

National Women's Political Caucus President, Donna Lent's Statement on Stephen Breyer's Retirement

"Finally, our Supreme Court will represent all of us..." Donna Lent, President of the National Women's Political Caucus said about President Biden's promise to appoint a Black woman to our nation's highest court.

"History will be made, at last, bringing diversity to the Supreme Court nominating a black woman," said Lent. "We are monitoring this monumental nomination," she said as part of NWPC's Coalition for Women's Appointments (founded in 1976).

The announcement this week that Justice Stephen Breyer will retire when his successor is confirmed, reminds of us of his strong voice for the rights of women including fundamental right to an abortion.

"Justice Breyer has been a stalwart fighter for the rights of women," Lent said. "His legacy sets the stage for a new generation of Supreme Court Justices by at last opening this opportunity to have a Black woman justice on the Supreme Court."

About the National Women's Political Caucus

The National Women's Political Caucus, founded in 1971, is a national, multi-partisan, grassroots membership organization dedicated to identifying, recruiting, training and supporting women candidates for elected and appointed office.