



NATIONAL TRAINING

- Produced 35 formal weekly newsletter and Commission updates via the Commission's website
- Updated and expanded training curriculums for Rules, Commissioners and State Councils
- Held nine Rule training sessions to over 540 ICJ Compact Office staff
- Provided three training sessions at the 2010 Annual Business Meeting
- Offered Rule amendment training post Annual Meeting
- Provided technical and training assistance to over 200 field staff
- Posted recorded Rules Training on Commission Website
- Trained over 2,400 people to date in FY '11
- Published a Bench Book reference for Judges
- Presented to the American Probation and Parole Association and the National Conference of Juvenile and Family Court Judges

MEETINGS

- Held the 2010 Annual Business Meeting in San Antonio, TX
- Organized and hosted 46 region and committee meetings
- Organized and hosted two face-to-face meetings
- Conducted three site visits for the 2012 Annual Meeting



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Strategic Initiatives

Mid-Year Update from the Chair

Each year, the Executive Committee reviews its strategic plan to establish and revise goals. The Commission is just halfway through fiscal year 2011 and I am amazed at how much we have accomplished in such a short period of time. As you read this mid-year report, I hope you too are inspired by all we have accomplished. I would like to thank the members of the Commission for your continued support, assistance and cooperation.

Terry L. Clark
Chair

TECHNOLOGY ADVANCEMENTS

The implementation of a national system will transform the way we do business. After approving the functional requirements for a national system, the Technology Committee obtained proposals for development. As an alternative to a content management database system, the Technology Committee considered software options for forms management and prepared the ICJ Forms for automation. In addition, the Technology Committee engaged the SEARCH group to assist the Commission in making decisions regarding our technology needs. SEARCH, the National Consortium for Justice Information and Statistics, is a nonprofit membership organization created by and for the states. Their primary objective is to identify and help solve information management problems. For more information on SEARCH, visit: www.search.org.

To further assist states, the national office developed an airline matrix to define travel procedures for juveniles. Member states also provided transfer data on juveniles moving through the Compact.

WEBSITE STATISTICS www.juvenilecompact.org

7,580

Unique Visitors: 28 per day

23,286

Total Visits: 86 per day

118,238

Average Page Views: 435 per day

1,960

LEGISLATIVE EFFORTS

The Executive Committee approved contacting the Governor, Attorney General, Speaker of the House, Senate President and Compact Administrator in non-member states encouraging them to introduce new Compact legislation. At the 2010 Annual Meeting, the Commission approved requiring non-member states to provide a bill number and legislation to qualify for an extension of the Transition Rules. Indiana, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio and the District of Columbia have legislation pending this session.

RULE DEVELOPMENT

After establishing a business calendar, the Rules Committee prepared thirty-eight proposals for new rules and rule amendments. To assist states in understanding and interpreting ICJ Rules, four formal advisory opinions are available on the Commission's website: Rule 5-101 (superseded by Rule change); applicability of ICJ with Sovereign Tribal Nations; applicability of ICJ with undocumented immigrants; and HIPAA exemptions for ICJ.

ENFORCING COMPLIANCE

The Compliance Committee assisted in resolving three separate disputes between member states. They also continued their efforts to enforce the Dues Collection Policy.

STATE COUNCIL DEVELOPMENT

Region Chairs offer regional assistance through meetings and discussions, as well as surveying member states on their state council development, membership, meetings, etc. The Training Committee provided workshops and training materials which are available on the Commission's website.