



JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS PANEL

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The Thirtieth Public Meeting of the Judicial Proceedings Panel will be held on Friday, May 19, 2017 in Arlington, Virginia.

Arlington, VA - The thirtieth public meeting of the Judicial Proceedings Panel (“JPP” or “the Panel”) will be held on Friday, May 19, 2017, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Arlington at Ballston, 4610 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22203.

The Judicial Proceedings Panel is an independent federal advisory committee established by the Secretary of Defense in June 2014, in accordance with section 576(a)(2) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013. The Judicial Proceedings Panel is tasked to conduct an independent review and assessment of military judicial proceedings for adult sexual assault offenses since Fiscal Year 2012, for the purpose of developing recommendations to Congress and the Secretary of Defense for improvements to such proceedings.

At this meeting, the Panel will receive a presentation from the JPP Subcommittee on the Subcommittee’s Report on Barriers to the Fair Administration of Military Justice in Sexual Assault Cases. The Panel will deliberate on the JPP sexual assault adjudication data for fiscal year 2015. The Panel will also deliberate on the JPP Report on Military Sexual Assault Investigations and the JPP Report on Victims’ Appellate Rights.

The Panel welcomes input from the public on these topics and other issues under consideration by the JPP. Requests to make public comment, submission of written comments or materials, and any other inquiries may be directed to Ms. Julie Carson at Julie.k.carson.civ@mail.mil or (703) 693-3849.

This meeting is open to the public. Seating for the meeting is limited and available on a first-come basis.

More information about the Panel, including the meeting agenda and materials for the meeting, is available on the JPP’s website at <http://jpp.whs.mil>. In the event the Office of Personnel Management closes the government due to inclement weather or for any other reason, please consult the JPP website for any changes to public meeting dates or time.