

# OATH OF OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES

(Title 28, Sec. 453 and Title 5, Sec. 9331, United States Code)

I, Samuel Der-Yeghiayan, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will administer justice without respect to persons, and do equal right to the poor and to the rich, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as United States District Court Judge, according to the best of my abilities and understanding, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States; and that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. SO HELP ME GOD.

Samuel Der-Yeghiayan

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me this 4th day of August, 2003.

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Charles P. Kocoras

Actual abode [REDACTED] Chief U.S. District Court Judge

Official station \* Chicago, Illinois

Date of birth [REDACTED] 1952

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Date of entry on duty August 4, 2003

Note—The Act of May 1, 1876 (Title 48, sec. 1466, United States Code), provides that the oaths of Territorial Officers shall be administered in the Territory in which the office is held.

\* Title 28, sec. 456 United States Code, as amended.