

APPENDIX TWO: VARIATIONS ON JUDICIAL SELECTION METHODS

TABLE 4: WORLD SELECTION METHODS		
Country	Selection Method	References
Afghanistan	The President appoints judges after nomination by the Supreme Court.	Katherine McCullough, <i>Out With The Old And In With The New: The Long Struggle For Judicial Reform In Afghanistan</i> , 19 GEO. J. LEGAL ETHICS 821, 825 (2006).
Albania	The members of the High Court are appointed by the President of the Republic with the consent of the Assembly. The other judges are appointed by the President after recommendation by the High Council of Justice.	ALBANIA CONST. art. 136 <i>available at</i> http://www.ipls.org/services/kuisht/cp9.html .
Algeria	The Supreme Judicial Council appoints magistrates.	ALGERIA CONST. art. 155 <i>available at</i> http://www.pogar.org/publications/judiciary/nbrown/algeria.html .
Andorra	Judges are appointed by the High Judicial Council via a public competitive examination.	Group of States Against Corruption, Evaluation Report on Andorra 8 (2006), http://www.coe.int/t/dg1/greco/evaluations/round2/GrecoEval1-2(2006)1_Andorra_EN.pdf .
Angola	The High Council appoints, places, transfers and promotes judges.	ANGOLA CONST. art. 132 <i>available at</i> http://www.embangola.at/judiciary.htm .

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Argentina	The president appoints federal judges with confirmation of two-thirds of the Senate.	Daniel Brinks, <i>Judicial Reform And Independence In Brazil And Argentina: The Beginning Of A New Millennium?</i> , 40 TEX. INT'L L.J. 595, 606 (2005).
Armenia	The President of Armenia appoints all judges after recommendation by the Minister of Justice and the Council of Justice.	ARMENIA CONST. art. 95(1), 55(11) <i>available at</i> www.abanet.org/ceeli/publications/jri/jri_armenia_2005_eng.pdf .
Australia	The Governor-General appoints federal judges. In the states, the executive branch also appoints judges.	John M. Williams, <i>Judicial Independence in Australia, in JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE IN THE AGE OF DEMOCRACY: CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES FROM AROUND THE WORLD</i> 173, 175 (Peter H. Russell & David M. O'Brien eds., 2001).
Azerbaijan	Every citizen that wants a judicial post applies to the Judicial Legal Council. The Judicial Legal Council then examines the candidate's credentials and conducts an interview. The Judicial Legal Council then makes a recommendation to the President, who then makes the appointment.	Council of Europe, Evaluation of Azerbaijan Judicial System 9 (2002), http://www.coe.int/t/dg1/legalcooperation/cepej/evaluation/2002Azerbaijan.pdf .
The Bahamas	Judges are appointed by the Governor-General acting on the advice of the Judicial and Legal Services Commission.	The Permanent Mission of the Commonwealth of the Bahamas to the United Nations, Bahamas Government Information, http://www.un.int/bahamas/Bahamas_Government_Info.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Bahrain	Judges of the High courts are nominated by the Ministry of Justice and appointed by the Emir. Judges of the middle and lower courts are nominated by the Ministry of Justice and appointed by the prime minister.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Bahrain, http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=2 (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Bangladesh	The President appoints judges. The President has the power to promote and discipline which is exercised in consultation with the Supreme Court.	BANGLADESH CONST. art. 95(1), 115, 116.

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Country	Selection Method	References
Barbados	Lower court judges are appointed by the Governor General with the Board of the Judicial and Legal Services Commission.	Justice Studies Center of the Americas, Report on Judicial Systems in the Americas 73 (2004-2005), http://www.cejamericas.org/report/pdfing/4-BARBADOS_ING.pdf .
Belarus	The president appoints half of the Constitutional Court while the other six are appointed by the Council of the Republic. The president also appoints the judges of the Supreme Court and Supreme Economic Court, along with all military and district judges.	Freedom House, Country Report: Belarus, 2005 http://www.freedomhouse.org/template.cfm?page=47&nit=358&year=2005&display=law http://encarta.msn.com/encyclopedia_761553191_7/Belarus.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Belgium	The King appoints Justices of the Peace, judges of superior courts, judges of the administrative courts, and judges of the Court of Cassation.	BELGIUM CONST. art. 151(1), ¶4.
Belize	The Governor-General appoints judges of the Supreme Court and Courts of Appeal with the approval of the Prime Minister after consultation with the Leader of the Opposition.	Attorney General's Ministry, Our View of the Judiciary System in Belize, http://www.belizelaw.org/judiciary.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Benin	Most judges are trained at the National School of Administration. After training, judges are appointed by the President after recommendation by the Higher Council of Judges.	Michel Tchanou, Judicial Reform: Indispensable, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/amb-bia/nr337/e01.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Bermuda	The Chief Justice is appointed by the Governor after consulting the Premier and the Opposition Leader. The other Judges of the Supreme Court are appointed by the Governor after consultation with the Chief Justice. The judges of the Court of Appeal are appointed by the Governor.	BERMUDA CONST. art. 73, 77.
Bhutan	The justices of the Supreme Court and High Court are appointed by the King upon the recommendation of the National Judicial Commission.	Royal Court of Justice, Judiciary of Bhutan, http://www.judiciary.gov.bt/html/judiciary/justice.php (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).

