U.S. Attorney, D. Ala. (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 26. Robert Duncan, Jr., U.S. Attorney, E.D. Ky. (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) Charles Peeler, U.S. Attorney, M.D. Ga. (reported to floor on 10/5/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 27. 28. Scott Blader, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Wisc. (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 29. John Lausch, Jr., U.S. Attorney, N.D. III. (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 30. Douglas Overbey, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Tenn. (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 31. William Lamar, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Miss. (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 32. Mark Klaassen, U.S. Attorney, D. Wyo. (reported to floor on 10/19/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 33. John Bash, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Tex. (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 34. Andrew Murray, U.S. Attorney, W.D.N.C. (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 35. Erin Cox, U.S. Attorney, N.D. Tex. (reported to floor on 10/26/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 36. Matthew Martin, U.S. Attorney, M.D.N.C. (reported to floor on 11/2/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 37. Christina Nolan, U.S. Attorney, D. Vt. (reported to floor on 11/2/2017; confirmed on 11/9/2017) 38. Bobby Christine, U.S. Attorney, S.D. Ga. (reported to floor on 11/9/2017; confirmed on 11/15/2017) 39. David Freed, U.S. Attorney, M.D. Pa. (reported to floor on 11/9/2017; confirmed on 11/15/2017) 40. Scott Brady, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Pa. (reported to floor on 11/16/2017; confirmed on 12/14/2017) 41. Andrew Lelling, U.S. Attorney, D. Mass. (reported to floor on 11/16/2017; confirmed on 12/14/2017) 42. Stephen McAllister, U.S. Attorney, D. Kan. (reported to floor on 12/14/2017; confirmed on 12/20/2017) 43. Ronald Parsons, Jr., U.S. Attorney, D.S.D. (reported to floor on 12/14/2017; confirmed on 12/20/2017) 44. Michael Stuart, U.S. Attorney, S.D. W.Va. (reported to floor on 12/14/2017; confirmed on 12/20/2017) 45. Duane Kees, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Ark. (reported to floor on 12/14/2017; confirmed on 12/20/2017) 46. Ryan Patrick, U.S. Attorney, S.D. Tex. (reported to floor on 12/14/2017; confirmed on 12/20/2017) 47. Matthew Krueger, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Wisc. (reported to floor on 1/11/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 48. Joseph Brown, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Tex. (reported to floor on 1/11/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 49. John H. Durham, U.S. Attorney, D. Conn. (reported to floor on 1/18/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 50. John Anderson, U.S. Attorney, D.N.M. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 51. Brandon Fremin, U.S. Attorney, M.D. La. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 52. Joseph Kelly, U.S. Attorney, D. Neb. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 53. David Weiss, U.S. Attorney, D. Del. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 54. Scott Murray, U.S. Attorney, D.N.H. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018) 55. McGregor Scott, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Cal. (reported to floor on 2/15/2018; confirmed on 3/7/2018) 56. Billy Williams, U.S. Attorney, D. Ore. (reported to floor on 3/1/2018; confirmed on 3/7/2018)

William McSwain, U.S. Attorney, E.D. Pa. (reported to floor on 3/15/2018; confirmed on 3/20/2018)

Robert Hur, U.S. Attorney, D. Md. (reported to floor on 3/22/2018; confirmed on 3/22/2018)

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- 59. Thomas Cullen, U.S. Attorney, W.D. Va. (reported to floor on 3/22/2018; confirmed on 3/22/2018)
- 60. David Joseph, U.S. Attorney, W.D. La. (reported to floor on 3/22/2018; confirmed on 3/22/2018)

Following markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following United States Attorney nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u> by the full Senate:

1. None.

The following U.S. Attorney nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting markup votes</u> from the Committee to the full Senate for confirmation votes:

- 1. Timothy Garrison (W.D. Mo.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 2. Nicola Hanna (C.D. Cal.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018)
- 3. Kenji Price (D. Haw.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)

## U.S. Marshals

Following markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Senate has <u>confirmed</u> the following United States Marshals nominees of President Trump:

- 1. Ted Kamatchus, U.S. Marshal, S.D. lowa (reported to floor on 1/11/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018)
- 2. Norman Arflack, U.S. Marshal, E.D. Ky. (reported to floor on 1/11/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018)
- 3. Daniel McKittrick, U.S. Marshal, N.D. Miss. (reported to floor on 1/18/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018)
- 4. Michael Baylous, U.S. Marshal, S.D. W. Va. (reported to floor on 1/18/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018)
- 5. David Jolley, U.S. Marshal, E.D. Tenn. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018)
- 6. Thomas Griffin, Jr., U.S. Marshal, D.S.C. (reported to floor on 2/8/2018; confirmed on 2/15/2018)
- 7. Gary Schofield, U.S. Marshal, D. Nev. (reported to floor on 2/15/2018; confirmed on 3/7/2018)
- 8. Mark James, U.S. Marshal, W.D. Mo. (reported to floor on 3/1/2018; confirmed on 3/7/2018)
- 9. Daniel Mosteller, U.S. Marshal, D.S.D. (reported to floor on 3/1/2018; confirmed on 3/7/2018)
- 10. Jesse Seroyer, Jr., U.S. Marshal, M.D. Ala. (reported to floor on 3/1/2018; confirmed on 3/7/2018)
- 11. Johnny Kuhlman, U.S. Marshal, W.D. Okla. (reported to floor on 3/15/2018; confirmed on 3/20/2018)
- 12. Matthew Harris, U.S. Marshal, D. Utah (reported to floor on 3/15/2018; confirmed on 3/20/2018)
- 13. Joseph McClain, U.S. Marshal, S.D. Ind. (reported to floor on 3/15/2018; confirmed on 3/20/2018)
- 14. David Weaver, U.S. Marshal, D. Colo. (reported to floor on 3/15/2018; confirmed on 3/20/2018)

