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Nation's Newspapers Demand End to Filibusters of Judicial Nominees

Updated through May 22, 2003

At least **179** editorials from **104** separate newspapers from **35** states and the District of Columbia have decried Democrats' use of the filibuster to block President Bush's judicial nominees and/or have called for the immediate confirmation of those nominees.

Only **25** editorials in **17** separate newspapers have argued that these nominees should be blocked by filibuster or that Senators need more information before voting up-or-down.

The following chart represents **every newspaper editorial published this year that could be located** – not including op-eds, even if signed by a member of the newspaper's own editorial staff – regarding the pending nomination. Each editorial is listed by date, and where a newspaper has editorialized more than once on the subject, a separate date is provided. Not all of the many editorial boards opposing this filibuster necessarily favor the ultimate confirmation of the nominees, and they are marked accordingly. In addition, some editorial boards have stopped short of commenting on the merits of the nomination or the filibuster, and are marked as “ambiguous” and not included in the totals above.

	Newspaper	Date	Substance	
Alabama	Mobile Register	<u>2/8/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
		<u>2/13/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
		<u>2/24/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
		<u>3/7/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
		<u>3/22/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada	
		<u>4/10/03</u>	Pro-Pryor	
		<u>5/4/03</u>	Pro-Pryor	
		<u>5/9/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
		<u>5/12/03</u>	Pro-Pryor	
		<u>5/21/03</u>	Pro-Pryor	
		The Crimson (University of Alabama)	<u>4/18/03</u>	Pro-Pryor
		Anniston Star	<u>4/21/03</u>	Pro-Pryor
	Tuscaloosa News	<u>5/4/03</u>	Pro-Pryor	
	Gadsen Times	<u>5/12/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	Birmingham Post Herald	<u>5/15/03</u>	Ambiguous	
Arizona	East Valley Tribune (Mesa)	<u>2/25/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	Arizona Daily Star	<u>2/3/03</u>	Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Estrada	
Arkansas	The Arkansas Democrat-Gazette	<u>2/19/02</u>	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada	
		<u>5/13/03</u>	Pro-Holmes	
	Arkansas Times	<u>2/21/03</u>	Opposes -Estrada	
California	San Diego Union Tribune	<u>2/25/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	Redding Searchlight	<u>2/15/02</u>	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada	
	The Press Enterprise (Riverside)	<u>2/18/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada	
	Contra Costa Times (Walnut Creek)	<u>2/28/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	North County Times (San Diego Co.)	<u>3/6/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	Daily Breeze	<u>3/21/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	Orange County Register	<u>3/27/03</u>	Anti-Filibuster	
	Los Angeles Times	<u>5/8/03</u>	Opposes -Kuhl	
	The Stanford Daily Online	<u>5/16/03</u>	Anti-Reform	
	The Mercury News	<u>5/21/03</u>	Pro-Filibuster/Anti -Kuhl	
	The San Francisco Chronicle	<u>5/11/03</u>	Ambiguous	

Colorado	Denver Post	2/13/02	Anti-Filibuster
		3/12/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Rocky Mountain News	2/14/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/16/03	Anti-Filibuster
Connecticut	The Hartford Courant	2/14/03	Anti-Filibuster
		3/11/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Republican-American (Waterbury)	3/14/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Connecticut Law Tribune	3/24/03	Ambiguous
Delaware	The News Journal (Delaware)	5/15/03	Ambiguous
District of Columbia	Washington Times	2/5/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		2/12/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/5/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Washington Post	2/5/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		2/18/03	Anti-Filibuster
		3/3/03	Anti-Filibuster
		3/7/03	Anti-Filibuster
		4/11/03	Opposes -Pryor
		5/9/03	Opposes -Holmes
		5/21/03	Anti-Filibuster
		5/21/03	Anti-Filibuster
Florida	The Tribune (Port St. Lucie)	2/8/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Palm Beach Post	5/9/03	Pro-Filibuster
	Sun-Sentinel (Fort Lauderdale)	3/6/03	Anti-Filibuster
	The Tampa Tribune	2/8/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/8/03	Anti-Filibuster
		5/6/03	Anti-Filibuster
	The Florida Times-Union (Jacksonville)	2/8/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/5/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/15/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/31/03	Anti-Filibuster
		5/8/03	Anti-Filibuster
	5/13/03	Anti-Filibuster	
Georgia	The Atlanta Journal Constitution	2/10/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		5/6/03	Pro-Pryor
	Augusta Chronicle	2/16/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/7/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Savannah Morning News	2/13/03	Anti-Filibuster
	5/8/03	Anti-Filibuster/ Pro-Estrada	
Illinois	Chicago Tribune	2/10/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		2/26/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Chicago Sun-Times	2/14/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		5/6/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Freeport Journal Standard	2/20/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Chicago Daily Herald	2/4/03	Ambiguous
The Pantagraph (Bloomington-Normal)	3/24/03	Anti-Filibuster	
Indiana	Elkhart Truth	2/25/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Indianapolis Star	2/27/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		5/10/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Fort Wayne	3/5/03	Anti-Filibuster
Kansas	Wichita Eagle	2/25/03	Anti-Filibuster
Kentucky	Bowling Green Daily News	2/20/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
Louisiana	The Advocate (Baton Rouge)	2/16/03	Anti-Filibuster/Anti -promise-breaking

