

# **GOP's Sen. Kennedy Sends Warning Shot to Trump Court Nominee Menashi**

Republican U.S. Sen. John Kennedy of Louisiana warned that he could oppose President Trump's nominee for an influential appeals court, saying Steven Menashi wouldn't answer questions during a hearing.

The Hill **reports** that Kennedy, when asked about Menashi's nomination for the 2nd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, warned, "I'm not going to vote for him until I understand how he approaches legal issues."

Kennedy told **HuffPost**: "I'm real doubtful. My thought is, look, if he'll treat a United States senator the way he treated us, I wonder how he would treat the people."

Some other senators have expressed frustration with Menashi's unwillingness to discuss his work for the Trump administration on immigration.

**Read The Hill article.**