

At the November 25, 2013 meeting of the Commission, Leslie Seid-Margolis, Denise Shaffer, and Ellen Callegary were asked to draft language for training of Administrative Law Judges (ALJs). Here is what they propose:

*At least once a year, the Administrative Law Judges will be trained by trainers selected by MSDE from lists provided by parent and advocacy groups. In the event that the trainers are parents of children with disabilities or attorneys who represent children with disabilities, those trainers will be attorneys who do not practice law in Maryland and/or parents who do not reside in Maryland and whose children do not attend Maryland schools.*