

Rules Committee Meeting
Monday, January 27, 2014 at 2:00 p.m.
Supreme Court Courtroom
Supreme Court Building

Agenda

- 5-1. Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on December 16, 2013.
- 5-2. Proposal by Attorney Paul Ruszczyk (Small Claims Magistrate) regarding Section 24-24 and its 2011 Commentary. Comments received from Attorney London, and from Attorney Adam Olshan on behalf of the Connecticut Creditor Bar Association.
- 5-3. Proposal from Timothy Fisher, Dean, UConn Law School, on behalf of three Connecticut Law Schools to amend Section 2-13 to ease admission by waiver of faculty members at accredited law schools in Connecticut. Letter from Kathleen B. Harrington, Deputy Director, Attorney Services on behalf of the Connecticut Bar Examining Committee. Comments from Attorney Michael H. Agranoff on proposal. Letter from the Connecticut Bar Association on proposal.
- 5-4. Proposal by Patricia King, Chief Disciplinary Counsel, and Michael Bowler, Statewide Bar Counsel, to amend Sections 2-40 and 2-41 concerning discipline of attorneys.
- 5-5. Proposal submitted by Judge Linda K. Lager, Chief Administrative Judge, Civil Division, on behalf of the Civil Commission, to consider new Practice Book Section 1-25 concerning actions subject to sanctions. Revision to proposed new Section 1-25 submitted by Judge Lager, on behalf of the Civil Commission.
- 5-6. Proposal submitted by Judge Elizabeth Bozzuto, Chief Administrative Judge, Family Division, to amend Section 25-4 concerning actions for visitation of a minor child. Input from CAJ Juvenile.
- 5-7. Proposal by Judge Henry Cohn to amend Sections 8-3, 8-4 and 14-7A to remove the requirement of a recognizance.
- 5-8. Report of the Legal Specialization Screening Committee (LSSC) on the Applications of the National Board of Legal Specialty Certification (NBLSC) for renewal of its authority to certify lawyers as specialists in the area of Civil Trial Practice and in the area of Criminal Law, and for authority to certify lawyers in the area of Family and Matrimonial law. **(First time being considered.)**
- 5-9. Proposal by Attorney John Weikart to amend Section 10-39 to remove redundant language. **(First time being considered.)**

- 5-10. Proposal by the Professional Ethics Committee of the CBA to amend the Rules of Professional Conduct. **(First time being considered.)**
- 5-11. Editorial: *Law Student Volunteers And The Unauthorized Practice of Law.* **(First time being considered.)**
- 5-12. Such other matters as may come before the Rules Committee.