

**DESIGNATION AND ASSIGNMENT
OF A RETIRED ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT
TO PERFORM JUDICIAL DUTIES IN A CIRCUIT COURT**

The Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit has certified that there is a necessity for the designation and assignment of a Retired Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States to perform judicial duties in the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit during the period of March 2, 2026 through March 6, 2026. The

HONORABLE STEPHEN G. BREYER

a Retired Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States has consented to such designation and assignment.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Title 28, United States Code, section 294(a), I do hereby designate and assign the Honorable Stephen G. Breyer to perform judicial duties in the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit for the period or purpose stated and for such time as needed in advance to prepare and to issue necessary orders, or thereafter as required to complete unfinished business.

CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE UNITED STATES

Washington, D.C. 1/20/26

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Test:

Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States

By

Danny Bickel

Deputy