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(As Amended by House Amendment Schedule "A")

**"AN ACT CONCERNING RULES OF COURT."**

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1 Strike subsection (c) of section 6 in its entirety and insert the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(c) If a preliminary investigation indicates that probable cause  
4 exists that the judge, compensation commissioner or family support  
5 magistrate is guilty of conduct under section 51-51i, the council shall  
6 hold a hearing concerning the conduct or complaint. All hearings held  
7 pursuant to this subsection shall be open. A judge, compensation  
8 commissioner or family support magistrate appearing before such a  
9 hearing shall be entitled to counsel, to present evidence and to cross-  
10 examine witnesses. The council shall make a record of all proceedings  
11 pursuant to this subsection. After all evidence and arguments have  
12 been presented at such hearing, the council shall determine whether  
13 the judge, compensation commissioner or family support magistrate is  
14 guilty of conduct under section 51-51i. The council shall not later than

15 thirty days after the close of such hearing publish its findings together  
16 with a memorandum of its reasons therefor. The entire record of the  
17 proceedings pursuant to this subsection including any complaint,  
18 transcripts and statements and other documents introduced into  
19 evidence during such proceedings shall be open for public inspection,  
20 except that any information that would be exempt from disclosure  
21 under subsection (b) of section 1-210 may be removed or redacted."