Supremely Qualified

The Exceptional Experience And Qualifications Of David Bauman Have Already Earned Unanimous Support From The New Jersey Senate

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DAVID BAUMAN

David Bauman has served as a Judge on the New Jersey Superior Court since July of 2008.

- In September 2009, Judge Bauman was named Presiding Judge of the Civil Division in Monmouth County.
- Judge Bauman is the first Asian American to be appointed to the Superior Court in Monmouth Vicinage.
- Judge Bauman was nominated to the Superior Court by Democratic Governor Jon Corzine on May 5, 2008.
- Bauman was unanimously approved by the Judiciary Committee, and unanimously confirmed by the full Senate.
    - *State Senator Paul Sarlo: "Very impressive resume …"*
    - *Then-State Senator John Adler: "It's just a great, happy reminder to me and to everybody in this room that America is this source of such great opportunity for people who are willing to work hard. You have worked hard. You've done great things for America already, and I'm sure you'll do great things in the Superior Court."*
- In his time serving on the Superior Court, Judge Bauman has presided in the four primary divisions of the Superior Court, including: Civil, Criminal, Family, and General Equity.
- Governor Christie re-nominated Judge Bauman for tenure on the Superior Court and he received the unanimous approval of the Senate Judiciary Committee and the Senate in May 2015.
- In October 2015, Judge Bauman received the NJ State Bar Association's 2015 Minority Judge's Award.

- Judge Bauman's current appointment runs through June 2026.

Bauman has 17 years of private-sector legal experience with the firm Bressler, Amery & Ross.

- Bauman specialized in complex civil and commercial litigation as well as criminal law.
    - He has appeared before the U.S District Court of New Jersey, New York and New Jersey State Courts and various administrative agencies.
- Bauman was a Partner at Bressler, Amery & Ross for ten years – 1998 to 2008 – and an Associate for seven years.
- In May of 2005, he was named a New Jersey "Super Lawyer" by *Law & Politics*.
- In 2007, he authored an article titled "To Report, or Not Report: Advice to the Reluctant Ready Reservist Called to Involuntary Active Duty" which was published in *New Jersey Lawyer Magazine*.
- He has been an active member of a variety of legal and professional organizations:
    - New Jersey Supreme Court Civil Practice Committee
    - Asian-Pacific American Lawyers Association of New Jersey
    - New Jersey Battered Women's Legal Advocacy Project
    - Member of the NJ State Bar Association's Franchise Law Committee and Special Committee on Military Law and Veterans Affairs

Bauman served 4 years on Active Duty with the United States Marine Corps, and an additional 12 years as a Reservist.

- On Active Duty, Bauman served as Defense Counsel, Prosecutor and Special Counsel with the Naval Investigative Service, trying over 30 jury and bench trials at special and general courts martial.
- As a Reservist, he served in a variety of capacities:
    - *1992-1994:* Staff Judge Advocate, Sixth Motor Transport Battalion
    - *1994-1996:* Company Commander of the Headquarters Company, Sixth Motor Transport Battalion
    - *1997-1999:* Appellate Government Counsel, Navy-Marine Corps Appellate Government Review Activity
- Bauman attained the rank of Major before being honorably discharged in 2004, and was awarded various commendations for his service including the Naval Commendation Medal.
- Bauman conducted seminars in search and seizure law and criminal investigation procedures for agents and military police, and served as an adjunct instructor of American History at Coastal Carolina Community College.

Bauman received his law degree from Boston College in 1986.

- Bauman graduated Magna cum laude from Columbia University in 1981, and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.