

Intro



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Office of Judicial Performance Evaluation

Judicial Branch

Evaluation of Judge Nathaniel Mildner

If we have made a mistake and you either were not in Mildner's courtroom or you feel that you do not have sufficient experience with Judge Mildner to have an opinion on the judge's judicial performance, please respond "no" to the question below to stop any further requests to evaluate the judge.

Do you have sufficient experience with Nathaniel Mildner to feel qualified to evaluate his or her performance?

- Yes
- No

Case Type

Which of the following types of cases have you appealed to the {Court of Appeals/Supreme Court} in which Mildner authored the decision, concurred or dissented? Please check all that apply.

- Civil
- Criminal other than traffic
- Domestic
- Juvenile
- Other (Please specify)

Grade 1

Using a grade scale, where an "A" is excellent along with B, C, D or F for fail, please grade Mildner on the following. If, for a specific question you feel that you do not have enough information to grade the judge, please check DK/NA for Don't Know/Not Applicable.

	A	B	C	D	F	DK/NA
Being fair and impartial toward each side of the case	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing parties to present their arguments and answer questions.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Treating parties equally regardless of race, sex, or economic status.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being courteous toward attorneys.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Not engaging in ex parte communications.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being prepared for oral argument.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

If you have any comments about Judge Mildner regarding the topics above, please enter them in the box below.

Writing Opt out

Would you say you are sufficiently knowledgeable about Mildner's legal writings to have an informed opinion about them?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

Writing

Using a grade scale, where an "A" is excellent along with B, C, D or F for fail, please grade Mildner on the following. If, for a specific question you feel that you do not have enough information to grade the judge, please check DK/NA for Don't Know/Not Applicable.

	A	B	C	D	F	DK/NA
Writing opinions that are clear.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Writing opinions that adequately explain the basis of the courts decision.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Issuing opinions in a timely manner.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Making decisions without regard to possible criticism.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Making reasoned decisions basted upon the law and facts.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Refraining from reaching issues that need not be decided.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Block 8

What would you say are Mildner's strengths?

What would you say are Mildner's weaknesses?

Keeping in mind your responses to each of the previous questions, how strongly do you recommend that Judge Mildner be retained in office, or not be retained in office?

- Strongly recommend that he or she be retained in office
- Somewhat recommend he or she be retained in office
- Undecided or don't know enough to make a recommendation
- Somewhat recommend he or she not be retained in office
- Strongly recommend he or she not be retained in office

If you have any comments about why you feel Mildner should or should not be retained, please enter them in the box below.