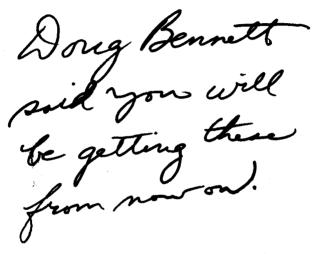
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September 15, 1975

#### MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH:

DONALD RUMSFELD

FROM: DOUGLAS P. BENNETT

SUBJECT:

Judicial Status Report

This memorandum reports upon the current status of vacancies and potential vacancies within the ranks of Federal Judges, U. S. Attorneys, and U. S. Marshals. The information presented is based upon Justice Department data and other pertinent materials at our disposal.

It should be noted that Attorney and Marshal vacancies are technical in character. To wit, a seat is rarely, if ever, physically vacant since (1) upon expiration of a term the incumbent continues to serve until a new appointment or reappointment is made; or (2) upon the death or resignation of an incumbent, the court usually appoints an individual to serve until a Presidential appointment is made. Consequently, the existence of a vacancy does not suggest that the job is unattended as is the case with vacancies on a bench.

#### FEDERAL JUDGES

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 523 Federal Judges all of which, with the exception of those seats in the Territories and the District of Columbia, are Life Appointments earning a Level II equivalent (\$42,000 per annum). Currently, 19 positions are vacant. There are four (4) candidates who have been nominated and await confirmation by the Senate. Three (3) other positions are currently being processed at the White House and six (6) at the Justice Department. Therefore, at the present time six (6) positions are vacant with no candidates under review.

| I.  | Total Seats in U. S. and Territories  |   |  |
|-----|---|---|--|
| п.  | Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab A)  |   |  |
|     | A. Candidates Nominated but Not Yet<br>Confirmed (Tab B)  | 4 |  |
|     | <ul><li>B. Positions in Process at the White House<br/>(Tab C)</li></ul>  | 3 |  |
| uı. | Candidates in Process at Justice (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab D) |   |  |
|     | A. Formal ABA/FBI Stage   | 3 |  |
|     | B. Informal ABA Stage   | 4 |  |
|     | C. Total Candidates under Review  | 7 |  |
| IV. | Positions for Which No Candidates Are Under<br>Review (Tab E)   | 6 |  |
| v.  | Potential Vacancies (Tab E)   |   |  |

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#### U. S. ATTORNEYS

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 94 U. S. Attorneys of which 23 are currently vacant. Of these 23, six (6) have been nominated but have not yet been confirmed by the Senate, five (5) others are in clearance at the White House, and the Justice Department is reviewing two (2) candidates. Therefore, at the present time there are eight (8) positions that have no candidates under review.

- I. Total Seats in U. S. and Territories
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- II. Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab F)
  - A. Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed 6 (Tab G)
  - B. Candidates in Clearance at the White House (Tab H)

- III. Candidates in Process at the Justice Department (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab I)
- IV. Positions for Which No Candidates Are under Review (Tab J)
  - A. Positions to Remain Vacant for An Indefinite Period (Tab J)
  - B. Potential Vacancies (Tab J)

#### U. S. MARSHALS

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 94 U. S. Marshals of which 10 are currently vacant. Of these 10, four (4) candidates have been nominated but not yet confirmed, one (1) is in clearance at the White House, and three (3) positions are being reviewed at the Justice Department. Therefore, at the present time there are two (2) positions without any candidates under review.

| I.  | Total Seats in U. S. and Territories   |    |  |
|-----|--|----|--|
| п.  | Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab K)   | 10 |  |
|     | A. Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed<br>(Tab L)   | 4  |  |
|     | B. Candidates in Clearance at the White House<br>(Tab M)   | 1  |  |
| ш.  | Candidates in Process at the Justice Department 3<br>(Note: Several candidates may be undergoing<br>clearance for the same position) (Tab N) |    |  |
| IV. | Positions for Which No Candidates Are under<br>Review (Tab O)  |    |  |
|     | A. Potential Vacancies (Tab O)   | 1  |  |
|     | B. Positions to Remain Vacant for An Indefinite<br>Period (Tab O)  | 1  |  |