Maine	Bangor News	2/19/03	Anti-Filibuster
Maryland	The Star Democrat (Easton)	3/24/03	Ambiguous
Massachusetts	The Berkshire Eagle	2/1/03 3/8/03 5/7/03	Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Estrada Pro-Filibuster Pro-Filibuster
	Boston Herald	2/14/03 3/7/03	Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster
	Boston Globe	2/15/03 5/6/03	Ambiguous Pro-Filibuster
	Lowell Sun	3/1/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	The Republican	5/3/03	Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Owen
Michigan	Detroit News	2/10/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Grand Rapids Press	2/14/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Kalamazoo Gazette	2/19/03	Ambiguous
	Lansing State Journal	3/17/03	Pro-Filibuster
	The Daily Mining Gazette (Houghton)	5/6/03	Ambiguous
Minnesota	Minnesota Daily via U-Wire	2/18/02 5/13/03	Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Estrada Ambiguous
	St. Paul Pioneer Press		
Mississippi	Hattiesburg American	5/3/03 5/11/03	Anti -Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster/Pro Pickering
	Northeast Mississippi Daily Journal	5/1/03	Anti-Filibuster/ Pro Pickering
	The Clarion-Ledger	5/9/03 5/13/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Pickering Anti-Filibuster
Missouri	St. Louis Post-Dispatch	2/7/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
	Southeast Missourian	3/19/03	Anti-Filibuster
Nebraska	Omaha World Herald	2/14/03	Pro-Filibuster
	Daily Nebraskan (U. Nebraska)	3/7/03	Ambiguous
	Lincoln Journal Star	3/19/03	Anti-Filibuster
Nevada	Las Vegas Review Journal	2/3/03 2/13/03 3/2/03 4/15/03 5/1/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Owen Anti-Filibuster
	Reno Gazette Journal	2/18/03	Ambiguous
	Las Vegas Sun	5/11/03	Pro-Filibuster
New Mexico	Albuquerque Journal	2/23/03 5/10/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Pro -Estrada/Anti -Reform
	Santa Fe New Mexican	2/24/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada

New York	New York Post Poughkeepsie Journal Rochester Democrat and Chronicle The Post Standard (Syracuse) New York Times Newsday (NYC) Gloversville Leader-Herald New York Sun The Times Union (Albany) Staten Island Advance Times Herald-Record (Middletown) The Record (Troy) The Buffalo News	2/12/03 3/4/03 3/9/03 5/12/03 3/6/03 2/7/03 1/30/03 2/13/03 3/13/03 4/17/03 4/24/03 5/5/03 5/11/03 5/19/03 2/13/03 5/9/03 2/24/03 2/12/03 3/7/03 2/25/03 3/11/03 3/9/03 3/10/03 3/19/03 5/18/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Opposes Estrada Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Estrada Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Estrada Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Owen Opposes-Kuhl Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Owen Pro-Filibuster Anti-Pryor Pro-Filibuster/Opposes Estrada Pro-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Ambiguous Pro-Filibuster Ambiguous Anti-Filibuster Pro-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Ambiguous
North Carolina	Kinston Free Press Winston-Salem Journal	2/10/03 2/20/03	Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
North Dakota	Grand Forks Herald	2/15/03 3/13/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster
Ohio	Cincinnati Post Dayton Daily News The Cincinnati Enquirer Lima News The Beacon Journal (Akron)	2/7/03 3/10/03 5/12/03 2/17/03 3/14/03 5/1/03 5/6/03 2/27/03 3/16/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Ambiguous Ambiguous Ambiguous Ambiguous Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster
Oregon	Oregonian	3/3/03	Pro-Filibuster
Oklahoma	The Daily Oklahoman	2/4/03 2/10/03 2/13/03 2/19/03 3/5/03 3/6/03 5/3/03 5/17/03	Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster
Pennsylvania	Lancaster New Era Philadelphia Inquirer Pittsburgh Tribune-Review Pittsburgh Post-Gazette Scranton Times-Tribune	2/21/03 3/1/03 2/9/03 2/13/03 3/10/03 5/3/03 2/7/03 3/6/03 5/21/03 3/17/03	Anti-Filibuster - Pro-Estrada Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster Ambiguous Anti-Filibuster Anti-Filibuster/ Anti-Filibuster
Rhode Island	Providence Journal	2/14/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada

National	Investor's Business Daily	2/5/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro-Estrada
		3/3/03	Anti-Filibuster
	Wall Street Journal	2/6/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		2/26/03	Anti-Filibuster/Pro -Estrada
		3/6/03	Anti-Filibuster
		5/13/03	Anti-Filibuster

If you are aware of any other editorials that should be included in the above, regardless of position, please contact the Senate Republican Policy Committee at 224-2946.