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FEDERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON JUVENILE JUSTICE TO HOLD WEBINAR MEETING

WASHINGTON — The Federal Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice will convene via webinar on February 6. Composed of members of state advisory groups on juvenile justice, the committee advises the President and Congress on matters related to juvenile justice, evaluates the progress and accomplishments of juvenile justice activities and projects, and advises the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Administrator on the work of OJJDP.

At the meeting, the committee will discuss and vote on subcommittee recommendations regarding educating the juvenile justice field, facilitating compliance with the Juvenile Justice Reform Act, and other special topics. OJJDP Administrator Caren Harp will make opening and closing remarks.

WHAT: Webinar Meeting of the Federal Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice

- WHO: Caren Harp, Administrator, OJJDP Elizabeth Wolfe, Designated Federal Official, OJJDP Joseph Vignati, Chair, FACJJ
- WHEN: Thursday, February 6, 2020 2 p.m. – 3 p.m. EST

WHERE: <u>https://facjj.ojp.gov/meetings</u>

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