Attachments (Tabs A-O)

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#### JUDGES / TAB A

TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (19)

ARKANSAS, E. & W. - vice Henley

CALIFORNIA, C. - E. A. Crary to retire A & Q or 6/30/75

CALIFORNIA, N. - vice Wollenberg

CANAL ZONE, N. - Guthrie Craw exp. 8/14/69

ILLINOIS, N. - vice E. A. Robson

ILLINOIS, N. - A. Marovitz retires effective 8/10/75

INDLANA, N. - vice Beamer, deceased

KENTUCKY, E. & W. - vice Swinford, deceased 2/3/75

LOUISIANA, E. - vice Comiskey

NEW YORK, S. - vice Bauman

NEW YORK, S. - vice Gurfein

NEW YORK, S. - vice Tyler

NEW YORK, E. - vice Travia

OKLAHOMA, W. - Stephen Chandler to retire A & Q

TEXAS, N. - vice Sarah Hughes - 8/4/75

TEXAS, S. - vice Allan Hannay - 8/6/75

WEST VIRGINIA, N. & S.

WYOMING - Ewing K. Kerr to retire A & Q

CIRCUIT COURTS:

FIFTH CIRCUIT (Fla.) - B. Simpson to retire A & Q or 6/30/75

NOTE: A & Q - upon appointment and qualification of a successor. Exp. - expires/expired.

## JUDGES/TAB B

#### CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (4)

ARKANSAS, E. & W. - Terry Shell

INDIANA, N. - Phil M. McNagny, Jr. (WQ) KENTUCKY, E. & W. - Eugene E. Siler (Q) WYOMING - Clarence Brimmer (Q)

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#### JUDGES/TAB C

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## CANDIDATES IN PROCESS AT THE WHITE HOUSE (3)

ILLINOIS, N. - John Grady (WQ)

OKLAHOMA, W. - Ralph Thompson (Q)

WEST VIRGINIA, N. & S. - Charles Haden (Q)

## NOTE: <u>ABA Categories</u>

Q - Qualified MQ - Marginally Qualified EWQ - Exceptionally Well Qualified NQ - Not Qualified



#### JUDGES/TAB D

#### CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT JUSTICE (7)

A. FORMAL ABA/FBI STAGE (3)

FIFTH CIRCUIT (Fla.) - Peter Fay (EWQ) CALIFORNLA, C. - Mariana R. Pfaelzer CALIFORNLA, N. - C. R. Janssen

## B. INFORMAL ABA STAGE (4)

CANAL ZONE# - Lester Engler FIFTH CIRCUIT (Fla.) - Gerald Pjoflat LOUISIANA, E. - Gerald Gallinghouse Morey Sear Revius Ortique

TEXAS, N. - Pat Higginbotham

#### NOTE: ABA Categories

Q - Qualified MQ - Marginally Qualified EWQ - Exeptionally Well-Qualified NQ - Not Qualified



## JUDGES/TABE

SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE IN CLEARANCE (26)

ILLINOIS, N. - -

NEW YORK, S. -

NEW YORK, S. -

NEW YORK, S. -

NEW YORK, E. -

TEXAS, S. -

POTENTIAL VACANCIES (2)

CALIFORNIA, N. -

FLORIDA, S. -



#### ATTORNEYS/TAB F

#### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (23)

ALASKA - (G. K. Edwards exp.)

CALIFORNIA, S. - (H. D. Steward resigned)

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (Titus resigned 12/31/73) FLORIDA, N. (William H. Stafford resigned) FLORIDA, M. (Briggs exp. 12/19/73) GUAM (Duane K. Craske exp. 6/15/75) 1. A. 197 IDAHO (S. Smith resigned) ILLINOIS, N. - (J. Thompson resigned 6/30/75) ILLINOIS, S. - (D. B. McKay exp.) INDIANA, S. - (S. B. Miller resigned) KANSAS - (Roth resigned) MAINE (Mills exp. 9/11/73) MICHIGAN (Milinowski resigned 6/74) MONTANA - (Packwood resigned 9/2/75) NEW YORK, W. (Elfvin resigned) OKLAHOMA, W. (Burkett resigned A&Q) OHIO, N. (Coleman exp. 12/21/74) PENNSYLVANIA, W. - (R. Thornburgh resigned) PUERTO RICO (Julio, Sanchez exp. 5/25/75) VIRGINIA, W. - (L. Haynes resigned) WYOMING (Thomas resigned 12/27/74)

