

The Honorable Dennis M. Sweeney (Ret.) retired from the Howard County Circuit Court, 5th Judicial Circuit, where he served over 15 years on the Bench. Judge Sweeney was in the first group of judges to be designated for the Judiciary's Business and Technology Program to handle complex commercial cases. Prior to being appointed to the Bench, Judge Sweeney was Deputy Attorney General for the State of Maryland. Judge Sweeney continues to sit on criminal and civil cases as a Retired Judge in Baltimore City and Howard, Montgomery, Anne Arundel and Carroll Counties. In addition, Judge Sweeney serves as an Alternate Land Commissioner for the U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland, as a private mediator and arbitrator, and as a column writer for the Maryland Daily Record. Judge Sweeney has served on numerous committees of the Maryland Judicial Conference as well as served as a member of the Executive Committee of the Maryland Circuit Judges Association. He graduated from Loyola College and Georgetown University Law Center.