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"The Associate Judge Election Process in Cook County Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 39."

Advocates Society, September 22, 2021

Honorable Jonathan Clark Green



Judge Jonathan Clark Green, the current President of the Advocates Society, has over 34 years of legal experience in both the public and private sectors, in state and federal courts. Elected as a full Cook County Circuit Judge from the 8th Subcircuit this past year, Judge Green currently serves in the Traffic Division of the Circuit Court of Cook County. Judge Green was formerly a Supervising Attorney in the City of Chicago Department of Law, where he practiced civil rights and torts litigation, including supervising *Monell* policy claims filed against the City, as well as other claims involving complex discovery, motion and trial practice. Prior to joining the bench, Judge Green practiced in nearly all divisions of the Circuit Court of Cook County throughout his career. In the private sector, he worked to recognize

and enforce child support and maintenance payments and to protect defrauded senior citizens as a Special Assistant Attorney General working in securities fraud litigation. Prior to working at the Corporation Counsel's Office, he was Principal of Green & Green, P.C. and Of Counsel to Rock, Fusco & Garvey, Ltd. Judge Green is also a former Assistant Attorney General in the Illinois Attorney's General Office, and worked on the legal staff of the Illinois House of Representative in Springfield. A graduate, *with distinction*, of the Georgetown University Law Center's master's degree program in international and comparative law, Judge Green has diverse backgrounds in international litigation and transactional matters. He also was a fellow of the American Society of International Law in Washington, D.C., and previously worked in both in Brussels and Chicago for European, Asian and American clients.

Judge Green is a native of Chicago's northwest side and a second generation Polish-American. He received his J.D. degree from the IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law and his B.A. degree from Columbia University in New York. Active in various charities in the Chicago area, Judge Green is an advisory member of the Board of Directors of the Little City Foundation for the developmentally disabled, where he is guardian for two of his siblings. He is also a volunteer with his wife Monica for Top Box Foods, providing fresh foods for Chicago's neediest communities on the City's south and west sides.