NOTE: exp. - expired/expires

#### ATTORNEYS/TAB G

CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (6)

ALASKA - G. Kent Edwards CALIFORNIA - Terry J. Knoepp DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA - Earl Silbert FLORIDA, M. - John Briggs (RE) ILLINOIS - Don MacKay INDIANA - James Young

## NOTE: RE-Reappointment

## ATTORNEYS/TAB H

## CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE (5)

ILLINOIS, N. - Samuel Skinner

NEW YORK, W. - Robert J. Arcara PENNSYLVANIA, W. - Blair Griffiths WYOMING - James P. Costberg VIRGINIA, W. - Paul R. Thompson

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NOTE: RE - Reappointment



## ATTORNEYS/TABI

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#### CANDIDATES UNDER REVIEW AT JUSTICE (2)

MONTANA - Tom Olson

OKLAHOMA - David L. Russell

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NOTE: RE-Reappointment

## SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE UNDER REVIEW (5) FLORIDA, N. GUAM

#### MAINE

MICHIGAN, W.

OHIO, N.

- 2) POTENTIAL VACANCIES (0)
- 3) SEATS WHICH WILL REMAIN VACANT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD (2):

MAINE

MICHIGAN, W.



#### MARSHALS/TAB K

#### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (10)

CALIFORNIA, S. (J.R. Laffoon exp. 6/28/75) CANAL ZONE (McLelland exp. 5/9/69) \* GEORGIA, M. - (Martin deceased 6/20/75) ILLINOIS, E. (Hosch exp. 10/9/73) KENTUCKY, E. (Ash. exp. 11/5/73) KENTUCKY, W. (Henderson exp. 4/23/74) MAINE (J. D. Winter resigned 4/25/75) NORTH CAROLINA, M. (P. E. Almond exp. 6/30/75)

TEXAS, W. (Roberts resigned 3/74) TENNESSEE, W. (George R. Tallent exp. 6/27/75)

NOTE: \* Canal Zone and Virgin Islands are eight-year terms; all other terms are four years in length.

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## MARSHALS/TAB L

CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (4)

CALIFORNIA, S. - James Laffoon KENTUCKY, E. - Sherman Hansford KENTUCKY, W. - Jesse W. Grider NORTH CAROLINA, M. - P. Ellis Almond (RE)

## RE - Reappointment

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# MARSHALS/TAB M

## CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE (1)

ILLINOIS, E. - Arthur Wilson

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Note: RE - Reappointment

## MARSHALS/TAB N

## CANDIDATES UNDER REVIEW AT JUSTICE (3)

GEORGIA, M. - Robert E. Land

MAINE - Charles J. Pooler

TEXAS, W. - James F. Johnson

#### MARSHALS/TAB O

## 1) SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE UNDER REVIEW (2)

#### CANAL ZONE

TENNESSEE.

#### 2) POTENTIAL VACANCIES (1)

N. DAKOTA (Walter Link resigning 9/27/75)

#### 3) SEATS TO REMAIN VACANT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD (1)

CANAL ZONE\* - The term of the incumbent, McLelland, expired in May 1969. He will continue to serve for an indifinite period although no reappointment will be sought at this time.

NOTE: (\*) Canal Zone and Virgin Islands are eight-year terms; all other terms are four years in length.