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Bosnia and Herzegovina	In the Federation, the Federal Commission for the Election and Appointment of Judges and ten cantonal commissions recommend candidates to those officials responsible for appointing judges. In the Republika Srpska the High Judicial Council proposes candidates for all judicial vacancies to the Republika Srpska National Assembly. The Brcko Judicial Commission directly appoints all Brcko judges.	American Bar Association, Central and East European Law Initiative, Judicial Reform Index for Bosnia and Herzegovina 3 (2001), <i>available at</i> http://unpan1.un.org/intradoc/groups/public/documents/UNTC/UNPAN017558.pdf .
Botswana	The Chief Justice and the President of the Court of Appeals are appointed by the President. The other judges of the High Court and Court of Appeals are appointed by the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Judicial Service Commission. The President appoints lower court judges in accordance with the advice of the Judicial Service Commission.	BOTSWANA CONST. art. 96, 100, 104.
Brazil	Judges are appointed to the constitutional court by the president with the approval of a simple majority of the Senate. Lower court judges have to pass both an exam and personal interview before being admitted to the judiciary. These judges are appointed by the president from a list of candidates submitted by either the constitutional court itself or by majority vote of the national bar association and national prosecutors' association.	BRAZIL CONST. art. 101, 104, 111-A.
Bulgaria	The Supreme Judicial Council appoints all judges in Bulgaria. The twenty five members of the Supreme Judicial Council are elected by the National Assembly, the bodies of the judicial branch, the Chairmen of the Supreme Courts of Cassation, and the Chief Prosecutor.	Alex Iorio & Galina Mikhlin, Bulgaria: Legal and Judicial Reform, Judicial Assessment, 11 (1999), <i>available at</i> http://unpan1.un.org/intradoc/groups/public/documents/UNTC/UNPAN017020.pdf .

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Burma	Judges are appointed by the President after his nomination is approved by both Houses of Parliament as the Chief Justice of the Union.	Myint Zan, <i>Judicial Independence in Burma: No March Backwards Towards the Past</i> , 1 ASIAN-PAC. L. & POL'Y J., 30 available at http://www.hawaii.edu/aplpj/pdfs/05-zan.pdf .
Burundi	The executive branch appoints judges.	Neil J. Kritz, <i>The Problem of Impunity and Judicial Reform in Burundi</i> , The United States Institute of Peace, available at http://129.194.252.80/catfiles/0817.pdf .
Cambodia	The government appoints judges after recommendation by the judges of the higher courts. The higher court judges sit on committees that nominate lower court judges and request the government to appoint these judges. The chief justice makes the recommendations for appointments to higher courts.	Seminar on Cambodian Judiciary: Independence of the Judiciary, Lecture by Justice H. Suresh, available at http://www.ahrchk.net/pub/mainfile.php/cambodia_judiciary/110/ .
Cameroon	Judges are appointed by the President.	Valentin Siméon Zinga, Cameroon: Judicial Power – Just a Statement, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anb-bia/nr337/e04.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Canada	The Prime Minister makes appointments to the Supreme Court, the Federal Court, and the Tax Court. Provincial governments appoint all judges of the provincial courts.	F.L. Morton, <i>Judicial Appointments in Post-Charter Canada: A System in Transition</i> , in APPOINTING JUDGES IN AN AGE OF JUDICIAL POWER 56, 57 (Kate Malleson & Peter H. Russel, eds., 2006).
Cape Verde	The Supreme Court has five members, one appointed by the president, one appointed by the National Assembly, and three appointed by the Supreme Council of Magistrates. The Ministry of Justice and Labor appoints local judges.	Encyclopedia of the Nations, Cape Verde: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Africa/Cape-Verde-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).

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Cayman Islands	Judges of the Grand Court and the Court of Appeal are appointed with instructions from the secretary of state of the United Kingdom on behalf of the Queen. The governor, on the advice of the secretary of state, appoints one of the judges to be the chief justice. The governor appoints magistrates on the advice of the chief justice.	Cayman Islands Government, The Judicial Branch, http://www.gov.ky/portal/page?_pageid=1142,1481290&_dad=portal&_schema=PORTAL (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Central African Republic	Judges are appointed by the president	Index of Economic Freedom, Central African Republic, http://www.heritage.org/research/features/index/country.cfm?id=CentralAfricanRepublic (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Chad	Magistrates are appointed by the president.	Index of Economic Freedom, Chad, http://www.heritage.org/research/features/index/country.cfm?id=Chad (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Chile	Corte Suprema: judges are appointed by the president and approved by the Senate from lists of candidates provided by the court; the president of the Supreme Court is elected by the 20-member court.	CIA World Factbook, Chile, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/print/ci.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
China	The People's Congress at the same jurisdiction of the court appoints the judges to that court.	Greg R. Avino, <i>China's Judiciary: An Instrument of Democratic Change?</i> , 22 PENN. ST. INT'L L. REV. 369, 379.
Comoros	The Constitutional Court includes a member appointed by the president of the Union, a member appointed by each of the two vice presidents, a member appointed by each of the three island government presidents, and a member appointed by the president of the National Assembly. The head of state appoints magistrates.	United States Department of State, 2006 Country Report on Human Rights Practices, Comoros, http://www.state.gov/g/drl/rls/hrrpt/2006/78727.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	The President appoints magistrates.	International Commission of Jurists, Democratic Republic of the Congo, 119 http://www.icj.org/IMG/pdf/congo.pdf .

