

District 8 Report  
Judge Ann Breen-Greco  
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District 8 has added a new member, Judge Micheline Ilongo of the Democratic Republic of the Congo who has relocated to Illinois. Welcome to Judge Ilongo. I spent six days at the American Bar Association annual meeting including two days at the House of Delegates meeting casting votes on resolutions. I have provided the report and resolutions for distribution to Directors. Additionally, I talked with Judge Heather Welch, our Indiana State Chair, who is heading the planning efforts for the 2023 conference to be held in Indianapolis. I pledged our support and asked individual members to get in touch with her if they feel they are able to make a contribution to the conference planning. I also participated in the Youth Outreach program for the ABA Judicial Division Standing Committee on Diversity in the Judiciary program. We met with youth from One City Chicago, a program sponsored by Chicago Mayor Lori Lightfoot. 80 young people were in attendance. I also participated in the business meeting for the Commission on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity, of which I am a Commissioner, discussing the many anti-trans gender legislative initiatives in at least 26 states. Additionally, as the Judicial Division's liaison to the Commission on Women in the Profession I attended the business meeting to discuss some opportunities for collaborative work.