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**Appointment of the Honorable Robert E. Bacharach
to the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals**

DENVER - Chief Judge Mary Beck Briscoe of the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit announced today the appointment of the Honorable Robert E. Bacharach to the Court. President Obama nominated Judge Bacharach on January 23, 2012, and renominated him on January 4, 2013. Judge Bacharach's nomination was confirmed by the Senate on February 25. Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals Judge William J. Holloway, Jr. administered the oath of office today in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Judge Bacharach attended Washington University School of Law, graduating Order of the Coif and serving on the executive board of the Washington University Law Quarterly.

Upon graduation from law school, Judge Bacharach clerked for Judge Holloway, who was then the Chief Judge of the Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals. After his judicial clerkship, Judge Bacharach practiced law in civil litigation at Crowe & Dunlevy in Oklahoma City for approximately 12½ years. He then served as a United States Magistrate Judge in the Western District of Oklahoma for roughly 14 years.

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Judge Bacharach is the author of “Section 1983 and the Availability of a Federal Forum: A Reappraisal of the Police Brutality Cases,” 16 Memphis State University Law Review 353 (1986); “Section 1983 and an Administrative Exhaustion Requirement,” 40 Oklahoma Law Review 407 (1987); “Motions in Limine in Oklahoma State and Federal Courts,” 24 Oklahoma City University Law Review 113 (1999); “Dirks v. SEC’s Footnote Fourteen: Horizontal and Vertical Reach,” 62 Washington University Law Quarterly 477 (1984); and “Post-Trial Juror Interviews by the Press: The Fifth Circuit’s Approach,” 62 Washington University Law Quarterly 783 (1985). He also served as a coauthor, with Professor Lyn Entzeroth, of “Judicial Advocacy in Pro Se Litigation: A Return to Neutrality,” 42 Indiana Law Review 19 (2009).

He is the recipient of the Federal Bar Association’s Earl W. Kintner Award and Special President’s Award.

The American Bar Association gave Judge Bacharach a unanimous rating of “well qualified,” which is the highest rating given.

Judge Bacharach will have his primary chambers in Oklahoma City.

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