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Congo, Republic of the	The President appoints the members of the Supreme Court and the magistrates on the proposal of the National Council of the Magistrature.	REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO CONST. art. 141, <i>available at</i> http://www.chr.up.ac.za/hr_docs/constitutions/docs/CongoC%20(english%20summary)(rev).doc .
Cook Islands	The Chief Justice of the High Court is appointed by the Queen, acting on the advice of the Executive Council tendered by the Prime Minister. Other Judges are appointed by the Queen's Representative, acting on the advice of the Executive Council and the Chief Justice of the High Court and the Minister of Justice.	Government of the Cook Islands, Judiciary, http://www.ck.govt.htm#jud (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Costa Rica	Justices of lower courts are appointed by the Supreme Court. Justices of the peace are appointed by the minister of government acting for the president.	CIA World Factbook, Costa Rica, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/print/cs.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007); Encyclopedia of the Nations, Costa Rica, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Americas/Costa-Rica-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Cote d'Ivoire	Judges are appointed by the Executive: either directly from the legal profession or from those who have completed the appropriate training and passed the necessary examinations.	Alphonse Quénum, Justice - Not Always Impartial and Certainly Vulnerable, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anb-bia/nr337/e08.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Croatia	Judges for both the Supreme Court and the Constitutional Court are appointed by the Judicial Council of the Republic. The State Judicial Council appoints judges. It consists of eleven members elected from among judges, attorneys, and university professors.	CIA World Factbook, Croatia, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/print/hr.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007); Croatia Homepage, Judicial Power, http://www.hr/croatia/state/judicial (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Cuba	The Ministry of Justice screens candidates and then forwards their recommendation to the appropriate legislative body for appointment: Municipal Assemblies for municipal judges; Provincial Assemblies for provincial courts; and the National Assembly for the Supreme Court.	Gerard J. Clark, <i>The Legal Profession in Cuba</i> , 23 SUFFOLK TRANSNAT'L L. REV. 413, 424 (2000).

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Cyprus	Supreme Court Judges are appointed by the President. Other judges are appointed by the Supreme Council of Judicature which is composed of the members of the Supreme Court.	CyprusNet.Com, Cyprus Judiciary System http://www.cyprusnet.com/content.php?article_id=2804&subject=standalone (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Czech Republic	The President appoints judges following an apprenticeship, examination, and evaluation by the court president. In practice, Minister of Justice nominates each judicial candidate, based on a recommendation from the president of the court on which the candidate will be assigned.	Open Society Institute, Judicial Independence in the Czech Republic 135 (2001), <i>available at</i> http://www.eumap.org/reports/2001/judicial/sections/czech/judicial_czech.pdf .
Denmark	The Supreme Court is appointed by the Crown with the government's recommendation.	Jurist: Legal Intelligence, Denmark, http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/world/denmark.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Dominican Republic	Justices of the Supreme Court are appointed by the National Council of the Magistracy. Other judges are appointed by the Supreme Court.	International Commission of Jurists, Dominican Republic – Attacks of Justice 2000, http://www.icj.org/news.php3?id_article=2565&lang=en (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
East Timor	The President of the Supreme Court is appointed by the President. The Superior Council for the Judiciary and appoints all other judges.	EAST TIMOR CONST. s. 124, 125, <i>available at</i> http://www.etan.org/etanpdf/pdf2/constfnen.pdf .
Egypt	The president appoints all judges based on nominations by the Supreme Judicial Council.	Encyclopedia of the Nations, Egypt, Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Africa/Egypt-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
El Salvador	The Supreme Court selects justices of the peace, trial judges, and appellate judges from a list of nominees proposed by the National Judicial Council.	U.S. Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, Country Reports on Human Rights Practices, El Salvador, Mar. 8, 2006 http://www.state.gov/g/drl/rls/hrrpt/2005/61727.htm (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).

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Eritrea	“The President shall have the following powers and duties: . . . appoint justices of the Supreme Court upon proposal of the Judicial Service Commission and approval of the National Assembly; appoint judges of the lower courts upon proposal of the Judicial Service Commission.”	ERITREA CONST. art. 42 <i>available at</i> www.trybunal.gov.pl/constit/constitu/other/eritrea/eritree.htm .
Estonia	The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court is nominated by the president and confirmed by the Parliament. The Chief Justice, in turn, nominates the Supreme Court judges who are then confirmed by Parliament. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court also nominates lower court judges who are then appointed by the president.	Encyclopedia of the Nations, Estonia: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Europe/Estonia-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Ethiopia	Judges who serve in the Federal Court system are appointed by the Federal Parliament. Those in the Regional State Courts are appointed by their respective Regional Administrative Councils.	Lammii Guddaa, Ethiopia: A Judiciary - without justice, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anbia/nr337/e09.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
European Union	For the European Court of Justice (ECJ), each member state is responsible for selecting a judge, who is then appointed by “common accord.” In addition to the judges, there are nine advocates general, five who are selected by the five largest member states while the remainder is appointed by rotating states.	Martin Shapiro, <i>The European Court of Justice, in JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE IN THE AGE OF DEMOCRACY: CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES FROM AROUND THE WORLD</i> 273, 281 (Peter H. Russell & David M. O’Brien eds., 2001).
Fiji	The Chief Justice is appointed by the President on the advice of the Prime Minister, who is required to consult with the Leader of the Opposition. The judges of the Supreme Court, the President of the Court of Appeal, the Justices of Appeal are appointed by the President, after nomination by the Judicial Service Commission. The Judicial Service Commission appoints Magistrates and any other judicial offices that may be established by Parliament.	FII CONST. s. 131-133, <i>available at</i> http://www.servat.unibe.ch/law/icl/fj00000_.html .

