



THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON

OCT 24 2018

Memorandum

To: Senior Advisor to the Secretary  
Exercising the Authority of the Assistant Secretary – Policy Management  
and Budget

From: Secretary 

Subject: Ratification

I hereby ratify the prior appointment of the individuals listed below to the position of Administrative Law Judge in the Office of Hearings and Appeals:

Robert S. Chester  
Larry M. Donovan  
James H. Heffernan  
Christopher D. Helms  
Richard Hines  
Andrew S. Pearlstein  
Harvey C. Sweitzer  
James Yellowtail

I hereby ratify the prior appointment of the individuals listed below to the position of Administrative Judge in the Office of Hearings and Appeals:

Thomas Alan Blaser  
Robert E. Hall  
K. Jack Haugrud  
James K. Jackson  
Christina Kalavritinos  
Silvia Riechel Idziorek  
James F. Roberts  
Amy B. Sosin

I hereby ratify the prior appointment of the individuals listed below to the position of Indian Probate Judge in the Office of Hearings and Appeals:

Mildred Leah Harjo-Ware  
Albert C. Jones  
John Rogers Payne  
Thomas Kenneth Pfister  
Michael Stancampiano  
Janet Yazzie

I hereby ratify the prior appointments of Mary P. Thorstenson to the positions of Indian Probate Judge and Administrative Judge in the Office of Hearings and Appeals. I also approve her voluntary request to be assigned to an Indian Probate Judge position.

I today approve these appointments as my own under the Constitution.

All of these appointments are in the excepted service and are effective today.

cc: OHA Director  
OHA Deputy Director  
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Mary P. Thorstenson