The ABA Public Contract Law Section Alternative Dispute Resolution Committee,
the National Conference of Administrative Law Judiciary ADR Committee,
and the Interagency ADR Working Group Contracts and Procurement Section

Present —

The Judge/Mediator Dilemma:
Separating the Mediator and Adjudicator Roles at
Federal Procurement Forums

Cost:	No charge!
Date:	October 18, 2012
Time:	Noon to 1:30 P.M. (EDT)
Place:	Arnold & Porter LLP
	555 12th Street, N.W., RM 300
	Washington, D.C. 20004
	(Near Metro Center Metro Station)

Sandwiches and drinks for $8.00 (cash-only) will be available at the conference location before the program start time of noon.   Doors open at 11:30.

A dial-in option is available. Telephone numbers and passcodes will be distributed a day or two before the event to those who register online. Any number of listeners can participate at a dial-in location.

Presentation Description	Our Guest Speakers
All federal procurement dispute forums offer mediation using judges. Our panel of experienced mediator-judges will discuss the ethical and procedural challenges they face when they serve as an "adjudicator" or as a "mediator." Topics include: • The limits, if any, on evaluative mediation; • Serving both roles in one case; • Sources of law and ethical guidance; • Best practices for judges who conduct mediations; • Written opinions when serving as a mediator; • The judge-mediator's role when drafting settlement agreements; • And more!	**Judge Marian Horn,** U.S. Court of Federal Claims **Judge Paul Williams, Chairman, Armed Services** Board of Contract Appeals **Judge Richard C. Walters,** U.S. Civilian Board of Contract Appeals **Judge Sharon Larkin,** U.S. Government Accountability Office Contract Appeals Board **Judge John Dietrich,** Federal Aviation Administration Office of Dispute Resolution for Acquisition

Online registration opens September 19, 2012:
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https://apps.americanbar.org/dch/committee.cfm?com=JC003100