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Finland	Judges are appointed by the President of the Republic. The courts of first instance also have some locally elected lay judges.	The Finland Ministry of Justice, The Judicial System of Finland, http://www.om.fi/Etusivu/Ministerio/Oikeuslaitosite?lang=en (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
France	Upon graduating from the National School for the Judiciary, <i>Ecole Nationale de la Magistrature</i> (ENM) graduates take an examination. Those with the highest ranking scores pick first from a list of vacancies provided by the Ministry of Justice.	Doris Marie Provine & Antoine Garapon, <i>The Selection of Judges in France: Searching for a New Legitimacy</i> , in APPOINTING JUDGES IN AN AGE OF JUDICIAL POWER 176, 183 (Kate Malleson & Peter H. Russel, eds., 2006).
Gabon	The President appoints judges through the Ministry of Justice.	U.S. Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, Country Reports on Human Rights Practices, Gabon, Feb. 28, 2005 http://www.state.gov/g/drl/rls/hrrpt/2004/41604.htm (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Georgia	The president of Georgia, based on the recommendation of the High Council of Justice, appoints all judges. Supreme Court judges must also be confirmed by Parliament.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Georgia, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/georgia/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Germany	Judges in Germany are professional judges who follow an intensive three year course of studies followed by two years of training. Each of the two phases is followed by written and oral examinations. Ministries of Justice and nominating commissions play a large role in recruiting those judges that pass both phases and their examinations.	Donald P. Kommers, <i>Autonomy versus Accountability: The German Judiciary</i> , in JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE IN THE AGE OF DEMOCRACY: CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES FROM AROUND THE WORLD 131, 143 (Peter H. Russell & David M. O'Brien eds., 2001).

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Ghana	The justices of the Supreme Court are appointed by the President acting in consultation with the Council of State and with the approval of Parliament. Justices of the Court of Appeal and of the High Court and Chairmen of Regional Tribunals are appointed by the President acting on the advice of the judicial Council.	GHANA CONST. art. 144 <i>available at</i> http://www.ghanareview.com/Gconst.html .
Greece	All judges are appointed by the president after consultation with a judicial council.	CIA World Fact Book, Greece, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/print/gr.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Grenada	The governor-general appoints the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court on the advice of the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition. The governor-general appoints the other justices with the advice of a judicial commission.	Department of Economic and Social Affairs, United Nations, Grenada: Public Administration Country Profile, July 2006 <i>available at</i> http://unpan1.un.org/intradoc/groups/public/documents/UN/UNPAN023694.pdf .
Guatemala	Judges of the Supreme Court and Courts of Appeals are elected by the National Congress from lists prepared by active magistrates, the Bar Association and law school deans. Other judges are appointed by the Supreme Court.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Guatemala: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Americas/Guatemala-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Honduras	The justices of the Supreme Court are elected by the National Assembly. The Supreme Court appoints the judges of the courts of appeal and the courts of first instance, who appoint local justices of the peace.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Honduras: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Americas/Honduras-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Hong Kong	"Judges of the courts of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region shall be appointed by the Chief Executive on the recommendation of an independent commission composed of local judges, persons from the legal profession and eminent persons from other sectors."	The Basic Law of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China, art. 88, <i>available at</i> http://www.info.gov.hk/basic_law/flash.html .
Hungary	In Hungary judges are appointed by the President. The President appoints a judge after recommendation of the president of the county court and proposal by the National Council of Justice.	The Supreme Court of Hungary, The Hungarian Judicial System, http://www.lb.hu/english/index.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).

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Iceland	Supreme Court justices and district court judges are appointed for life by the Minister of Justice.	CIA World Factbook, Iceland, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/geos/ic.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
India	The Supreme Court of India is appointed by the President of India. The justices of the high courts are appointed by the President after consultation with the Chief Justice and the Governor of the State. For pusine judges, the President appoints judges after consultation with the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor of the State, and the Chief Justice of the High Court.	Supreme Court of India, Law, Courts and the Constitution, http://supremecourtfindia.nic.in/new_s/constitution.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007); Indian Courts, Indian Judiciary, http://indiancourts.nic.in/ (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Iran	The head of the judiciary is appointed by the Supreme Leader. The head of the judiciary appoints all other members of the Supreme Court, and the chief judges in all of Iran's provinces. The head of the judiciary is authorized to appoint all other judges.	International Commission of Jurists, <i>Iran: Attacks on Justice</i> 197, available at http://www.icj.org/IMG/pdf/iran.pdf .
Ireland	Judges are appointed by the president on the advice of the government.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Ireland: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Europe/Ireland-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Israel	Judges are appointed by the Judicial Selection Committee.	Eli M. Salzberger, <i>Judicial Appointments and Promotions in Israel: Constitution, Law and Politics</i> , in APPOINTING JUDGES, <i>supra</i> note 278, at 242.
Italy	After competitive examination, judges are appointed for training. Following successful training and another examination, the judicial council posts vacant positions, with those candidates scoring the highest receiving their preference in position.	Consiglio Superiore della Magistratura, The Italian Judicial System, 11-14 http://www.csm.it/documenti%20pdf/sistema%20giudiziario%20italiano/inglese.pdf .

