

Justice Russell M. Nigro

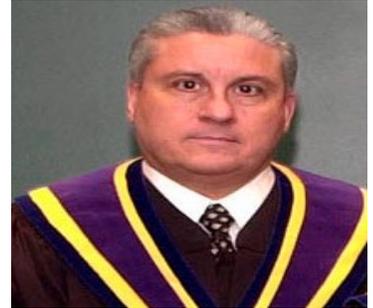
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Term

January 1996-January 2006

Education

- Temple University, B.B.A., 1969
- Rutgers University Camden School of Law, J.D., 1973

**Professional Experience**

- Admitted to Pennsylvania bar, 1973
- Private Practice, 1973-1987
- Governor Robert Casey nominated Nigro, Judge, Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County, June 23, 1987, confirmed by Senate, July 2, 1987-January 4, 1988
- Elected Judge, Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County, November 1987
- Judge, Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County, January 1988 to January 1996
- Elected Justice, Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, November 1995; failed to be retained in November 2005
- Board of Real Estate Tax Appeals, City of Philadelphia, 2006-2015
- Adjunct Professor, Temple University

Honors and Awards

- William J. Brennan, Jr. Distinguished Jurist Award, Philadelphia Bar Association, 2002
- Professional Service Award, Korean-American Friendship Society

Memberships and Associations

- Federal and Philadelphia Bar Associations
- Pennsylvania Defense Institute
- National and Pennsylvania Trial Lawyers Associations
- Justinian Society
- Sons of Italy
- National Italian-American Foundation
- Abruzzese Society

Sources

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