

Senate Confirms Amy Coney Barrett for Supreme Court



Following a unanimous vote by the Judiciary Committee last week, the Senate just confirmed Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals Judge Amy Coney Barrett to become the 115th Associate Justice on the United States Supreme Court.

"Having confirmed her to the Circuit Court in 2017 with bipartisan support, the Senate has already undertaken a thorough and rigorous review of her record," Sen. Ted Cruz (R-TX) said after President Trump made the nomination last month.

Throughout Justice Barrett's career, she has faithfully upheld our U.S. Constitution as written. The American Bar Association gave Barrett its highest rating, and she has an impressive track record across the legal profession—as a judge, professor, and litigator.

Most important, she will bring a valuable new perspective to our High Court:

*Justice Barrett is the first mother of school-aged children to become a Supreme Court Justice. She is also only the fifth woman ever to serve.

*As the mother of a child with special needs, she understands the issues and concerns confronting our nation's most vulnerable people.

&Justice Barrett will be the only current justice to have a law degree from a school other than Harvard or Yale. She graduated at the top of her class from Notre Dame Law School in

Indiana. Justice Barrett has made her philosophy clear: She will not legislate from the bench. "Courts have a vital responsibility to the rule of law, which is critical to a free society, but courts are not designed to solve every problem or right every wrong in our public life," she said during her confirmation hearings.

"The policy decisions and value judgments of government must be made by the political branches, elected by and accountable to

the people," she added.

One letter—written by Justice Barrett's former law clerks—calls her approach principled and independent-minded. "Judge Barrett taught us that a good judge will not always like the results she reaches; a good judge goes wherever the law leads," it reads.

Justice Barrett is the very model of a sympathetic yet impartial judge, according to her colleagues at Notre Dame Law School. She is exactly the type of person whom the American people deserve to have sitting on their Supreme Court.

"If we are to protect our institutions, and protect the freedoms, and protect the rule of law that's the basis for the society and the freedom that we all enjoy—if we want that for our children and our children's children—then we need to participate in that work," Justice Barrett said.

RNC Statement on Judge Amy Coney Barrett's Confirmation to the Supreme Court 共和黨全國委員會关于艾米·康尼巴雷特確認為最高法院大法官的聲明

WASHINGTON — Republican National Committee (RNC) Chairwoman Ronna McDaniel released the following statement on the Senate's vote to confirm Judge Amy Coney Barrett to the U.S. Supreme Court:

"Judge Amy Coney Barrett will now be Supreme Court Justice Amy Coney Barrett. That is another Promise Made and Promise Kept under President Trump. All Americans will be well served by Justice Barrett's fidelity to the rule of law and her commitment to interpreting the Constitution

as written in the decisions that will come before her as a member of the high court.

"Four years ago voters elected Donald Trump as their president in large part because of his promise to appoint qualified constitutionalists, and in eight days Americans are going to vote for more justices like Amy Coney Barrett by re-electing President Trump along with Republicans up and down the ballot."

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佈艾米·康尼巴雷特擔任美國最高法院大法官的任命后,共和黨全國委員會(RNC)主席羅娜·丹尼爾發表如下聲明:

"艾米·科尼·巴雷特法官成為最高法院大法官再次證明了特朗普總統是一個信守承諾的人。巴雷特大法官忠於憲法解釋並作為法治依據,她承諾,法官必須根據法律被書面寫下的形式,而不是以法官希望法律被書寫的形式運用法律。"

"四年前,選民選舉唐納德·特朗普為總統是因為他承諾任命合格的憲政主義者,而且全美國人將在接下來的八天內再次投票支持選總統特朗普連任。"

Put Americans first, not China

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American leaders from both parties stood down to China for 40 years. The Chinese Communist Party broke the rules on global trade, allowed Chinese firms to steal technology from American companies, and in turn destroyed entire sectors of our economy.

The corporate class and its chosen "experts," for their part, turned a blind eye to China's human rights abuses and crackdowns on speech. Washington politicians fell in line: Just open America's markets to China, they said, and the CCP will change its ways and become a responsible global citizen as it grows richer and stronger.

They were wrong. Under President Trump, America is fighting back.

Earlier this year, as the Coronavirus spread from China throughout the world, President Trump acted quickly. He restricted travel from China and launched a White House Coronavirus Task Force in January. At the time, Democrat leaders and liberal pundits called President Trump's strong response to the virus "xenophobic."

The World Health Organization continued to stand by Beijing's side. A little over 2 weeks before President Trump's actions, the WHO irresponsibly parroted the CCP's claim that the Coronavirus could not be transmitted between humans.

In reality, if China had acted on the virus just three weeks sooner than it did, up to 95% of global cases from COVID-19 could have been prevented, ac-

ording to a study from the University of Southampton in England.

Instead, more than 43 million cases have infected the world so far—and counting.

The WHO nevertheless claimed that the CCP had set a "new standard for outbreak control." Meanwhile, WHO Director-General Dr. Tedros inexplicably condemned President Trump's travel ban

while praising the domestic travel restrictions put in place by China.

To make matters worse, U.S. taxpayers sent the WHO millions of dollars each year only to see its leaders protect Chinese officials instead of American citizens. President Trump withdrew funding, telling the WHO to investigate its alarming failures.

Democrats in Congress took the

WHO's side. Speaker Nancy Pelosi called efforts to withhold its funding pending an investigation "stupid." Throughout the pandemic, the left has remained conspicuously silent about both the CCP's culpability and the WHO's failures. Democrats in Washington prefer to use the virus as a political weapon, calling for more lockdowns and other policies that hurt American workers.

Endless lockdowns may be an easy choice for affluent pundits and professionals who can work from home and afford to hire tutors for their kids, but they carry an enormous cost for most Americans. In addition to jobs lost and schools closed, there are increased risks of suicides, depression, opioid and drug abuse, domestic violence cases, and delays in important preventative medical care.

President Trump wants to see our country safely reopen by continuing measures to protect our most vulnerable citizens, including seniors. By prioritizing these groups, we can return more people safely to work and get more of our children back in school.

In other words, President Trump's Coronavirus strategy reflects his governing agenda from day one: Don't punish American citizens for the mistakes and failures of other countries and global organizations. Hold the real offenders accountable.

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