



Status Meeting Minutes

November 29, 2022

Call to Order: The meeting convened at 9:08 a.m. with the following present:

Holly Kessler, Chair
Isabel A. M. Cole, Member
Jack S. Eng, Member
Anita Booker-Hay, Chief Industrial Appeals Judge
Christy Sterling, Human Resources Manager
Bob Liston, Chief, Administrative Services
Brian Watkins, Chief Legal Officer
Jay Raish, Confidential Secretary

Changes to Agenda: None.

Approval of Minutes: The November 22, 2022 Status Meeting Minutes were approved.

Management Conference Follow-up: This matter is TICKED to the December 13, 2022 Status Meeting.

Management Update: Bob reported the court reporter committee is meeting tomorrow and the e-court conference is coming up. Brian reported on the rulemaking committee's suggestions. Anita reported on currently scheduled in-person proceedings; we plan to conduct Seattle site visits on December 6; we are reviewing requests for extended CLEs; as of December 1 mediators will have discretion to hold in-person proceedings; Assistant Chief Meng Li Che has been appointed to the Washington Court of Appeals, Division Two; and we will open a recruitment for an AC. Christy reported the IT position to fill behind Walter closed Sunday; on Friday we have the quarterly meeting with the judge's union; and next week we are meeting with the Federation about their demand to bargain after we moved interest desk duties.

Executive Session: The meeting entered Executive Session at 10:12 a.m. to discuss performance of a public employee.

Public Comment: None.

Adjournment: There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Jay Raish,
Confidential Secretary