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December 1, 1975

#### MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: RICHARD B. CHENEY

FROM: DOUGLAS P. BENNETT

SUBJECT: Judicial Status Report

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#### FEDERAL JUDGES

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 523 Federal Judges all of which, with the exception of those seats in the Territories and the District of Columbia, are Life Appointments earning a Level II equivalent (\$42,000 per annum). Currently, 21 positions are vacant. There are two (2) candidates who have been nominated and await confirmation by the Senate. One (1) other position is currently being processed at the White House and ten (10) at the Justice Department. Therefore, at the present time eight (8) positions are vacant with no candidates under review.

| <b>I.</b> | Tot  | al Seats in U. S. and Territories                  | 523 |  |
|-----------|--|--|-----|--|
| п.        | Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab A)   |  |     |  |
|           | А.   | Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed (Tab B) | 2   |  |
|           | в.   | Positions in Process at the White House<br>(Tab C) | 1   |  |
| ш.        | II. Positions in Process at Justice (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab D) |  |     |  |
|           | А.   | Formal ABA/FBI Stage                               | 2   |  |
|           | в.   | Informal ABA Stage                                 | 8   |  |
|           | c.   | Total Positions under Review                       | 10  |  |
| IV.       | Positions for Which No Candidates Are under<br>Review (Tab E)  |  | 8   |  |
| v.        | Potential Vacancies (Tab E)  |  | 0   |  |

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#### U. S. ATTORNEYS

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 94 U. S. Attorneys of which 9 are currently vacant. Of these 9, five (5) have been nominated but have not yet been confirmed by the Senate, none are in clearance at the White House, and the Justice Department is reviewing no candidates. Therefore, at the present time there are four (4) positions that have no candidates under review.

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- I. Total Seats in U. S. and Territories
- II. Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab F)
  - A. Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed (Tab G)
  - B. Candidates in Clearance at the White House (Tab H)

- III. Candidates in Process at the Justice Department (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab I)
- IV. Positions for Which No Candidates Are Under Review (Tab J)
  - A. Positions to Remain Vacant for An Indefinite Period (Tab J)
  - B. Potential Vacancies (Tab J)

#### U. S. MARSHALS

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 94 U. S. Marshals of which ll are currently vacant. Of these ll, three (3) candidates have been nominated but not yet confirmed, none are in clearance at the White House, and two (2) positions are being reviewed at the Justice Department. Therefore, at the present time there are six (6) positions without any candidates under review.

| I.  | Total Seats in U. S. And Territories   |  | 94 |
|-----|--|--|----|
| п.  | Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab K)   |  | 11 |
|     | <b>A.</b>  | Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed (Tab L)             | 3  |
|     | в.   | Candidates in Clearance at the White House<br>(Tab M)          | 0  |
| ш.  | Candidates in Process at the Justice Department2(Note: Several candidates may be undergoing<br>clearance for the same position)(Tab N) |  |    |
| IV. | Positions for which No Candidates Are under Review (Tab O)   |  | 6  |
|     | <b>A.</b>  | Potential Vacancies (Tab O)                                    | 0  |
|     | в.   | Positions to Remain Vacant for An Indefinite<br>Period (Tab O) | 1  |
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Attachments: Tabs A-O

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#### JUDGES / TAB A

#### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (21)

CALIFORNIA, C. - E. A. Crary to retire A & Q or 6/30/75

CALIFORNIA, N. - vice Wollenberg CALIFORNIA, N. - vice Zirpoli CANAL ZONE, N. - Guthrie Craw exp. 8/14/69 FLORIDA, S. - Mertens retired 9/14/75

ILLINOIS, N. - Richard Austin retired 10/10/75 ILLINOIS, N. - A. Marovitz retired effective 8/10/75

INDIANA, N. - vice Beamer, deceased

LOUISIANA, W. - Putnam disability retiring. LOUISIANA, E. - vice Christanberry died. LOUISIANA, E. - vice Comiskey MICHIGAN, E. - Fred Caess retiring 12/13/75 NEW YORK, S. - vice Bauman

NEW YORK, S. - vice Gurfein

NEW YORK, S. - vice Tyler

NEW YORK, E. - vice Travia NEW YORK, N. - retiring Edmond Port 2/7/76 OHIO, N. - Ben Green 1/5/75

TEXAS, N. - vice Sarah Hughes - 8/4/75

TEXAS, S. - vice Allan Hannay - 8/6/75

VIRGINIA, W. -

CIRCUIT COURTS:

NOTE: A & Q - upon appointment and qualification of a successor. Exp. - expires/expired.

