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Superior Court Judge Katie A. Gummer Appointed to Appellate Division

Superior Court Judge Katie A. Gummer will be temporarily assigned to the Appellate Division effective Sept. 1, Chief Justice Stuart Rabner announced today.

Judge Gummer sat in the civil division and has been presiding judge of the general equity part of the chancery division in the Monmouth Vicinage since 2018.

A graduate of Bryn Mawr College and Yale Law School, Judge Gummer was appointed to the Superior Court by Gov. Chris Christie in 2013. She received tenure earlier this year.

Before joining the Judiciary, Judge Gummer was in private practice.

She is a member of the Supreme Court Committee on Women in the Courts.

The Appellate Division of the Superior Court is New Jersey's intermediate court. The 33 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 6,600 appeals and about 9,500 motions annually.

"It has been my great privilege to serve my community as a Superior Court judge for the past seven years," Judge Gummer said. "I am honored to continue that service in the Appellate Division and am grateful to Chief Justice Rabner for this opportunity."

Ordinarily, temporary assignments to the Appellate Division commence in the spring. Because of the ongoing health emergency, Judge Gummer's assignment will not start until later in the year.