Appendix 4

Linking the Policy Agenda Topic Codes with Those Used by Spaeth (Spaeth 1997, 1998)

Policy Area	Policy Agendas Project Codes	Supreme Court Codes
1. Macroeconomics	100, 103, 104, 105, 108, 110, 199	No Issue Areas
2. Taxes	107, 2009	173, 626, 936, 960, 970, 975, 979
3. Economic Regulation: Banking, Finance, and Domestic Commerce	1500, 1501, 1502, 1504, 1505, 1507, 1520, 1521, 1522, 1523, 1524, 1525, 1526, 1599	601, 605, 611, 614, 615, 617, 618, 631, 636, 653, 656, 661, 662, 663, 664, 699
4. Employment and Labor Issues	500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 508, 529, 599	Issue Area 7, covering: 553, 555, 557, 559, 561, 563, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 599. And 621
5. Criminal Justice	1200, 1201, 1202, 1203, 1205, 1206, 1207, 1209, 1210, 1211, 1299	010, 013, 014, 015, 016, 017, 018, 020, 021, 022, 023, 030, 040, 041, 050, 060, 070, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 171, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 180, 181, 190, 191, 199
6. Judicial Power and Regulation of Attorneys	1204	Issue Area 9, covering: 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 712, 715, 717, 721, 731, 741, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 759, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868,

		869, 870, 899. And Issue Area 6, covering: 542, 544, 546, 548
7. Civil Rights: Voting and Discrimination	200, 201, 202, 204, 205, 206, 299	210, 211, 212, 220, 221, 222, 223, 230, 250, 261, 283, 284, 301, 321, 331, 341, 391, 399
8. Civil Liberties	207, 208, 209	Issue Area 3, covering: 401, 411, 415, 416, 421, 422, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 441, 444, 451, 455, 461, 462, 471, 472. And Issue Area 4, covering 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507. And Issue Area 5, covering 531, 533, 534, 537
9. Environmental Regulation	Topic code 7, covering: 700, 701, 703, 704, 705, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 798, 799	638, 933, 934
10. Energy	Topic Code 8, covering: 800, 801, 802, 803, 805, 806, 807, 898, 899	674, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 935
11. Transportation	Topic Code 10, covering: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1010, 1098, 1099	671, 672, 673, 675
12. Space, Science, Technology and Communications	Topic Code 17, covering: 1700, 1701, 1704, 1705, 1706, 1707, 1708, 1709, 1798, 1799	686, 687, 688
13. Health	Topic Code 3, covering: 300, 301, 303, 306, 307, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 315, 331, 332, 333, 334, 349, 398, 399	No Issue Area Codes
14. Agriculture	Topic Code 4, covering: 400, 401, 402, 403, 404 405, 498, 499	No Issue Area Codes
15. Social Welfare and Family Issues	1208. And Topic Code 13, covering: 1300, 1301, 1302, 1303, 1304,1305, 1399	311, 312, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388

16. Indians, Immigration, Public Lands, and Water Management	100. And Topic Code 21, covering: 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2199	172, 271, 272, 293, 294, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376
17. Housing and Community Development	Topic Code 14, covering: 1400, 1401, 1403, 1404, 1405, 1406, 1407, 1408, 1409, 1410, 1499	652
18. Education (excluding constitutional issues such as desegregation, etc.)	Topic Code 6, covering: 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 606, 607, 609, 698, 699	No Issue Area Codes
19. Foreign Trade, International Affairs, and Foreign Aid	Topic Code 18, covering: 1800, 1802, 1803, 1804, 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809. And Topic Code 19, covering: 1900, 1901, 1902, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1914, 1915, 1919, 1920, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1929, 1999	179
20. Defense	Topic Code 16, covering: 1600, 1602, 1603, 1604, 1605, 1606, 1608, 1609, 1610, 1611, 1612, 1614, 1615, 1616, 1617, 1619, 1620, 1699	361, 362, 363
21. Federalism,	Topic Code 20, covering: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2030, 2099	616, 650, 900, 910, 911, 920, 903, 931, 932, 939, 949. And Issue Area 11, covering: 950, 951, 959. And 980, 989