## JUDGES/TAB B

## CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (2)

INDIANA, N. - Phil M. McNagny, Jr. (WQ)

TEXAS, N. - Pat Higginbotham (WQ)

## JUDGES/TAB C

CANDIDATES IN PROCESS AT THE WHITE HOUSE (1)

ILLINOIS, N. - George Leighton

## NOTE: <u>ABA Categories</u>

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## JUDGES/TABE

## SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE IN CLEARANCE (8)

CALIFORNIA, N. -CANAL ZONE

LOUISIANA, W. -

MICHIGAN, E. -

NEW YORK, S. -

NEW YORK, E. -

NEW YORK, N. -

OHIO, N. -

POTENTIAL VACANCIES (1)(0)



#### ATTORNEYS/TAB F

#### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (9)

FLORIDA, N. (William H. Stafford resigned) GUAM (Duane K. Craske exp. 6/15/75) IDAHO (S. Smith resigned)

MAINE (Mills exp. 9/11/73)

MICHIGAN (Milinowski resigned 6/74)

MONTANA - (Packwood resigned 9/2/75)

NEW YORK, W. - (Elfvin resigned) NEW YORK, S. (Paul Curran resigned 10/31/75)

OHIO, N. (Coleman exp. 12/21/74)

NOTE: Exp. - expired/expires

#### ATTORNEYS/TAB G

## CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (5)

FLORIDA, N. - Nickolas Geeker IDAHO - Marion Callister MONTANA - Tom Olson NEW YORK, W. - Richard Arcara OHIO, N. - Frederick Coleman

## ATTORNEYS/TAB H

## CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE (0)

## ATTORNEYS/TAB I

# CANDIDATES UNDER REVIEW AT JUSTICE (0)

### ATTORNEYS/TAB J

## 1) SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE UNDER REVIEW (4)

GUAM

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#### MAINE

## MICHIGAN, W.

#### NEW YORK, S.

## 2) POTENTIAL VACANCIES (0)

# 3) SEATS WHICH WILL REMAIN VACANT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD (2):

#### MAINE

#### MICHIGAN, W.

#### MARSHALS/TAB K

#### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (11)

CANAL ZONE (McLelland exp. 5/9/69) \* DELAWARE (Michels retired) GEORGIA, M. - (Martin deceased 6/20/75)

MAINE (J. D. Winter resigned 4/25/75) NEW YORK, S...- Thomas Farendiro 11/7/75 NEW YORK, E. (Butler resigned 8/30/75)

NORTH CAROLINA, M. (P. E. Almond exp. 6/30/75) NORTH DAKOTA SOUTH DAKOTA (George Tenneson resigned 10/14/75) TENNESSEE, W. (George R. Tallent exp. 6/27/75) TEXAS, W. (Roberts resigned 3/74)

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Exp. - expired/expires

#### MARSHALS/TAB L

## CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (3)

MAINE - Charles Pooler

NORTH CAROLINA, M. - P. Ellis Almond (RE)

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TENNESSEE, W. - Richard Moore

RE = Reappointment

## MARSHALS/TAB M

## CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE (0)

### MARSHALS/TAB N

### CANDIDATES UNDER REVIEW AT JUSTICE (2)

GEORGIA, M. - Jeffery Williams

N. DAKOTA - Alvn Bumann

#### MARSHALS/TAB O

1) SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE UNDER REVIEW (6)

CANAL ZONE DELAWARE NEW YORK, E. NEW YORK, S.

SOUTH DAKOTA TEXAS, W.

