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Minority Trial Lawyers Caucus Luncheon



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Location

Friday, November 18, 2016
Hilton Meadowlands, East Rutherford, NJ
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Why I Became A Secular Minister For Justice

Justice James H. Coleman, Jr. (ret.)



The Honorable James H. Coleman, Jr. was the first African-American to serve in the Supreme Court of New Jersey. Appointed by Gov. Christine Todd Whitman in 1994, Justice Coleman served as an associate justice until his retirement in 2003.

Justice Coleman began his judicial career in July 1964 when he became the first African-American to be appointed Judge, New Jersey Division of Workers' Compensation. Between 1960 and 1970, he also was in private practice. In 1973, Justice Coleman was appointed Judge, Union County Court, and in 1978 he was appointed to Judge of the Superior Court where he served in both the Civil and Criminal Divisions. In 1981, Justice

Coleman was the first African-American to be appointed to the Appellate Division. He served as a Presiding Judge in the Appellate Division from 1987 until his appointment to the Supreme Court in 1994.

Justice Coleman has written approximately 2,000 opinions, of which approximately 400 have been published. He has also published several Law Review Articles.

Following his long judicial career, Justice Coleman joined Porzio, Bromberg & Newman P.C. as Of Counsel. He focuses his practice on advising attorneys and clients on appellate strategy and on acting as a mediator or arbitrator of complex, private and public disputes.

Program Agenda:

12:00 pm - Luncheon Begins
12:10 pm - Welcome/Introduction: Priscilla Jimenez, Esq. & Eric D. Dakhari, Esq.
12:15 pm - Keynote Speaker: Justice James H. Coleman, Jr. (ret.)
12:45 pm - Question & Answer

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