Following markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following United States Marshals nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u> by the full Senate:

1. None.

The following U.S. Marshals nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting markup votes</u> from the Committee to the full Senate for confirmation votes:

- 1. Frank Coffman (E.D. Okla.) (nomination received on 10/5/2017)
- 2. John Bittick (M.D. Ga.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 3. Steve Gladden (M.D.N.C.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018)
- 4. David Lyons (S.D. Ga.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 5. Rodney Ostermiller (D. Mt.) (nomination received on 2/27/2018; expect to report to floor on 4/12/2018)
- 6. Dallas L. Carlson (D.N.D.) (nomination received on 3/12/2018)
- 7. Sonya K. Chavez (D.N.M.) (nomination received on 3/12/2018)
- 8. Gregory Allyn Forest (W.D.N.C.) (nomination received on 3/12/2018)
- 9. Brendan O. Heffner (C.D. III.) (nomination received on 3/12/2018)
- 10. Bradley A. Maxwell (S.D. III.) (nomination received on 3/12/2018)
- 11. Theodor G. Short (D. Me.) (nomination received on 3/12/2018)

#### OTHER EXECUTIVE BRANCH NOMINEES

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the Senate has <u>confirmed</u> the following other Executive Branch nominees of President Trump:

1. Andrei lancu, Undersecretary of Commerce and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office (reported to floor on 12/14/2017; confirmed on 2/5/2018)

Following hearings and markups by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following other Executive Branch nominees of President Trump are <u>awaiting confirmation votes</u> by the full Senate:

- 1. Adam Klein, nominee for Chair and Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board (reported to floor on 2/15/2018)
- 2. Jonathan Mitchell, nominee for Chairman of the Administrative Conference (reported to floor on 3/15/2018)
- 3. Patrick Hovakimian, nominee for Commissioner on the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission (nomination received on 2/5/2018; privileged nomination placed on Senate Executive Calendar on 3/19/2018)

Following hearings by Chairman Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee, the following other Executive Branch nominees of President Trump are awaiting markup votes from the Committee to the full Senate for confirmation votes:

1. None.

The following other Executive Branch nominees of President Trump are awaiting nominations hearings:

- 1. Edward W. Felten, nominee for Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board (nomination received on 3/19/2018)
- 2. Jane Nitze, nominee for Member of the Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board (nomination received on 3/19/2018)

#### 2018 Nominations Overview

Chairman Chuck Grassley and the Senate Judiciary Committee expect to hold up to 20 nominations hearings in 2018, generally holding a hearing every other week when the Senate is in session. Each nomination hearing usually has up to six nominees, with two panels. The first panel typically includes one circuit-court nominee. The second panel typically includes up to five district-court, Main Justice, or other nominees. Occasionally, the hearings will include two circuit-court nominees on the first panel, with up to three district-court, Main Justice, or other nominees on the second panel.

After the hearing, senators on the Committee have one week to submit to the nominees "Questions for the Record" (QFRs). Once the nominees return their written answers to the QFRs, the nominees are scheduled for a markup meeting, which is where the Committee debates and decides whether to favorably report (vote) nominees to the Senate floor for confirmation votes by the full Senate.

Markups are usually held every Thursday when the Senate is in session. Quorums are critical: at least seven senators must show up (and stay) to have a markup; at least nine senators (including at least two Democrats) must show up (and stay) to conduct business (i.e., burn the hold); at least 11 senators must show up (and stay) to vote nominees to the floor. Any senator on the Committee can request that we "hold over" a nominee, meaning the Committee waits until the next markup to vote on the nominee. Judicial nominees are almost always held over for one markup.

In other words, if a nominations hearing is on the first Wednesday of a month (Week 1), the senators must submit their QFRs on or before the second Wednesday (Week 2). If the nominee returns the answers to the QFRs the following Monday and enough senators show up (and stay) for a quorum, the Committee can "burn the hold" at the Thursday markup (Week 3). If enough senators show up (and stay) for a quorum the following Thursday (Week 4), the Committee can favorably report (vote) the nominee to the full Senate for a confirmation vote.

A nominee must generally wait at least 28 days until after all nomination paperwork is received by the Committee before the holding of the nominee's hearing. This is called the "28-Day Rule." In other words, it generally takes at least two months for a nominee to make it through Committee to the Senate floor, following the receipt of all necessary nomination paperwork.

The Democrats are requiring the filing of cloture petitions and up to 30 hours of floor debate for virtually every judicial and Main Justice nominee. Chairman Grassley has called on the Senate to hold floor debates and floor votes (both cloture and confirmation votes) during evenings, weekends, and recesses, to clear the backlog of judicial and other nominees.

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