

**DESIGNATION AND ASSIGNMENT  
OF AN ACTIVE UNITED STATES JUDGE  
FOR SERVICE IN ANOTHER CIRCUIT**

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 judge from another circuit or another court to perform judicial duties in the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico during the period of November 20, 2017 to May 20, 2018. The Chief Judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit has consented to the designation and assignment of the

**HONORABLE LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN**

a Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York for such service.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Title 28, United States Code, section 292(d), I do hereby designate and assign the Honorable Laura Taylor Swain to perform judicial duties in the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico 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**

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