

CLIENT SECURITY FUND COMMITTEE
PUBLIC MEETING
DECEMBER 16, 2021
TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL AND
80 WASHINGTON STREET
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

MINUTES

Members Participating:

Judge William H. Bright, Jr.
Attorney Adele P. Edgerton
Judge John B. Farley (from II. B)
Attorney Charles L. Howard
Attorney Mathew P. Jasinski
Attorney Jeanet Figueroa Laskos
Mr. Doug Rankin
Attorney David Reif
Attorney Harry D. Weller
Ms. Trina N. Williams
Ms. Juliette Taylor

Staff Present:

Ms. Krista L. Barcomb
Attorney Christopher G. Blanchard

The meeting commenced at 2:32 p.m.

I. OLD BUSINESS

A.) Minutes of Meeting, September 30, 2021

The minutes of the public meeting of September 30, 2021 were unanimously approved as drafted.

II. NEW BUSINESS

A.) Election of Officers

The committee unanimously elected Judge William H. Bright, Jr. to serve as chair of the committee, and Attorney Harry D. Weller to serve as vice-chair during calendar year 2022.

B.) 2022 Proposed Meeting Schedule

The committee unanimously approved the following meeting dates for 2022, with each meeting to begin at 1:30 p.m.:

February 3, 2022

March 31, 2022

May 26, 2022

July 21, 2022

September 29, 2022

December 1, 2022

C.) Client Security Fund Fee – Amount of Fee

The committee discussed whether, based on the amount available in the client security fund and the amount of claims pending against the fund, the judges of the Superior Court should be approached about a reduction in the client security fund fee. The committee reviewed information provided by Attorney Blanchard regarding pending claims and amounts paid from the client security fund over the past five fiscal years. After considering the matter the committee determined that it would take no action at this time, but will continue to monitor the amount available in the fund and the number and amount of pending claims in the event that the status of the fund would warrant such action in the future.

D.) Quarterly Report, July-September 2021

The committee took note of the quarterly report of its activities to the executive committee of the superior court for the period from July 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021.

E.) Client Security Fund Fee Due Date

The committee unanimously set June 15, 2022 as the due date for the 2022 client security fund fee.

III. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 2:47 p.m., with a meeting to consider matters exempt from F.O.I and confidential pursuant to Practice Book § 2-76 following immediately thereafter.

Respectfully submitted



Christopher G. Blanchard
Staff Attorney