



## CONNECTICUT PROBATE ASSEMBLY

### **ETHICS COMMITTEE MINUTES FROM MEETING February 27, 2025 9:30 a.m.**

In attendance: Judges Bartlett, Brandt, Darby, Gardner Riordan, Hoyle and PCA Chief Counsel Heather Dostaler.

#### **1. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 9:34 a.m.

#### **2. Approval of minutes of the December 4, 2024 meeting**

Judge Darby made a motion to approve the minutes. Judge Hoyle seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.

#### **3. General Discussion**

Judge Brandt informed the Committee members that the committee would be presenting for one hour and fifteen minutes at the March 13, 2025 educational seminar for the Probate Assembly. Judge Bartlett presented shared discussion points from the perspective of the Council on Probate Judicial Conduct as discussion points the presentation. Judge Brandt will prepare a draft presentation which will include various rules of the Code and cases as examples. Judge Gardner Riordan will moderate with Judges Bartlett, Darby, and Hoyle as panelists.

#### **4. Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned at 10:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Michael R. Brandt  
Committee Chair