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Press Release

Silvia Carreño-Coll Sworn-in as New District Judge for the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico

March 2, 2020 (San Juan, PR): The Chief Judge and the Judges of the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico (“USDCPR”) announce that Silvia Carreño-Coll has been sworn-in as United States District Judge by Chief Judge Gustavo A. Gelpi in a private ceremony, following Senate confirmation and appointment by the President of the United States. Judge Carreño-Coll had been serving her second eight-year term as a Magistrate Judge in the District Court of Puerto Rico.

In congratulating Judge Carreño-Coll, Chief Judge Gelpi stated: “My colleagues and I proudly welcome Judge Carreño-Coll as a United States District Judge. She brings a wealth of both civil and criminal litigation experience, as well as eight years of tenure as a federal magistrate judge in this, one of the busiest districts in the nation. I am certain, thus, that she will continue to provide all parties who appear before this institution the utmost Due Process, as well as uphold the Constitution of the United States and the Rule of Law.”

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