

1 **Rule ~~14-503~~11-510. Ethics and Discipline Committee composition.**

2 (a) **Composition.** The Supreme Court appoints the Committee ~~members shall be~~
3 ~~appointed by the Supreme Court.~~ The Committee ~~shall~~ consists of ~~eight~~ four public
4 members and 21 ~~29~~ 1 ~~Lawyers of the Bar~~ who have demonstrated a high standard of
5 professional conduct. All appointments ~~shall be~~ are for a term of three years with no
6 Committee member serving more than two ~~2~~ consecutive terms unless appointed as a
7 chair or vice chair of the Committee. The Supreme Court ~~shall~~ designates one 1 ~~Lawyer~~
8 member as Committee chair and four 1 ~~Lawyer~~ members as Committee vice chairs.

9 (b) **Committee chair.** The Committee chair ~~shall~~ supervises the Committee and
10 screening panels. The chair is responsible ~~to~~ for:

11 (1) maintaining an adequate check on the screening panels' work ~~of the screening~~
12 ~~panels~~ to ensure that matters move forward expeditiously;
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14 (2) ~~to~~ determine that screening panels have a uniform basis for the judgments
15 rendered;
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17 (3) ~~and to~~ provide the screening panels with information concerning ethics
18 and judicial decisions necessary to their activities; and

19 (4) ~~The chair shall make~~ making recommendations to the Supreme Court
20 concerning appointments to and removals from the screening panels and reports
21 concerning the screening panel activities ~~of the screening panels~~ and the overall
22 work of the Committee.

23 (c) **Vice chairs.** The Committee vice chairs ~~shall~~ will act ~~in the event of if~~ the chairs is
24 ~~absent~~ or resignations. In the such event ~~of the chairs absence or resignation~~, a vice
25 chair will become the chair. The chair may call upon any vice chair to assist in any of
26 the Committee chair's duties.

(d) **Removal.** The Committee chair may recommend removal of a Committee member
by notifying the Supreme Court of the recommendation of removal and reasons for the

- 27 [recommendation. The removal is effective when the Supreme Court accepts the](#)
- 28 [recommendation.](#)
- 29 [Effective December 15, 2020](#)