

# JUDICIAL NOMINATION COMMISSION

FY 2022 PERFORMANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT

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### **1 JUDICIAL NOMINATION COMMISSION**

*Mission:* The mission of the District of Columbia Judicial Nomination Commission (JNC) is to screen, select, and recommend candidates to the President of the United States for his consideration in appointing judges to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals and Superior Court of the District of Columbia. The JNC also appoints the chief judges of both courts.

*Services:* The JNC advertises judicial vacancies, solicits applications, conducts background investigations, carefully reviews investigative materials, reads briefs and other application materials, interviews applicants, solicits and considers input from the bench, bar, and public regarding applicants' fitness to serve, and carefully evaluates each candidate's application and background. The JNC also appoints the chief judges of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals and Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

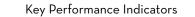
## 2 2022 OBJECTIVES

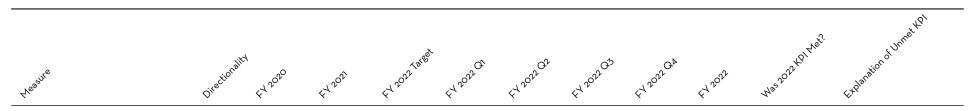
Strategic Objective	Number of Measures	Number of Operations
Increase the pool of highly qualified applicants to fill each judicial vacancy within the required 60- day period either prior to or following the occurrence of a vacancy in accordance with the agency's governing statute.	2	1

### **3 2022 OPERATIONS**

Operation Title	Operation Description	Type of Operation						
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President of the United States	carefully reviews investigative materials, reads briefs							
for consideration in appointing judges to the	and other application materials, interviews applicants, solicits and considers input from the							
District of Columbia Court of Appeals and Superior Court of the District of Columbia	bench, bar, and public regarding applicants' fitness to serve, and carefully evaluates each candidate's application and background.							

#### **4 2022 KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS AND WORKLOAD MEASURES**





Increase the pool of highly qualified applicants to fill each judicial vacancy within the required 60- day period either prior to or following the occurrence of a vacancy in accordance with the agency's governing statute.

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Percent of candidate panels for	Up is	100%	100%	100%	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	100%	Met	
judicial vacancies presented within	Better				Measure	Measure	Measure	Measure			
statutory time frames											
Percent of required background	Up is	100%	100%	100%	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	100%	Met	
investigations on judicial vacancy	Better				Measure	Measure	Measure	Measure			
applicants conducted and completed											
within statutory time frames											

#### Workload Measures

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Screen, select, and recommend candidate District of Columbia	s to the Preside	nt of the United States f	or consideration in appoir	nting judges to the Dis	trict of Columbia Cou	rt of Appeals and Sup	erior Court of the
Number of Superior Court Judicial	6	7	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	4
Vacancies							
Number of Court of Appeals Judicial	2	2	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	0
Vacancies							
Number of Superior Court Chief Judge	1	0	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	0
Designations							
Number of Court of Appeals Chief Judge Designations	0	1	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	Annual Measure	0