Rules Committee Meeting
Tuesday, September 25, 2012 at 2:00 p.m.
Supreme Court Courtroom
Supreme Court Building

Agenda

1-1. Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on May 21, 2012.

1-2. Proposed change in the effective date of Sec. 10-13, submitted by Judge Barbara Quinn, Chief Court Administrator, on behalf of the Judges Advisory Committee on E-filing, and of Rule 5.5 of the Rules of Professional Conduct and Section 2-15A submitted by Judge William M. Bright, Jr.

1-3. Submission by Attorney Keith Bradoc Gallant, then President of the CBA, requesting that the Rules Committee take no action on a proposed definition of Elder Law that was submitted to public hearing as an addition to Rule 7.4A of the Rules of Professional Conduct concerning attorney specialization until such time as the CBA submits to the Committee a definition agreed upon by the CBA’s Estates and Probate Section and Elder Law Section.

1-4. Proposal by Attorney Zenas Zelotes to amend Sec. 2-54 concerning the publication of notice of reprimand, suspension, disbarment, resignation, placement on inactive status, or reinstatement of attorneys; letter from Christopher L. Slack, First Assistant Bar Counsel, on behalf of the Statewide Grievance Committee concerning the proposal.

1-5. Proposed Rules Committee meeting schedule.

1-6. Proposed revisions to the juvenile rules, submitted by Judge Christine Keller on behalf of the Juvenile Task Force, in light of current procedures and recent legislation.

1-7. Proposal by Assistant Attorney General Carolyn Signorelli to amend Sec. 34a-11 to correct internal citations.

1-8. Proposal by the Civil Commission to amend Secs. 17-25 and 17-33 concerning default judgments.

1-9. Letter from Ms. Chelsea Pond with regard to whether jurors should be identified in court by their full names.

1-10. Proposal by Attorney David Atkins to include in the commentary to Rule 1.10 of the Rules of Professional Conduct new paragraphs 7 through 10 that the ABA has added to the commentary of its version of that rule.
1-11. Proposal by Judges Wilson J. Trombley and John A. Danaher, III, to amend Sec. 11-1 to require that motions, requests, applications or objections filed under that section, as well as any supporting briefs or memoranda, be paginated.

1-12. Proposal by the National Board of Legal Specialty Certification to add Social Security Disability Advocacy to Rule 7.4A of the Rules of Professional Conduct as a field of law in which attorneys may be certified as specialists.

1-13. Proposal by the National Board of Legal Specialty Certification to add Civil Pretrial Practice to Rule 7.4A of the Rules of Professional Conduct as a field of law in which attorneys may be certified as specialists.

1-14. Such other matters that may come before the Rules Committee.