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Jamaica	The Chief Justice and the President of the Court of Appeal are appointed by the Governor General on the recommendation of the Prime Minister after consultation with the Leader of Opposition. Judges of the Supreme Court and Judges of the Court of Appeal are appointed by the Governor General on the recommendation of the Judicial Services Commission. Resident Magistrates are appointed by the Governor General and the Judicial Services Commission.	Jamaican Ministry of Justice, The Courts of Jamaica, http://www.moj.gov.jm/courts (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Japan	Japan has a career judiciary that begins with entry to the Legal Training Institute following a competitive examination. Following graduation, judges apply to the Supreme Court for appointment. Formally, the cabinet makes appointments to the judiciary following recommendation by the Supreme Court.	John O. Haley, <i>The Japanese Judiciary: Maintaining Integrity, Autonomy, and Public Trust</i> , WASH. U. SCH. OF LAW, 2005, 5, http://www.wulaw.wustl.edu/uploaded-Files/Faculty/Haley/TheJapaneseJudiciary_SSRN.pdf .
Kazakhstan	Supreme Court Justices are recommended by the High Judicial Council to the President, who proposes the candidate to the Senate, who then elects the judges. Regional court judges are appointed by the President, after recommendation by the High Judicial Council. The President appoints all lower court judges, based on proposals by the Minister of Justice and the Justice Qualification Collegium.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Kazakhstan, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/kazakhstan/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Kenya	Judges are appointed by the Head of State, acting on the advice of the Judicial Service Commission.	Isaac Nyangeri, Kenya: The Judiciary – Room for Improvement, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anb-bia/nr337/e12.html (last visited Apr. 11, 2007).
Kiribati	Judges at all levels are appointed by the president.	CIA World Factbook, Kiribati, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/print/kr.html .
Korea, North	Justices of the highest court are appointed by the Supreme People's Assembly's standing committee.	United States Department of State, Background Note: North Korea, http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/2792.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).

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Korea, South	The Chief Justice and the Justices of the Supreme Court are appointed by the President of the Republic and require confirmation by the National Assembly. Other judges are appointed by the Chief Justice with the consent of the Council of Supreme Court Justices.	Supreme Court of Korea, Judges, http://www.scourt.go.kr/scourt_en/organization/judges/index.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Kosovo	The Kosovo Judicial and Prosecutorial Council (KJPC) recommends judges and prosecutors for appointment to the Special Representative of the UN Secretary General (SRSG). The SRSG then appoints judges from lists of candidates recommended by the KJPC and endorsed by the General Assembly.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Kosovo, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/kosovo/legalinfo.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Kuwait	The Emir appoints judges in the regular courts after recommendation of the Justice Ministry.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Kuwait: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Asia-and-Oceania/Kuwait-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Kyrgyzstan	Judges of the Supreme Court and the Constitutional Court are appointed by the legislature on the recommendation of the president. Lower court judges are appointed by the president on the recommendation of the National Council on Legal Affairs.	CIA World Factbook, Kyrgyzstan, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/geos/kg.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Laos	Judges at all levels are appointed by the National Assembly Standing Committee.	LAOS CONST. art. 67 <i>available at</i> http://www.laoembassy.com/news/constitution/body.htm
Latvia	Candidates for the Supreme Court are nominated by the President of the Supreme Court after recommendation by the Judicial Qualification Board, and appointed by Parliament. Lower court judges are nominated by the Minister of Justice and appointed by the Parliament for unlimited terms.	Open Society Institute, Monitoring the EU Accession Process: Judicial Independence in Latvia, 252-53 (2001) <i>available at</i> http://www.eumap.org/reports/2001/judicial/sections/latvia/judicial_latvia.pdf

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Lebanon	The Supreme Judicial Council appoints judges.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Lebanon, http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=9 (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Libya	The General People's Congress elects the Supreme Court President and other members of the Supreme Court. The Supreme Council for Judicial Authority handles matters of appointment, transfer and discipline.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Libya, http://www.undp-pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=10 (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Liechtenstein	Parliament nominates judges and the Prince appoints the judges.	United States Department of State, Background Note: Liechtenstein, March 2007, http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/9403.htm (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Lithuania	The President appoints all judges.	CIA World Factbook, Lithuania, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/geos/lh.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Luxembourg	Judges for all courts are appointed for life by the monarch.	CIA World Factbook, Luxembourg, https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/geos/lu.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Macedonia	The General Assembly appoints judges after nomination by the Republic Judicial Council (RJC).	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Macedonia, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/macedonia/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Madagascar	Presidents of the courts are appointed by the Council of Ministers from a list of candidates compiled by the Justice Minister, in consultation with the High Council of the Judiciary. Other judges are appointed by decree as proposed by the Justice Minister.	Mathieu Célien Ramasiarisolo, Madagascar: The Judiciary – An Absolute Necessity, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anbia/nr337/e13.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).

