

**The Honorable Steven I. Platt (Ret.)** retired from the Prince George’s County Circuit Court, 7<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit, where he had management responsibility for all “Complex Civil Non-Family Cases”, including the supervision of all settlement conferencing, mediating and scheduling of these complex civil cases. Judge Platt served on the Bench for over twenty-five years as both a District and Circuit Court Judge. He is the acknowledged architect of the Maryland Business Technology Case Management Program. Judge Platt is currently engaged in private mediation and arbitration of complex civil litigation, and is a Retired Recalled Judge in all Circuits of Maryland. Judge Platt has taught the use of mediation and arbitration in resolving Business Disputes to Judges and Lawyers both in Maryland and nationally through both The Judicial Education Program of The American Enterprise Institute (AEI) Brookings Joint Center for Regulatory Studies, on whose Judicial Advisory Board he has served, and through The American College of Business Court Judges of which he is a Past President.