

## NOTICES

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### OFFICE OF THE CHIEF PUBLIC DEFENDER

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**THE OFFICE OF CHIEF PUBLIC DEFENDER  
IS NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR  
HANDLING CASE ASSIGNMENTS FOR  
NEXT FISCAL YEAR July 1, 2022 - June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
IN THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS ONLY:**

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#### CRIMINAL JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURTS:

Danbury JD  
Hartford JD  
Litchfield (Torrington) JD  
Middlesex JD  
New Haven JD  
Stamford JD  
Windham JD

#### CRIMINAL GEOGRAPHICAL AREA PART B COURTS:

GA 01 — Stamford  
GA 02 — Bridgeport  
GA 04 — Waterbury  
GA 10 — New London  
GA 11 — Danielson  
GA 12 — Manchester  
GA 18 — Litchfield (Torrington)  
GA 21 — Norwich  
GA 23 — New Haven

#### JUVENILE DELINQUENCY COURTS:

Hartford  
Torrington  
Waterbury  
Willimantic

#### CHILD PROTECTION COURTS:

Statewide.  
Please note: By advertising statewide we are not indicating there are openings in general, or in any particular court. *Applicants should submit their top 3 choices of court locations.*

#### STATE-RATE ATTORNEY FOR MINOR CHILD / GUARDIAN AD LITEM:

Statewide — locations not needed

Annual agreements will cover the period of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023. Compensation will be as follows:

FLAT RATE COMPENSATION *hourly billing only as approved*

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| JUDICIAL DISTRICT CASES                      | \$1000 per case |
| CRIMINAL GEOGRAPHICAL AREA CASES             | \$400 per case  |
| JUVENILE DELINQUENCY                         | \$400 per case  |
| CHILD PROTECTION CASES                       | \$500 per case  |
| ATTORNEY FOR MINOR CHILD / GUARDIAN AD LITEM | \$500 per case  |

HOURLY COMPENSATION

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| \$75 per hour for Felony cases      |
| \$50 per hour for Misdemeanor cases |
| \$50 per hour for Child Protection  |
| \$50 per hour for AMC/GAL cases     |

QUALIFICATIONS FOR PRACTICE AREAS

**JUDICIAL DISTRICT APPLICANTS:**

Attorneys approved to represent clients in JD courts must have at least 2 years of criminal litigation experience and at least 2 felony trials to verdict as lead or sole counsel.

**GEOGRAPHICAL AREA APPLICANTS:**

Attorneys approved to represent clients in GA courts will handle misdemeanor cases and felony cases. Applicants should possess a working knowledge of the criminal statutes, practice book, diversionary programs, and alternatives to incarceration.

**JUVENILE DELIQUENCY APPLICANTS**

Attorneys approved to represent client in Juvenile Delinquency courts will handle delinquency matters in closed proceedings. Applicants should have a working knowledge of the statutes that apply to delinquency proceedings, delinquency procedures, practice book, and alternatives to detention.

**CHILD PROTECTION APPLICANTS:**

Attorneys approved as Assigned Counsel for assignments in child protection matters will represent children and indigent parents in juvenile court matters dealing with abuse, neglect and termination of parental rights. Attorneys may also be appointed as guardian ad litem. The cases may also involve matters transferred from Probate Court and adoptions. Applicants will be required to participate in pre-service training and should possess general knowledge of the child protection statutes, the administration and policies of the Department of Children and Families.

**STATE-RATE ATTORNEY FOR MINOR CHILD / GUARDIAN AD LITEM:**

Attorneys approved as Assigned Counsel in state-rate attorney for minor child / guardian ad litem cases in family court will represent children from indigent families in family matters as appointed by the court.

IF INTERESTED: please download the application form from the public defender web site:

<https://portal.ct.gov/OCPD/Assigned-Counsel/Assigned-Counsel>

**APPLICATIONS ARE ACCEPTED FROM: November 2, 2021 through November 16, 2021 at 5:00 pm (two weeks and 1 day only, firm deadline).**

Send the application, cover letter and resume only via email (*USPS mail or fax not accepted*) to:

OCPD.AC.APPLICATIONS@PDS.CT.GOV

**All applications must be received no later than Tuesday,  
November 16th, 2021 by 5:00 PM.**

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**Appointment of Trustee**

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Pursuant to Practice Book § 2-64, on October 5, 2021 in docket number HHD-CV12-6034033-S Attorney Bruce Rubenstein (Juris No. 101333) of Hartford, Connecticut is appointed as trustee to take such steps are necessary to protect the interest of the respondent's clients, inventory the client files, receive the business mail, and take control of the Respondent's clients' funds, IOLTA, and all fiduciary accounts.

The Trustee shall not make any disbursements from said accounts without the prior authorization of the Court.

Susan Quinn Cobb  
*Presiding Judge*

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**Notice of Reprimand of Attorney**

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Pursuant to § 2-54 of the Connecticut Practice Book, notice is hereby given that on December 3, 2019 in Docket Number HHD-CV17-6082453-S, Attorney Joseph Elder, Juris No. 303175, is reprimanded.

Susan Quinn Cobb  
*Presiding Judge*

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