## THE HONORABLE JEANETTE JACKSON CLARK ASSOCIATE JUDGE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SUPERIOR COURT

Judge Jeanette Jackson Clark was appointed to the District of Columbia Superior Court in 2002 by President George W. Bush.

Judge Clark was born and raised in Washington, DC where she graduated from McKinley High School. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree in History from Trinity College, Washington, D.C. in 1970, a Master of Science in Education from Wheelock College, Boston, Massachusetts, in 1972, and a law degree, *cum laude*, from Howard University Law School in 1983.

Upon graduation from law school, Judge Clark served as a law clerk to the Honorable Warren R. King of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia. After her clerkship, Judge Clark was an Associate with the law firm of Steptoe & Johnson until 1986. She then began her tenure with the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority ("WMATA"). While at WMATA, Judge Clark practiced law in the civil litigation and general law sections of the Office of the General Counsel and served as Special Assistant to a WMATA General Manager for two and one-half years. Judge Clark served as Deputy General Counsel of the District of Columbia Housing Authority for eighteen months between 1996 and 1997 and afterwards returned to WMATA before her appointment to the bench.

Judge Clark's appointments include serving as a Committee member and later Chair of a Hearing Committee of the Board on Professional Responsibility and as a member of the Committee on the Unauthorized Practice of Law. She also served on the Board of Trustees of Trinity College, Washington, D.C. for six years. IJudge Clark serves on the following court committees: Buildings & Grounds, Civil Rules Committee, Library Committee and the Security Committee

Judge Clark is married and has two step-sons.