

Committee on Judicial Ethics 100 Washington Street 1st Floor-Public Room Hartford, Connecticut 06106

Thursday, July 21, 2016 9:30 a.m.

AGENDA

- I. Call to order
- II. Approval of the Minutes of the June 16, 2016 Regular Meeting.
- III. Ratification of Emergency Staff Opinion JE 2016-08 (Issued June 29, 2016)
 Issues: May a Judicial Official bring to the attention of a state's attorney the prior proceedings before the Judicial Official, his/her adjudication and the reasons therefor? May a Judicial Official communicate to the state's attorney the events of a prior hearing so that he/she may compare them with the statement in the arrest warrant (which the Judicial Official believes is misleading)? May a Judicial Official communicate his/her opinion of the statement in the arrest warrant?
- IV. Consideration and action on Informal JE 2016-11
 Issue: May a Judicial Official reach out to a current courthouse employee and suggest that he or she send a résumé to the Judicial Official's friend, a partner in a large out-of-state law firm, who is hiring staff for the firm's Connecticut office?
- V. New Business
- VI. Adjournment