

| Chapter Exchange |

FIRST CIRCUIT

Hon. Gustavo A. Gelpi, of the U.S. District Court for the District of Puerto Rico, presided over the U.S. naturalization ceremony held in Fanueil Hall in Boston on Dec. 6, 2007. During the ceremony, at which FBA President Jim Richardson gave the keynote address, more than 450 immigrants became U.S. citizens.

FIFTH CIRCUIT

San Antonio

The San Antonio Chapter held a luncheon in January at which Renee Diaz, former 224th district judge and now a mediator, presented her tips on mediation.

TENTH CIRCUIT

Northern and Eastern Oklahoma

After being inactive for approximately five years, the newly invigorated Northern and Eastern Oklahoma Chapter has approximately 10 programs scheduled between February and May 2008. The 2008 kickoff event took place on Feb. 1 with a videoconference presentation by Morris Dees, co-founder of the South-

ern Poverty Law Center. Approximately 65 attorneys and judges, including FBA President Jim Richardson, attended Dees' presentation, entitled "With Justice for All." **TFL**

Chapter Exchange is compiled by Melissa Stevenson, FBA manager of chapters and circuits. Send your chapter information to mstevenson@fedbar.org or Chapter Exchange, FBA, 1220 N. Fillmore St., Ste. 444, Arlington, VA 22201.



First Circuit: At the U.S. naturalization ceremony in Boston presided over by Hon. Gustavo A. Gelpi (right) of the U.S. District Court for the District of Puerto Rico with FBA President Jim Richardson (left); nine-year-old Francesca Clara Webb Singer, a third-grader from Concord, Mass., is also pictured.



San Antonio Chapter: At the chapter's January luncheon—(right photo, l to r) Judge Rene Diaz, luncheon speaker, and Todd Hedgepeth, chapter president. (Photo by John Franco.)



Northern and Eastern Oklahoma Chapter: At the presentation by Morris Dees—(left photo, front row, l to r) Vicki Jordan, assistant dean, director of career services, at Tulsa University School of Law; Victor Morgan, president-elect of the Northern and Eastern Oklahoma Chapter; Jim Richardson, FBA president; and Jennifer Flexner, assistant director of career services at Tulsa University School of Law; (back row, l to r) Robert Burton, the Northern and Eastern Oklahoma Chapter's national delegate; Hon. Bob Bacharach, vice president for the Tenth Circuit; and Mike McBride, vice president for the Tenth Circuit.