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Superior Court Judge Jessica R. Mayer Appointed to Appellate Division

Superior Court Judge Jessica R. Mayer will be temporarily assigned to the Appellate Division effective Aug. 1, Chief Justice Stuart Rabner announced today.

The Appellate Division of the Superior Court is New Jersey's intermediate appellate court. The 32 Appellate Division judges hear appeals from decisions of the trial courts, the Tax Court and state administrative agencies. The Appellate Division generally decides between 6,000 and 6,500 appeals and about 8,500 motions each year.

Judge Mayer is assigned to the civil division in the Middlesex Vicinage. She was appointed to the Superior Court bench by then-Gov. James E. McGreevey in 2002 and was reappointed by Gov. Jon Corzine in 2009. She was assigned to the civil division from July 2002 until September 2003, when she transferred to the family division. Judge Mayer returned to the civil division in September 2006.

Judge Mayer worked for the law firm now known as Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP from 1989 until her appointment to the bench. She was a law clerk for Judges Robert. T. Quackenboss and Robert L. Garrenger during the 1988-1989 judicial term.

Judge Mayer graduated cum laude from Brandeis University in 1985 with a bachelor's degree in politics and earned her law degree, cum laude, from Seton Hall University School of Law in 1988.

"I am grateful for this opportunity to serve the citizens of New Jersey and I look forward to the challenge," Judge Mayer said.

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