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Judge Amon was appointed United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York on August 7, 1990 and entered duty on August 9, 1990. She was Chief Judge from April 2011 to April 2016. She received a B.S. degree from the College of William and Mary in 1968 and a Juris Doctor degree from the University of Virginia in 1971.

After graduation from law school, Judge Amon accepted a position as a staff attorney in the Office of the General Counsel of the Communications Satellite Corporation in Washington, D.C. She joined the United States Department of Justice in 1973 and from 1974 through 1986 was an Assistant United States Attorney in the Eastern District of New York, where she served as Chief of Frauds, Chief of General Crimes and Senior Litigation Counsel. From 1986 until her appointment to the district court, Judge Amon held the position of United States Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of New York.

In 1983, Judge Amon was awarded the John Marshall Award for Outstanding Legal Achievement by the Attorney General of the United States. In 2013, she received the New York State Bar Association's Haig Award for Distinguished Public Service from the Commercial Federal Litigation Section. In 2014, she received the Edward Weinfeld Award from the New York County Lawyer's Association. In 2015, she was awarded the Emory Buckner Medal by the Federal Bar Council. She served as Chairman of the Codes of Conduct Committee of the Judicial Conference (1998- 2001) and was a member of the Judicial Conference (2011- 2013). She was an Advisor to the ABA Joint Commission to Evaluate the Model Code of Judicial Conduct (2003- 2006). She served as Federal Bar Council American Inn of Court President (2007- 2008). In 2009 and 2010, she was an Adjunct Professor of Law at Brooklyn Law School teaching a seminar in federal sentencing.

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