

**VIRGINIA:**

*In the Supreme Court of Virginia held at the Supreme Court Building in the City of Richmond on Wednesday the 21st day of October, 2015.*

It is ordered that Section III of the Rules for Integration of the Virginia State Bar, Part Six of the Rules of Court, be amended, to become effective immediately, by adding the following commentary to Canon 4(C):

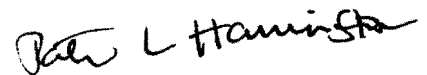
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**Comment on subdivision C(2)** – A judge may serve on a governmental committee or commission concerned with issues of fact or policy, provided the judge’s role is limited to discussion of and voting on matters (i) which involve the improvement of the law, the legal system or the administration of justice, and (ii) that are not issues in specific cases pending before or likely to come before the judge. This may include serving on committees or task forces created by the executive and legislative branches of state government or by local governments to review policies affecting entities that interact with the judicial system.

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