

CONFERENCE OF CIRCUIT JUDGES

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MEMBERS FROM 1ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: Alfred T. Truitt, Jr.
..... (410) 548-4822
Circuit Representative: Theodore R. Eschenburg, Sr.
..... (410) 632-0700

MEMBERS FROM 2ND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: J. Owen Wise
..... (410) 479-2303
Circuit Representative: John W. Sause, Jr.
..... (410) 758-0216

MEMBERS FROM 3RD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: Edward A. DeWaters, Jr.
..... (410) 887-2642
Circuit Representative: John G. Turnbull II
..... (410) 887-2647

MEMBERS FROM 4TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: Frederick C. Wright III
..... (301) 791-3111
Circuit Representative: Frederick A. Thayer III
..... (301) 334-1934

MEMBERS FROM 5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: Raymond G. Thieme, Jr.
..... (410) 222-1290
Circuit Representative: Cornelius F. Sybert, Jr.
..... (410) 313-2143

MEMBERS FROM 6TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: William M. Cave
..... (301) 217-7580
Circuit Representative: Paul H. Weinstein
..... (301) 217-7455

MEMBERS FROM 7TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: Graydon S. McKee III
..... (301) 952-3227
Circuit Representative: George W. Bowling
..... (301) 932-3250

MEMBERS FROM 8TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT:
Circuit Administrative Judge: Joseph H. H. Kaplan
..... (410) 396-5080
Circuit Representative: Clifton J. Gordy, Jr.
..... (410) 396-5062

The Conference of Circuit Judges originated as the Conference of Circuit Administrative Judges, which was formed on March 14, 1972 by rule of the Court of Appeals (Maryland Rules, Rule 1207). At that time, the Conference was composed solely of the eight administrative judges of the judicial circuits. On November 28, 1978, the Conference was reorganized as the Conference of Circuit Judges.

The Conference of Circuit Judges meets periodically to consider and make recommendations concerning the administration of justice and the circuit courts. The Conference also may initiate complaints to the Commission on Judicial Disabilities concerning alleged judicial misconduct or disability.

The Conference consists of sixteen members. Eight are the administrative judges of the eight judicial circuits. From each of the eight judicial circuits, the judges of each circuit elect a fellow judge to represent them at the Conference. The chairperson is elected by the Conference for a two-year term. The Administrative Office of the Courts serves as secretariat to the Conference.