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**Attorney General Marshall Applauds Senate Confirmation of Edmund
LaCour Jr. to Federal Bench**

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(Montgomery, Ala) – Alabama Attorney General Steve Marshall today celebrated the U.S. Senate's confirmation of Edmund LaCour Jr. to serve as a U.S. district judge for the Northern District of Alabama.

LaCour, who has served as solicitor general in the Attorney General's Office since 2019, was nominated by President Donald Trump in August.

"Eddie is a brilliant and principled lawyer who brought a deep respect for the Constitution and the rule of law to every aspect of his work," Marshall said. "Thanks to President Trump's leadership, Alabama, and the nation, will continue to benefit from Eddie's unwavering integrity and exceptional service."

Marshall continued: "As solicitor general, Eddie left an indelible mark on some of the most consequential legal battles of our time. His unmatched skill and sharp constitutional insight earned him respect at every level of the judiciary, including the U.S. Supreme Court. President Trump could not have made a better choice. We are incredibly proud to see Eddie bring his intellect, humility and dedication to the federal bench."

LaCour has served as solicitor general of Alabama since May 2019, following his tenure as deputy solicitor general. Before joining the Attorney General's Office, he was a partner at Kirkland & Ellis LLP in Washington, D.C., where he represented clients in high-profile matters before the U.S. Supreme Court, federal courts of appeals and trial courts. He also practiced at Bancroft PLLC in Washington and Baker Botts LLP in Houston.

A native of Dothan, Alabama, LaCour earned his Juris Doctor from Yale Law School, a Master of Philosophy from Trinity College Dublin, and a bachelor's degree, summa cum laude, from Birmingham-Southern College. He clerked for Judge William H. Pryor Jr. of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 11th Circuit.

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