

## **CANON 2**

A JUDGE SHALL PERFORM THE DUTIES OF JUDICIAL OFFICE IMPARTIALLY, COMPETENTLY, AND DILIGENTLY.

### **RULE 2.1: GIVING PRECEDENCE TO THE DUTIES OF JUDICIAL OFFICE**

### **RULE 2.2: IMPARTIALITY AND FAIRNESS**

### **RULE 2.3: BIAS, PREJUDICE, AND HARASSMENT**

### **RULE 2.4: EXTERNAL INFLUENCES ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT**

### **RULE 2.5: COMPETENCE, DILIGENCE, AND COOPERATION**

### **RULE 2.6: ENSURING THE RIGHT TO BE HEARD**

### **RULE 2.7: RESPONSIBILITY TO DECIDE**

### **RULE 2.8: DECORUM, Demeanor, AND COMMUNICATION WITH JURORS**

### **RULE 2.9: *EX PARTE* COMMUNICATIONS**

### **RULE 2.10: JUDICIAL STATEMENTS ON PENDING AND IMPENDING CASES**

### **RULE 2.11: DISQUALIFICATION**

### **RULE 2.12: SUPERVISORY DUTIES**

### **RULE 2.13: ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS AND HIRING**

### **RULE 2.14: DISABILITY AND IMPAIRMENT**

### **RULE 2.15: RESPONDING TO JUDICIAL AND LAWYER MISCONDUCT**

### **RULE 2.16: COOPERATION WITH DISCIPLINARY AUTHORITIES**

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