

UNITED STATES COURTS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

Advisory Committee on Judicial Conduct

The Advisory Committee, established by the United States Courts of the District of Columbia Circuit at the direction of the Judicial Conference of the United States, serves as an intermediary between individual lawyers and the formal judicial misconduct and disability complaint process. The Advisory Committee is charged with receiving and transmitting any concerns raised by members of the bar to each court's chief judge. The Advisory Committee does not have any authority to investigate or evaluate any concerns but serves solely as a vehicle for members of the bar to submit concerns anonymously. The Advisory Committee serves all three courts in the circuit (appeals, district, and bankruptcy).

The Advisory Committee is composed of five lawyers, the chief judge of District Court, and the chief judge of the Court of Appeals, who serves as chair. The lawyer members of the Advisory Committee were appointed by the chief judges for a three-year term.

Hon. Sri Srinivasan, Chair
Hon. Beryl A. Howell
Joe Caldwell
Karen A. Popp
Jennifer Ricketts
Gregory S. Smith
Grace Speights

Joe Caldwell
Partner
Steptoe & Johnson LLP
1330 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036
jcaldwell@steptoe.com
202-429-6455

Jennifer Ricketts
Branch Director, Civil Division
U.S. Department of Justice
1100 L Street, N.W., Rm. 11000
Washington, D.C. 20530
Jennifer.D.Ricketts@usdoj.gov
202-514-3671

Karen A. Popp
Partner
Sidley Austin LLP
1501 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005
kpopp@sidley.com
202-736-8053

Gregory S. Smith
Law Offices of Gregory S. Smith
913 East Capitol Street, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20003
gregsmithlaw@verizon.net
202-460-3381

Grace E. Speights

Partner

Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP

1111 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

grace.speights@morganlewis.com

202-739-5189