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Malawi	The Chief Justice is appointed by the President and confirmed by the General Assembly. The President also appoints other judges after recommendation by the Judicial Service Commission.	Patrick Mawaya, Malawi: The Judiciary – On a Test Run, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anb-bia/nr337/e14.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Malaysia	Judges are appointed by the Head of State on the advice of the Prime Minister after consulting the Conference of Rulers.	The Malaysian Court Website, The Malaysian Judiciary, http://www.kehakiman.gov.my/courts/maljudiciary.shtml (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Maldives	All the judges of the High Court, the highest court in the country, and the lower courts are appointed and can be dismissed by the President.	Asian Centre for Human Rights, Maldives: Judiciary Under the President's Thumb, http://www.achrweb.org/briefingpapers/Maldives-BP-0107.htm#_Toc160430320 (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Mali	The Ministry of Justice appoints judges.	United States Department of State, Background Note: Mali, February 2007, http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/2828.htm (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Malta	Judges and magistrates are appointed by the president on the advice of the prime minister.	MALTA CONST. art. 96, 100, available at http://www.legal-malta.com/law/constitution-8.htm .
Mauritania	Judges are appointed by the Minister of Justice and the Higher Council of Judges. Both bodies are directly appointed by the executive branch.	Aliou Bâ & Sidi Ould Sbaï, Mauritania: Justice – From One Reform to Another, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anb-bia/nr337/e16.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Mexico	Lower court judges are appointed by the Federal Judicial Council (CFJ). The CFJ is composed of the country's chief justice, one judge, two district magistrates, two members chosen by the Senate, and one member appointed by the president.	Jodi Finkel, <i>Judicial Reform as Insurance Policy: Mexico in the 1990s</i> , 47 <i>LATIN AMERICAN POL. & SOC'Y</i> , 87, 91-92 (2005).

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Micronesia, Federated States of	Justices are appointed by the president, with the advice and consent of the legislature.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Micronesia, Federated States of: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Asia-and-Oceania/Micronesia-Federated-States-of-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Moldova	The judges of the Supreme Court are appointed by the Parliament after being nominated by the Superior Council of Magistracy. Lower court judges are appointed by the President after nomination by the Superior Council of Magistracy.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Moldova, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/moldova/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Monaco	The Supreme Court is composed of ten members, five full members and five deputy members. All are appointed by the Prince after nomination by the National Council, the Council of State, the Crown Council, the court of appeal and the court of first instance. These five institutions all nominate a full member. Only the National Council and the Council of State also put forward a deputy.	Official Website of Monaco, The Supreme Court, http://www.gouv.mc/devwww/wwwnew.nsf/1909\$efcb8af3d5f55567c1256fa3004fcc3fgb?OpenDocument&5Gb (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Mongolia	The President of the Mongolia appoints judges after proposal of the Judicial General Council.	Mongolian State Law on the Courts, art. 6 cl. 2 <i>available at</i> http://www.asuult.net/nemesis/mongolian_judiciary/ .
Montenegro	After recommendation by the Judicial Council, the National Assembly appoints judges to the courts.	Judicial Reform Index for Montenegro, American Bar Association Central and East European Law Initiative, 2002, <i>available at</i> http://unpan1.un.org/intradoc/groups/public/documents/UNTC/UNPAN017566.pdf .
Mozambique	Judges are appointed by the President of the Republic after consultation with the Supreme Council of the Judiciary. The Assembly of the Republic appoints the other judges to the Supreme Court.	MOZAMBIQUE CONST. art. 170, <i>available at</i> http://confinder.richmond.edu/admin/docs/moz.pdf .
Namibia	The President appoints all Judges to the Supreme Court and the High Court on the recommendation of the Judicial Service Commission.	NAMIBIA CONST. art. 82 <i>available at</i> http://www.orusovo.com/namicon/ .

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Nepal	The King appoints all judges on the recommendation of the Judicial Council.	United States Department of State, Background Note: Nepal, October 2006, http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/5283.htm (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Netherlands	All judicial appointments are made by the Crown.	United States Department of State, Background Note: The Netherlands, January 2007, http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/3204.htm (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
New Zealand	The Governor-General makes appointments to the Supreme Court, Court of Appeal and High Court on the advice of the Attorney-General. The Governor-General appoints judges to district courts on the advice of the Attorney-General, who receives recommendations from the Chief District Court Judge and the Secretary for Justice.	Courts of New Zealand, The Judges: Judicial Appointments, http://www.courtsofnz.govt.nz/about/judges/appointments.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Nigeria	The National Judicial Council advises the President on appointments to the Supreme Court, the Court of Appeal, and the Federal High Court. State court judges are also appointed by the state governors after recommendation by the National Judicial Council.	The Nigeria Judiciary, Legal Institutions: National Judicial Council, http://www.nigeriajudiciary.org/njc.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Palestine	The High Judicial Council appoints, supervises, transfers, and dismisses judges.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Palestine, http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=14 (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Panama	The nine Supreme Court justices are appointed by the president subject to the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly. Supreme Court justices appoint the judges of the superior courts who then appoint the circuit court judges in their respective jurisdictions.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Panama: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Americas/Panama-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Papua New Guinea	The Chief Justice is appointed by the Head of State acting on the advice of the National Executive Council. Other Judges are appointed by the Judicial and Legal Services Commission.	PAPUA NEW GUINEA CONST. art. 169-70.

