

**South Carolina
House of Representatives**



**Ad Hoc Committee to Examine the
Judicial Selection and Retention Process in South Carolina**

1. How can the General Assembly improve the constitutionally required process?
2. What can the General Assembly do to enhance the practice of being a judge and to enhance the public's confidence in judges?
3. As the committee examines the judicial system, pay special attention to the magistrate system in South Carolina.

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Tuesday, November 7, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 110 - Blatt Building

The meeting will stream online and be archived. A link to the stream can be accessed at <https://scstatehouse.gov/>. Additionally, individuals may submit written testimony to HJudComm@schouse.gov, and a public input meeting will be held later.

AMENDED - AGENDA

- I. Welcome
- II. Discussion of ad hoc committee administrative matters, including future meetings and public input opportunities
- III. Chief Justice Donald W. Beatty, South Carolina Supreme Court
- IV. Justice John W. Kittredge, South Carolina Supreme Court
- V. Professor Scott Bauries, South Carolina School of Law
- VI. Judge Ned Mangum, North Carolina 10th Judicial Circuit for Wake County
- VII. Mr. Kirk Cox, 55th Speaker (2018 to 2020) of the Virginia House of Delegates (1990 – 2022)
- VIII. Dr. William Raftery, Senior Management Analyst with the National Center for State Courts
- IX. Ms. Emma T. Dean, Executive Director of the South Carolina Bar Association
- X. Adjournment