

Rules Committee of the Superior Court
Monday, March 17, 2025
(Via Microsoft Teams)

Meeting Agenda

RC ID #

- 0210-MIN** Approval of the minutes from the February 10, 2025 meeting of the Rules Committee of the Superior Court.
- 2025-005** Proposal to amend Section 2-77 concerning the amount from the client security fund to be paid in any calendar year for the provision of crisis intervention and referral assistance to attorneys.
First time being considered.
a. Proposal (new material)
- 2025-006** Proposal to amend Section 2-27A concerning Minimum Continuing Legal Education (MCLE) to allow a portion of the hours required to be satisfied by providing pro bono services.
First time being considered.
a. Proposal (new material)
- 2025-001** Proposal to amend PB Section 10-35 concerning Requests to Revise.
Previously on the agenda on January 13, 2025.
a. Proposal
b. Comments from Judge Diana (new material)
c. Comments from CBA (new material)
d. Comments from CTLA (new material)
- 2023-011** Proposal for requirement that attorneys who use AI programs to conduct legal research, such as ChatGPT, append a certification to their pleadings and/or briefs that they have independently verified the accuracy of the citations therein.
Previously on the agenda on January 13, 2025. To be considered with RC ID # 2023-014.
a. Proposal
- 2023-014** Informational Memorandum - Public Acts 2023, No. 23-16, and AI Technology Generally.
Previously on the agenda on January 13, 2025. To be considered with RC ID # 2023-011.
a. Informational Memorandum by Counsel
b. Additional materials from the CBA
c. Materials on AI submitted with permission through Judge Bellis

2024-014 Proposal to amend Practice Book Sections 13-26, 13-28, 13-29 and 13-31, and to add new Section 13-28A, to reflect the adoption of the Interstate Depositions and Discovery Act in Connecticut.

Previously on the agenda on January 13, 2025.

- a. Proposal
- b. Comments from Judge Diana
- c. Comments from legal aid organizations
- d. Comments from the CDLA
- e. Comments from the Hartford County Bar Association
- f. Proposal from Subcommittee (new material)
- g. Proposal from Subcommittee - Clean Version (new material)

2024-016 Proposal for new rule concerning gender inclusive and sensitive terminology, to address the misgendering of individuals in Connecticut courts who are nonbinary or transgender.

Previously on the agenda on February 10, 2024. To be considered with RC ID# 2024-020.

- a. Proposal
- b. Comments on proposal from Troy Brown, DEI Director for the Judicial Branch
- c. Resource from NCSC re: Gender Inclusive Language in the Courts
- d. Proposal from Subcommittee
- e. Comments on behalf of CBA
- f. Additional comments on behalf of CBA
- g. Comments on behalf of CBA (new material)
- h. Alaska Jury Instructions (new material)
- i. Comments from Troy Brown, DEI Director for the Judicial Branch (new material)

2024-017 Proposal to amend PB Sections 3-16 and 3-21 concerning Certified Legal Interns.

Previously on the agenda on February 10, 2024.

- a. Proposal
- b. Comments on proposal from Eboni S. Nelson, Dean, UCONN School of Law
- c. Comments from Statewide Bar Counsel and Chief Disciplinary Counsel (new material)
- d. Comments from Zelda B. Harris, Dean, Western New England School of Law (new material)
- e. Comments from Heather K. Gerken, Dean, Yale Law School (new material)

2024-020 Proposal for adoption of rules concerning the use of names and pronouns for attorneys, parties, and witnesses.

Previously on the agenda on February 10, 2024. To be considered with RC ID# 2024-016.

- a. Proposal

2024-021 Proposal to amend PB Section 10-14 Proof of Service to comport with newly amended Section 10-13 Method of Service.

Previously on the agenda on January 13, 2025.

- a. Proposal
- b. Comments from Judge Diana (new material)
- c. Associated Amendments to PB Forms (new material)
- d. Comments from Judge Nguyen-O'Dowd (new material)

2025-002 Proposal to repeal PB Section 16-12, and to add a new rule, Section 15-9, that provides procedure where the trier of fact, whether by judge or jury, may conduct a view of a place or thing involved in a case.

Previously on the agenda on February 10, 2025.

a. Proposal

2025-007 Proposal by Assistant Reporter of Judicial Decisions to revise Section 7-17.

First time being considered.

a. Proposal (new material)

2025-008 Proposal to amend PB Section 2-15A to correct a reference to a subsection in the rule.

First time being considered.

a. Proposal (new material)

2025-MISC Such other matters as may come before the Rules Committee.