

# State of Illinois Supreme Court

At a Term of the Supreme Court, begun and held in Springfield, on Monday, the 10th day of November, 2014.

Present: Rita B. Garman, Chief Justice  
Justice Charles E. Freeman                      Justice Robert R. Thomas  
Justice Thomas L. Kilbride                      Justice Lloyd A. Karmeier  
Justice Anne M. Burke                              Justice Mary Jane Theis

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M.R. 785(5)

In re: Judicial Conference of Illinois  
Juvenile Justice Committee

## Order

Effective January 1, 2015, the following members of the Judicial Conference are appointed to the Juvenile Justice Committee for terms expiring December 31, 2015, or until an appointee is no longer a member of the Judicial Conference, whichever occurs earlier:

Hon. Diane M. Lagoski  
Chief Judge  
Eighth Judicial Circuit  
Adams County Courthouse  
521 Vermont Street  
Quincy, IL 62301

Hon. Mary S. Schostok  
Presiding Judge  
Second District Appellate Court  
712 Florsheim Dr., Unit 10  
Libertyville, IL 60048

Hon. Kevin T. Lee  
Associate Judge  
Circuit Court of Cook County  
1500 Maybrook Dr.  
Maywood, IL 60153

Hon. Matthew L. Sullivan  
Circuit Judge  
Fifth Judicial Circuit  
115 W. Court Street  
Paris, IL 61944

Effective January 1, 2015, the following members of the Judicial Conference are reappointed to the Juvenile Justice Committee for terms expiring December 31, 2015, or until an appointee is no longer a member of the Judicial Conference, whichever occurs earlier:

Hon. James J. Allen  
Circuit Judge  
Twelfth Judicial Circuit  
River Valley Justice Center  
3210 W. McDonough St.  
Joliet, IL 60431

Hon. Jennifer H. Bauknecht  
Circuit Judge  
Eleventh Judicial Circuit  
Law and Justice Center  
110 N. Main Street  
Pontiac, IL 61764

Hon. Bobby G. Hardwick  
Circuit Judge  
Eighth Judicial Circuit  
100 E. Springfield St.  
P.O. Box 137  
Virginia, IL 62691

Hon. Stuart P. Katz  
Associate Judge  
Circuit Court of Cook County  
1100 S. Hamilton Ave., Rm G022N  
Chicago, IL 60612

Hon. Richard P. Klaus  
Associate Judge  
Sixth Judicial Circuit  
Champaign Co. Courthouse  
101 E. Main Street  
Urbana, IL 61801

Hon. Robert G. Kleeman  
Circuit Judge  
Eighteenth Judicial Circuit  
DuPage Co. Courthouse  
505 N. County Farm Rd.  
Wheaton, IL 60187

Hon. Kimberly G. Koester  
Circuit Judge  
Fourth Judicial Circuit  
Effingham County Courthouse  
120 W. Jefferson Ave., Ste 101  
Effingham, IL 62401

Hon. David K. Overstreet  
Circuit Judge  
Second Judicial Circuit  
100 S. 10<sup>th</sup> Street  
P.O. Box 1266  
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

Hon. Colleen F. Sheehan  
Circuit Judge  
Circuit Court of Cook County  
1100 S. Hamilton Ave., Rm G038S  
Chicago, IL 60612

Hon. April G. Troemper  
Associate Judge  
Seventh Judicial Circuit  
Sangamon County Complex  
200 S. 9<sup>th</sup> St., Rm 518  
Springfield, IL 62701

Effective January 1, 2015, the following person is reappointed as Professor-Reporter to the Juvenile Justice Committee for a term expiring December 31, 2015:

Lawrence Schlam  
Professor of Law  
Northern Illinois University School of Law  
270 Swen Parson Hall  
DeKalb, IL 60115

Effective January 1, 2015, the Honorable Jennifer H. Bauknecht is reappointed chairperson for a term expiring December 31, 2015.

Order entered by the Court.

**FILED**

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**SUPREME COURT  
CLERK**



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of said Court this 31<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2014.

*Carlynn Toff Goodball*  
Clerk,  
Supreme Court of the State of Illinois



## Illinois Judicial Conference Juvenile Justice Committee

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### **CONFERENCE YEAR 2015**

#### *Statement of Purpose:*

To advise the Judicial Conference in matters affecting juvenile justice.

#### *General Charge:*

The Committee shall review and make recommendations on matters affecting juvenile justice. The Committee will review, analyze and examine new issues arising out of legislation and case law that impact juvenile law and procedures and any aspect of juvenile justice.

#### *Conference Year 2015 Projects/Priorities:*

- Explore increasing the maximum age, which currently is 15 years of age, at which DCFS can be appointed guardian of an adjudicated juvenile delinquent.
- Explore developing a web based clearinghouse for programs created by juvenile judges to be available to all judges as a resource guide.
- Collaborate with the IJC Committee on Education on creating a bi-annual conference for juvenile court judges.
- Undertake any such other projects or initiatives that are consistent with the Committee charge.