

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

OBAMA NOMINATES A SUPREME COURT JUSTICE

Analyze the Article

- 1.** Who is Merrick Garland, and why do you think President Obama nominated him as a Supreme Court Justice?

- 2.** Why has replacing Justice Antonin Scalia become such a heated political battle?

- 3.** What reasons do Republicans give for not wanting President Obama to choose the next Supreme Court Justice?

- 4.** According to the article, what might happen if Republicans don't confirm Garland and a Democrat wins the White House in November?