



Committee on Judicial Ethics
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Thursday, March 17, 2022
9:30 a.m.

MEETING AGENDA

- I. Approval of the minutes of the October 21, 2021, Regular Meeting.
- II. Consideration and action on **Emergency Staff Opinion JE 2022-01**

Facts and Issue: A Judicial Official (JO), assigned to juvenile matters, was asked to take immediate custody of his/her grandchild as a family placement by the Department of Children and Families (DCF). All parties involved agree to the transfer and placement of the child and no contested legal action involving such transfer or placement is pending. No financial subsidies are involved.

May the JO accept the family placement consistent with the Code of Judicial Conduct?

- III. Consideration and action on **Informal JE 2022-02** (Supplemental inquiry to **Emergency Staff Opinion JE 2022-01**)

Facts and Issue: A Judicial Official (JO), assigned to juvenile matters, to whom custody of the JO's grandchild has been transferred and with whom the child has been placed by the Department of Children and Families (see Emergency Staff Opinion JE 2022-01), asks:

May the JO continue to sit in juvenile court if the child placed with the JO needs wrap around services from a private therapeutic agency, such that the JO needs a foster care license from that agency and, if licensed, there will be a subsidy from the agency?

- IV. New Business
 - V. Adjournment
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