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Paraguay	The Supreme Court appoints lower court judges and magistrates after recommendation by the magistrate's council.	The Jurist, Paraguay: Courts & Judgments, http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/world/paraguay.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Peru	The Senate confirms justices that have been nominated by the President based on recommendations by the National Justice Council.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Peru: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Americas/Peru-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Philippines	The President appoints judges of the Supreme Court and lower courts from a list of candidates submitted by the Philippine Judicial and Bar Council.	The Jurist, Philippines: Courts & Judgments, http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/world/philippines.htm (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Poland	Most justices enter the profession through an apprenticeship. Other judges are appointed by the President after nomination by the National Council of the Judiciary.	Open Society Institute, Monitoring the EU Accession Process, Judicial Capacity in Poland, 158 (2002) <i>available at</i> http://www.eumap.org/reports/2002/judicial/international/sections/poland/2002_j_poland.pdf .
Portugal	Judges are recruited through competitive exams followed by a course of initial training at the Centre for Judicial Studies (Centro de Estudos Judiciarios). Following training, The Superior Council of the Judiciary has the power to appoint, assign, transfer and promote the judges.	International Commission of Jurists, Portugal: Attacks on Justice, Aug. 27, 2002, http://www.icj.org/news.php?id_article=2666&lang=en (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Qatar	The High Judicial Council recommends judicial candidates to the Emir who then appoints the judge.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Qatar, http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=15 (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Romania	Judges are appointed by the president on the recommendation of the Superior Council of Magistrates.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Romania, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/romania/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).

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Russia	Judges of the Constitutional Court, Supreme Court and High Arbitrazh Court are all appointed by the Council of the Federation after nomination by the president.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Russia, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/russia/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Rwanda	The Higher Judiciary Council appoints judges.	Charles Ntampaka, Rwanda: Justice – Seeking Its Path, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anbia/nr337/e18.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Saudi Arabia	The Supreme Judicial Council appoints, promotes, and transfers judges.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Saudi Arabia, http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=16 (last visited Apr. 11, 2007).
Senegal	Judges are appointed after recommendation by the Minister of Justice.	Encyclopedia of Nations, Senegal: Judicial System, http://www.nationsencyclopedia.com/Africa/Senegal-JUDICIAL-SYSTEM.html (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Serbia	The High Judicial Council nominates all judges who are then confirmed and formally appointed by the General Assembly. Federal Constitutional Court and Federal Court judges are nominated by the President appointed by the Federal Assembly.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Serbia, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/serbia/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Sierra Leone	The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court is appointed by the President on the recommendation of the Judicial and Legal Service Commission and after approval of Parliament. The other Supreme Court justices are appointed by the President after recommendation by the Judicial and Legal Service Commission. The judges of lower courts are appointed by the Chief Justice after consultation with the Judicial and Legal Service Commission.	SIERRA LEONE CONST. art. 135(1), 135(2), 142(1).

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Singapore	Judges are appointed by the President, acting on the advice of the Prime Minister.	The Supreme Court of Singapore, Judges, Judicial Commissioners, and Registrars, http://app.supremecourt.gov.sg/default.aspx?pgID=40 (last visited Apr. 10, 2007).
Slovenia	The Judicial Council appoints judges after consulting with court personnel councils and the Ministry of Justice.	Open Society Institute, <i>Monitoring the EU Accession Process, Judicial Capacity in Slovenia</i> 212-213, (2002), available at http://www.eumap.org/reports/2002/judicial/international/sections/slovenia/2002_j_slovenia.pdf .
Somaliland	The President appoints the justices of the Supreme Court after consultation with the Judicial Commission. The Chief Justice also has to be approved by the Parliament. Lower court judges are appointed by the Judicial Commission.	SOMALILAND CONST. art. 105, 107, 108.
South Africa	The President appoints justices on the recommendation of the Judicial Service Commission.	Francois Du Bois, <i>Judicial Selection in Post-Apartheid South Africa</i> , in <i>APPOINTING JUDGES IN AN AGE OF JUDICIAL POWER</i> 280, 281 (Kate Malleson & Peter H. Russel, eds., 2006).
Spain	Judges are appointed by the Consejo General del Poder Judicial (Judicial Council).	The World Bank, <i>Governing the Justice System: Spain's Judicial Council</i> , June 2001, available at http://www1.worldbank.org/prem/PREMNotes/premnote54.pdf .
Sudan	The President appoints all judges, including those of the Supreme Court on the recommendation of the National Judiciary Service Commission (NJSC). The President of the Southern Sudan appoints all judges in Southern Sudan.	United Nations Development Programme, <i>Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Sudan</i> , http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=18 (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).

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Syria	The Supreme Judicial Council appoints, dismisses, and transfers judges.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Judiciary: Syria, http://www.pogar.org/countries/judiciary.asp?cid=19 (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Tajikistan	The President appoints judges who are later confirmed by Parliament.	Library of Congress – Federal Research Division, Country Profile: Tajikistan, January 13 (2007), available at http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/profiles/Tajikistan.pdf
Tanzania	The judges of the high courts are appointed by the President after consultation with the Judicial Service Commission; Justices of the Court of Appeal are appointed by the President after consultation with the Chief Justice.	TANZANIA CONST. art. 109, 118 available at http://www.tanzania.go.tz/images/constitutioneng.pdf .
Thailand	Judges are recruited by the Judicial Commission and are appointed by the King.	Thailand Office of the Judiciary, The Judiciary of Thailand, http://www.judiciary.go.th/eng/thejudiciary.htm (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).
Togo	After completing a competitive examination, judges follow a two-year training course at the College for Senior Civil Servants. The Council of Judges (CSM) then recommends judges for appointment to the Justice Minister, who then makes the appointment.	Paschal K. Dotchevi, Togo: Justice – In Need of a Rethink, http://ospiti.peacelink.it/anb-bia/nr337/e21.html (last visited Apr. 11, 2007).
Trinidad and Tobago	The Chief Justice is appointed by the President after consultation with the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition. Other Supreme Court judges are appointed by the President on the advice of the Judicial and Legal Service Commission. The Judicial and Legal Service Commission appoints magistrates and all other judicial officers.	Judiciary of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, Appointment of the Judiciary, http://www.ttlawcourts.org/appointment.htm (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).

