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Thanks, Ashley. Sorry for any confusion.

Michael Chertoff

Birth:

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Legal Residence:

New Jersey

Marital Status:

Married

Meryl Chertoff
two children

Education:

1971 - 1975

Harvard College
A.B. degree, *magna cum laude*

1975 - 1978

Harvard Law School
J.D. degree, *magna cum laude*

Bar:

1980

District of Columbia

1987

New York

1990

New Jersey

Experience:

1978

Miller, Cassidy, Larroca & Lewin
Summer Associate

1978 - 1979

Law Clerk to the Hon. Murray Gurfein
United States Court of Appeals for the
Second Circuit

1979 - 1980

Law Clerk to the Hon. William J. Brennan, Jr.
Supreme Court of the United States

1980 - 1983

Latham & Watkins
Associate

1983 - 1987

United States Attorney's Office
Southern District of New York
Assistant United States Attorney

1987 - 1994

United States Attorney's Office
District of New Jersey
First Assistant United States Attorney, 1987-1990
United States Attorney, 1990-1994

1994 - 1996

United States Senate
Special Counsel for Whitewater Committee

1994 - 2001

Latham & Watkins
Partner

2001 - present

United States Department of Justice
Assistant Attorney General

To be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit

SUPPORTER CONTACTS FOR MICHAEL CHERTOFF

1. William Barr, General Counsel, Verizon
Former Attorney General of the United States
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P. Kevin Castel

Birth:

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Legal Residence: New York

Marital Status: Married Patricia A. Castel
two children

Education: 1968 - 1972 St. John's University
B.S. degree

1972 - 1975 St. John's University School of Law
J.D. degree

Bar: 1976 New York

Experience: 1975 - 1977 Law Clerk to the Honorable Kevin Thomas Duffy
United States District Court
Southern District of New York

1977 - present Cahill Gordon & Reindel
Associate, 1977-1983
Co-Administrative Partner, 1985-1988
Partner, 1983-present

To be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York

SUPPORTER CONTACTS FOR KEVIN CASTEL

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(former Judge of the New York Court of Appeals)
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District of New York
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3. Steven C. Krane, Partner, Proskauer Rose LLP
Immediate Past President, New York State Bar Association
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4. Kevin O'Connor, United States Attorney for the District of Connecticut

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860-947-1101
5. Honorable Loretta A Preska, United States District Judge, Southern
District of New York

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6. Honorable Richard Leon, United States District Judge, District of
Columbia,
202-354-3580
7. Honorable Dennis Jacobs, United States Court of Appeals for the Second
Circuit
212-857-2150
8. Terrence O'Connor, General Counsel, Forbes Inc.
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9. Floyd Abrams, Partner, Cahill Gordon & Reindel
212-701-3621
10. Bernard W. Nussbaum, Partner, Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz
Former White House Counsel; former President, Federal Bar Council
212-403-1000
212-403-1266
11. Honorable Jose A. Cabranes, United States Court of Appeals for the Second
Circuit
203-867-8782
12. Loretta Lynch, Partner, Hogan & Hartson,
Former U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of New York
212-918-3544

Richard C. Wesley

Birth:

P6/b(6)

Legal Residence:

New York

Marital Status:

Married

Kathryn R. Wesley
two children

Education:

1967 - 1971

State University of New York at Albany
B.A. degree

1971 - 1974

Cornell University Law School
J.D. degree

Bar:

1975

New York

Experience:

1974 - 1976

Harris, Bech & Wolcox
Associate Attorney

1976 - 1977

Welch, Streb & Porter
Associate Attorney

1977 - 1983

Welch, Streb, Porter, Meyer & Wesley
Partner

1979 - 1982

New York State Assembly
Assistant Counsel to Minority

1983 - 1987

Streb, Porter, Meyer & Wesley
Partner

1983 - 1987

New York State Assembly
Member

1987 - 1994

Supreme Court for the Seventh Judicial District
Justice

1994 - 1996

Appellate Division of Supreme Court
Justice

1997 - present

New York State Court of Appeals
Associate Judge

To be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit

SUPPORTER CONTACTS FOR RICHARD WESLEY

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Honorable Howard Relin
Monroe County District Attorney
585-428-2334

G. Robert Witmer, Jr.
Former President, New York State Bar Association
585-263-1609

Stephen C. Robinson

Birth:

P6/b(6)

Legal Residence: New York

Marital Status: Married
Widower
one child

Education: 1975 - 1979
Cornell University
B.A. degree

1981 - 1984
Cornell Law School
J.D. degree

Bar: 1985
1996
New York
Connecticut

Experience: 1984 - 1986
Alexander & Green
Associate

1986 - 1987
Christy & Viener
Associate

1987 - 1991
United States Attorney's Office
Southern District of New York
Assistant United States Attorney

1991 - 1993
Kroll Associates
Managing Director & Associate General Counsel

1993 - 1995
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Principal Deputy General Counsel &
Special Assistant to the Director

1995 - 1998
Aetna Inc.
Counsel & Chief Compliance Officer

1998 - 2001
United States Attorney's Office
District of Connecticut
United States Attorney

2002 - present
Empower New Haven, Inc.
Interim Manager

To be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York

SUPPORTER CONTACTS FOR STEPHEN ROBINSON

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Dean
Yale Law School
(203) 432-1660 (office)

Samuel Der-Yeghiayan

Birth:

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Naturalized:

Legal Residence: Illinois

Marital Status: Married Becky Der-Yeghiayan
two children

Education: 1971 - 1975 Evangel University
B.A. degree

1975 - 1978 Franklin Pierce Law Center
J.D. degree

Bar: 1978 Illinois

Experience: 1978 - 2000 United States Department of Justice
Immigration and Naturalization Service
Trial Attorney, 1978-1982
Acting Appellate Trial Attorney, 1981-1982
Acting District Director, 1986-1987
District Counsel, 1982-2000

2000 - present United States Department of Justice
Executive Office for Immigration Review
Judge

To be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois

SUPPORTER CONTACTS FOR SAMUEL DER-YEGHIAYAN

- 1) The Honorable Joel M. Flaum
Chief Judge
Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals
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- 2) The Honorable Charles P. Kocoras
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U.S.D.C. Northern District of Illinois

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