2) POTENTIAL VACANCIES 2/ (0)

#### 3) SEATS TO REMAIN VACANT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD (1)

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 6, 1976

#### MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

| THROUGH: | RICHARD B. CHENEY      |  |  |
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| FROM:    | DOUGLAS P. BENNETT     |  |  |
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#### FEDERAL JUDGES

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|-----|--|---|-----|
| I.  | Total Seats in U. S. and Territories   |   | 526 |
| ш.  | Tot  | tal Seats Currently Vacant (Tab A)                        | 23  |
|     | А.   | Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed<br>(Tab B)     | 2   |
|     | в.   | Positions in Process at the White House (Tab C)           | 0   |
| ш.  | Positions in Process at Justice (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab D) |   |     |
|     | <b>A.</b>  | Formal ABA/FBI Stage                                      | 3   |
|     | в.   | Informal ABA Stage  | 9   |
|     | c.   | Total Positions under Review                              | 12  |
| IV. |  | sitions for Which No Candidates Are under Review<br>ab E) | 9   |

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V. Potential Vacancies (Tab E)

# U. S. ATTORNEYS

Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 94 U. S. Attorneys of which 6 are currently vacant. Of these 6, two (2) have been nominated but bave not yet been confirmed by the Senate, none are in clearance at the White House, and the Justice Department is reviewing one (1) candidate. Therefore, at the present time there are three (3) positions that have no candidates under review.

| Ι. | Tot | al Seats in U. S. and Territories                                |        | 94 |
|----|-----|--|--------|----|
| п. | Tot | al Seats Currently Vacant (Tab F)                                |        | 6  |
|    | А.  | <b>Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Con</b><br><b>(Tab G</b> )   | firmed | 2  |
|    | в.  | <b>Candidates in Clearance at the White H</b><br>( <b>Tab</b> H) | House  | 0  |

III. Candidates in Process at the Justice Department 1 (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab I) Positions for Which No Candidates Are under Review 3 IV. (Tab J) A. Positions to Remain Vacant for An Indefinite 2 Period (Tab J) B. Potential Vacancies (Tab J) U. S. MARSHALS Within the U. S. and its Territories there are 94 U. S. Marshals of which 10 are currently vacant. Of these 10, two (2) candidates have been nominated but not yet confirmed, none are in clearance at the White House, and two (2) positions are being reviewed at the Justice Department. Therefore, at the present time there are six (6) positions without any candidates under review. I. Total Seats in U. S. and Territories 94 II. Total Seats Currently Vacant (Tab K) 10 A. Candidates Nominated but Not Yet Confirmed 2 (Tab L) B. Candidates in Clearance at the White House 0 (Tab M) III. Candidates in Process at the Justice Department 2 (Note: Several candidates may be undergoing clearance for the same position) (Tab N) IV. Positions for which No Candidates Are under Review 6 (Tab O) A. Potential Vacancies (Tab O) Ö Positions to Remain Vacant for An Indefinite в. 1 Period (Tab O) Attachments: Tabs A-O

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#### JUDGES / TAB A

#### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (23)

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CALIFORNIA, C. - E. A. Crary retired 6/30/75 CALIFORNIA, C. - Curtis retired 12/31/75 CALIFORNIA, N. - vice Wollenberg CALIFORNIA, N. - vice Zirpoli CANAL ZONE, N. - Guthrie Craw exp. 8/14/69 FLORIDA, S. - Mertens retired 9/14/75 FLORIDA, M. - Tjoflat, Gerald elevated 12/12/75 My Kovagench ILLINOIS, N. - Richard Austin retired 10/10/75 ILLINOIS, N. - A. Marovitz retired effective 8/10/75

INDIANA, N. - vice Beamer, deceased (Boyh in the way) KENTUCKY, W- John Gordon disability retiring LOUISIANA, W. - Putnam disability retiring. Don Walter is candidate.

LOUISIANA, E. - vice Christanberry died. LOUISIANA, E. - vice Comiskey MICHIGAN, E. - Fred Caess retiring 12/13/75 NEW YORK, S. - vice Bauman

NEW YORK, S. - vice Gurfein

NEW YORK, S. - vice Tyler

NEW YORK, E. - vice Travia NEW YORK, N. - retiring Edmond Port 2/7/76 OHIO, N. - Ben Green 1/5/75

PENNSYLVANIA, W - VICE Rosender . TEXAS, S. - vice Allan Hannay - 8/6/75

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VIRGINIA, W. - Dalton retiring A & Q WASHINGTON, W-Judge Goodwin, doct ased

#### CIRCUIT COURTS:

7th CIRCUIT vice John Paul Stevens

NOTE: A & Q - upon appointment and qualification of a successor. Exp. - expires/expired.

