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**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR  
REAPPOINTMENT OF A FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER**

The current term of office of Richard Coughlin, Federal Public Defender for the District of New Jersey, is due to expire on July 14, 2013. As required by statute, 18 U.S.C. §3006A, the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit is considering the reappointment of Mr. Coughlin to a new four-year term and has appointed a Committee to assist in its review. The Committee consists of attorneys from the District of New Jersey, who will report their findings to the Court of Appeals.

The public is invited to submit comments for consideration regarding the reappointment of Mr. Coughlin to a new term of office. All comments should be directed to the e-mail address:

[dnjcomments\\_fpd@ca3.uscourts.gov](mailto:dnjcomments_fpd@ca3.uscourts.gov)

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Comments must be received not later than **Wednesday, April 17, 2013**.