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Superior Court Judge Arnold L. Natali Jr. Appointed to Appellate Division

Superior Court Judge Arnold L. Natali Jr. 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 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 annually.

Judge Natali had been temporarily assigned to the Appellate Division from April 16 through June 24.

A graduate of Fairfield University and Seton Hall School of Law, Judge Natali was appointed to the Superior Court by Gov. Chris Christie in 2013. He sat in the civil division and the family part in the Middlesex Vicinage before becoming the presiding judge for the general equity division. Judge Natali comes up for tenure in February 2020.

Before joining the Judiciary, Judge Natali was an associate and a partner with the McCarter & English law firm in Newark.

"I wish to thank the Chief Justice for this opportunity to continue to serve the citizens of New Jersey. I am honored and humbled by the appointment," Judge Natali said. "I also wish to thank the judges and staff of the Middlesex Vicinage and the members of the bar."

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