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### **Michigan Supreme Court Appoints New Grievance Administrator**

*Former Assistant Attorney General will oversee investigative, prosecutorial arm of the Court*

LANSING, MI, September 16, 2019 – The Michigan Supreme Court has appointed Michael V. Goetz to the position of Grievance Administrator for the [Michigan Attorney Grievance Commission \(AGC\)](#). Goetz will oversee the prosecutorial and educational functions of the AGC. The appointment is effective September 23, 2019.

“Mr. Goetz has both the management skills and professional experience to make sure the AGC continues to protect the public and hold the legal profession accountable,” said Chief Justice Bridget M. McCormack. “Just as important, Mr. Goetz has a deep commitment to public service and great ideas on how to engage the public and the bar in the Commission’s critical mission, and to manage and inspire AGC staff.”

Goetz received a bachelor’s degree from Michigan State University in 1983 and a juris doctorate from Detroit College of Law in 1988. He most recently worked in the Michigan Office of the Attorney General, serving as Senior Assistant Attorney General in the Criminal Division’s Drug Interdiction Unit for six years. In addition to more than 30 years of experience in prosecution at the state and county levels, Goetz also currently serves his community as an emergency medical technician-firefighter for the Orion Township Fire Department.

The [Attorney Grievance Commission](#) is the investigative and prosecutorial arm of the Michigan Supreme Court for allegations of attorney misconduct. The AGC has jurisdiction over all attorneys licensed to practice law by the state Bar of Michigan and attorneys otherwise permitted to practice law in the State of Michigan. The AGC strives to maintain and promote the integrity of the Bar and to protect the public, the courts, and the legal profession.

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