

Rules Committee Meeting  
Tuesday, December 18, 2018  
Supreme Court Building, Supreme Court Courtroom

Agenda

- 4-1. Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on November 19, 2018. **APPROVED**
- 4-2. Proposed new rule and form to include Medicare questions in standard discovery. (Item 3-8 on 11-19-18 agenda.) **FOLLOW UP DISCUSSION WITH JUDGE BRIGHT**
- 4-3. Proposal by the CT Chapter of The American Academy of Matrimonial lawyers (AAMI) to amend Section 25-5 (b) regarding the purchase or sale of securities in light of *O'Brien v. O'Brien*, 326 Conn. 81(2017). Comments from the Connecticut Bar Association and from Judges Albis and Abrams. (Item 1-4 on 9-17-18 agenda.) **TABLED. INVITE JUDGE ALBIS TO NEXT MEETING**
- 4-4. Proposal by Attorney Richard P. Weinstein regarding extensions of time under Gen. Stat. Section 51-183b. Comments from all Chief Administrative Judges. (Item 1-12 on 9-17-18 agenda.) **NO ACTION ... TO REQUEST COMMENTS FROM THE CBA'S LITIGATION SECTION**
- 4-5. Proposal by Deborah Gottschalk to amend the Client Security Fund Fee rules to add "individuals with disabilities" to the category of individuals who qualify for the total exemption from the CSF fee. Comments from Client Security Fund Committee (Attorney Christopher Blanchard) requesting until January 17, 2019, to review and comment on proposal. (Item 3-4 on 11-19-18 agenda.) **TABLED**
- 4-6. Legal Specialization Screening Committee (ISSC) recommendations regarding new and renewal applications for authority to certify lawyers as specialists: (First time being considered.)  
**APPROVED**  
Connecticut Bar Association- Residential Real Estate (new application)  
National Board of Trial Advocacy- Criminal law (renewal) (authority expires 2-22-19)  
National Board of Trial Advocacy- Civil Trial Practice (renewal) (authority expires 2-22-19)
- 4-7. legal Specialization Screening Committee (ISSC) proposed amendments to its application. (First time being considered.) **APPROVED**
- 4-8. Proposal by Mr. Robert Berriault for a rule to allow for a waiver of fees for certain applicants of the bar. (Item 3-6 on 11-19-18 agenda.) **NO ACTION**
- 4-9. Rescheduling of January 2019 Rules Committee meeting date from Monday, January 14, 2019 to Tuesday, January 22, 2019. **APPROVED**
- 4-10. Such other matters as may come before the Rules Committee.