

CRIMINAL JUSTICE ADVISORY BOARD
MINUTES – FEBRUARY 5, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 p.m., State's Attorney Margaret Kelly in the chair.

Present: Chief State's Attorney Patrick Griffin; *State's Attorneys*: Margaret E. Kelley (Ansonia-Milford); Joseph T. Corradino (Bridgeport); David R. Applegate (Danbury); Sharmese L. Walcott (Hartford); David Shannon (Litchfield); Christian M. Watson (New Britain); John P. Doyle (New Haven), Jr.; Paul J Narducci (New London); Paul J. Ferencek (Stamford); Matthew C. Gedansky (Tolland); Maureen Platt (Waterbury); Anne F. Mahoney (Windham); *Deputy Chief State's Attorneys* John Russotto (Administration), Kevin Lawlor (Operations), Robert Devlin (Inspector General); OCSA staff.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting: Moved: P. Ferencek Second: A. Mahoney. Unanimous

Reports of Committees:

Management: The management committee is completing revisions of DCJ position descriptions. A statewide policy for inspectors' cell phones is being considered.

Operations: A statewide conflicts policy has been completed and ready for adoption. On the motion of J. Corradino seconded by M. Kelly, the policy was adopted unanimously.

Peer Review: Only four state's attorneys (Gedansky, Corradino, Narducci, and Mahoney) are scheduled for review this year. Submissions are due on March 15.

Conflicts: P. Ferencek – conflict matter referred to Bridgeport in accordance with policy adopted today.

Other Business: The chief state's attorney reviewed the provisions of the Trust Act and asked to be kept informed of ICE activities. ICE interaction at district level is to be handled directly by the State's Attorney. M. Kelly raised issue of Apple phones resetting after 72 hours and the loss of evidence and search and seizure issues. A. Mahoney noted that the Ann Frank exhibit is in New York. It was also announced that the oldest living Waterbury police officer is the father of a current inspector and is over 100 years old.

Adjournment: Time: On the motion of P. Griffin seconded by P. Ferencek the meeting adjourned at 1:10.p.m.

Respectfully submitted.

J. Corradino, Secretary