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Tunisia	Magistrates are nominated by the President upon the recommendation of the Supreme Judicial Council.	TUNISIA CONST. art. 66 <i>available at</i> http://www.pogar.org/publications/judiciary/nbrown/tunisia.html .
Turkey	Turkey has a civil service judiciary where students choose to train for a judicial career early in the legal education process. After graduation from judicial school, they begin their apprenticeship in eastern Turkey, moving westward region by region throughout their career.	Jurist: Legal Intelligence, Turkey: Courts & Judgements, http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/world/turkcor4a.htm (last visited Apr. 11, 2007).
Turkmenistan	The president appoints the Supreme Court, Velayat, Ashgabat, Etrap and City Court judge, although the Supreme Court Chairman has to approved by the General Assembly. The President appoints the other judicial officers on the recommendation of the Supreme Court Chairman.	American Bar Association, Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, Legal Information for Turkmenistan, http://www.abanet.org/ceeli/countries/turkmenistan/legalinfo.html (last visited Mar. 30, 2007).
Uganda	The President appoints the Chief Justice. Other judges are also appointed by the President with the recommendation of the Judicial Service Commission. Magistrates are appointed by the Judicial Service Commission.	Republic of Uganda, Courts of Judicature: Judicial Officers, http://www.judicature.go.ug/judicial.php (last visited Apr. 11, 2007).
Ukraine	Those interested in judicial appointment have to pass a qualification examination. Those who pass and are recommended by the qualification commission are then reviewed by the High Judicial Council (HCJ). Those receiving recommendation from the HCJ are presented to the President for final appointment.	American Bar Association, Central and East European Law Initiative, Judicial Reform Index for Ukraine 3 (2002), <i>available at</i> www.abanet.org/ceeli/publications/jri/jri_ukraine.pdf .
United Arab Emirates	Federal Supreme Court judges are all appointed by the UAE president with the approval of the Supreme Federal Council. Other federal judges are appointed by the UAE president after nomination by the minister of justice.	United Nations Development Programme, Programme on Governance in the Arab Region, Arab Judicial Structures: United Arab Emirates, http://www.pogar.org/publications/judiciary/nbrown/uae.html (last visited Apr. 9, 2007).

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United Kingdom	Judges are recommended by judicial commissions with final appointment by the Secretary of State for Constitutional Affairs.	Kate Malleson, <i>The New Judicial Appointments Commission in England and Wales: New Wine in New Bottles</i> , in APPOINTING JUDGES IN AN AGE OF JUDICIAL POWER 39, 46 (Kate Malleson & Peter H. Russel, eds., 2006).
Uzbekistan	Supreme Court judges are nominated by the president and confirmed by the Oliy Majlis (legislature). Lower court judges are appointed by the president.	Microsoft Encarta Encyclopedia, Uzbekistan: Judiciary, http://encarta.msn.com/encyclopedia_761551989_6/Uzbekistan.html (last visited Apr. 11, 2007).
Vanuatu	The Chief Justice is appointed by the President after consultation with the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition. Other judges are appointed by the President acting on the advice of the Judicial Service Commission.	VANUATU CONST. art. 47(2), 49 (3), available at http://www.vanuatu.gov.vu/government/library/constitution.html .
Venezuela	Judges are appointed and sworn in by the Supreme Tribunal of Justice.	Lauren Castaldi, <i>Judicial Independence Threatened in Venezuela: The Removal of Venezuelan Judges and the Complications of Rule of Law Reform</i> , 37 GEO. J. INT'L L. 477, 493 (2006).
Vietnam	The Chief Judge of the Supreme People's Court appoints judges according to the 2002 Law on the Organization of the People's Court.	Brian J.M. Quinn, <i>Vietnam's Continuing Legal Reform: Gaining Control Over The Courts</i> , 4 Asian-Pac. L. & Pol'y J. 431, 452-453 (2003).
Yemen	Judges are appointed by the Supreme Judicial Council.	World Bank, Republic of Yemen: Judicial and Legal System Building Block, 2000, 4, available at http://lnweb18.worldbank.org/mna/mena.nsf/Attachments/Judicial/\$File/BB-5.pdf .
Zambia	The Supreme Court justices are appointed by the President subject to ratification by the National Assembly. Other judges are recommended by the Judicial Service Commission and appointed by the President, subject to ratification by the National Assembly.	ZAMBIA CONST. art. 93, 95.

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Zimbabwe	The Chief Justice and other judges of the Supreme Court and the High Court are appointed by the President after consultation with the Judicial Service Commission.	ZIMBABWE CONST. s. 84