

## *Politico* catalogs attacks on Sotomayor, but is that journalism?

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Is it *news* to simply collect in one place all the knee-jerk talking points issued from Republicans to Obama's SCOTUS pick? Hard to see how it is. Nonetheless, that's **the approach** *Politico* takes with article headline:

Sonia Sotomayor starts taking hits from opposition

And that literally is what the entire piece consists of; a laundry list of press releases issued by conservatives such as Mike Huckabee, as well as outlets like the National Abortion Control Board, the Judicial Confirmation Network, Cato Institute raising objections to the Supreme Court nominee.

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