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### JUDGES/TAB B

CANDIDATES NOMINATED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (2)

ILLINOIS, N. - George Leighton INDIANA, N. - Phil M. McNagny, Jr. (WQ)

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# CANDIDATES IN PROCESS AT THE WHITE HOUSE (0)

JUDGES/TAB C

## NOTE: <u>ABA Categories</u>

Q - Qualified MQ - Marginally Qualified EWQ - Exceptionally Well Qualified NQ - Not Qualified

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### JUDGES/TAB E

### SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE IN CLEARANCE (9)

CALIFORNIA, C. -

CALIFORNIA, N. -

CANAL ZONE -

FLORIDA, M. -

ILLINOIS, N. -

LOUISIANA, W. -

NEW YORK, S. -

NEW YORK, N. -

7th CIRCUIT -

POTENTIAL VACANCIES (0)

#### ATTORNEYS/TAB F

TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (6)

FLORIDA, N. (William H. Stafford resigned)

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GUAM (Duane K. Craske exp. 6/15/75)

IDAHO ((S. Smith resigned)

MAINE (Mills exp. 9/11/73)

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MICHIGAN, W. (Milinowski resigned 6/74)

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NEW YORK, S. (Paul Curran resigned 10/31/75)

NOTE: Exp. - expired/expires

## ATTORNEYS/TAB G

### CANDIDATES NOMINATED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (2)

FLORIDA, N. - Nickolas Geeker IDAHO - Marion Callister

### ATTORNEYS/TAB H

# CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE (0)

### ATTORNEYS/TAB I

### CANDIDATES UNDER REVIEW AT JUSTICE (1)

NEW YORK, S. - Robert Fiske

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# 1) SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE UNDER REVIEW (1) (3)

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MAINE

MICHIGAN, W. 1

2) POTENTIAL VACANCIES () (0) 

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3) SEATS WHICH WILL REMAIN VACANT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD (2):

> MAINE MICHIGAN, W.

#### MARSHALS/TAB K

### TOTAL SEATS CURRENTLY VACANT (10)

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CANAL ZONE (McLelland exp. 5/9/69) \* DELAWARE (Michels retired) GEORGIA, M. - (Martin deceased 6/20/75)

MAINE (J.D. Winter resigned 4/25/75) NEW YORK, S. - Thomas Farendiro 11/7/75 NEW YORK, E. (Butler resigned 8/30/75)

NORTH CAROLINA, M. (P.E. Almond exp. 6/30/75) NORTH DAKOTA SOUTH DAKOTA (George Tenneson resigned 10/14/75)

TEXAS, W. (Roberts resigned 3/74)

NOTE: \*Canal Zone and Virgin Islands are eight-year terms; all other terms are four years in length.

Exp. - expired/expires

### MARSHALS/TAB L

### CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET CONFIRMED (2)

MAINE - Charles Pooler

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NORTH CAROLINA, M. - P. Ellis Almond (RE)

RE = Reappointment

### MARSHALS/TAB M

CANDIDATES IN CLEARANCE AT THE WHITE HOUSE (0)

# MARSHALS/TAB N

# CANDIDATES UNDER REVIEW AT JUSTICE (2)

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GEORGIA, M. - Jeffery Williams

N. DAKOTA - Alvn Bumann

### MARSHALS/TAB O

#### 1) SEATS FOR WHICH NO CANDIDATES ARE UNDER REVIEW (6)

CANAL ZONE

DELAWARE NEW YORK. E. NEW YORK, S.

SOUTH DAKOTA TEXAS, W.

2) POTENTIAL VACANCIES (0)

### 3) SEATS TO REMAIN VACANT FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD (1)

CANAL ZONE\* - The term of the incumbent, McLelland, expired in May 1969. He will continue to serve for an indifinite period although no reappointment will be sought at this time.

NOTE: (\*) Canal Zone and Virgin Islands are eight-year terms; all other terms are four years in length.