



CONNECTICUT PROBATE ASSEMBLY

Meeting of the **Ethics Committee** September 17, 2026 9:30 a.m.

Present: Judges Michael R. Brandt, Elisa H. Bartlett, Michael Dolan, Clifford P. Hoyle, Martin Landgrebe, and Jeannine Lewis. Also present: Probate Court Administrator Beverly K. Streit.

1. Call to Order:

Judge Brandt called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

2. Approval of the Minutes:

A motion was made by Judge Lewis and seconded by Judge Dolan to approve the minutes of the April 16, 2026 meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

3. General Discussion:

Judge Brandt shared three (3) judicial ethics decisions from around the country. He will prepare communication to the Assembly at large in an ongoing endeavor to educate on ethics and awareness of ethical scenarios that have occurred.

The committee discussed various topics suggest for education trainings to the Continuing Education Committee.

Judge Bartlett reported that the Council of Probate Judicial Conduct meets regularly to review all complaints filed with it.

4. Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 10:32 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Beverly K. Streit
Probate Court Administrator