



HON. RUDOLPH E. GRECO, JR.

Justice, Supreme Court of the State of New York, Queens County (Ret.)

Hon. Rudolph E. Greco, Jr. presided over thousands of jury trials and settlement conferences as a Justice of the Supreme Court, Eleventh Judicial District, Queens County. During his tenure on the bench, he heard a wide variety of personal injury matters including motor vehicle accidents, slip and fall, premises liability, and construction related labor law claims, medical malpractice matters, construction litigation, business/commercial, contract law, real estate entertainment and sports law disputes.

Judge Greco is well known for his integrity and broad range of knowledge of the law through his years of experience on the bench and private practice. Judge Greco relies upon his negotiation skills and empathic demeanor when conferencing cases or listening to both sides of an argument. He understands the needs of both sides in furtherance of his goal to assist the parties in reaching a resolution.

Prior to serving on the bench, Judge Greco, was engaged in private practice litigating civil, criminal and administrative matters. In addition to his litigation practice, Judge Greco handled transactional real estate matters, commercial landlord tenant disputes, commercial contracts, trusts and estates, and sport/entertainment matters. He has argued matters before the New York Court of Appeals and the United States Supreme Court. He also served as Pro Bono Counsel to the Metropolitan Amateur Boxing Federation and The Renaissance Charter School.

Judge Greco is civic minded and has focused his time and efforts in giving back to the community by coaching Pop Warner Football, organizing a benefit for Police Officer Steven McDonald, and serving as president of the Jackson Heights Beautification Group, where he advocated for landmarking of the Jackson Heights Historic District in Queens, better quality public schools, and increased police and municipal services.

Judge Greco, Jr. is available to arbitrate and mediate cases throughout the State of New York.

AREAS of EXPERIENCE

- Administrative law
- Business/Commercial
- Construction
- Entertainment
- Labor Law
- Medical Malpractice
- Negligence/Torts
- Personal Injury
- Premises Liability
- Real Estate
- Sports Law

HONORS and AWARDS

- Citizen of the Year, New York Police Department (NYPD), 1992
- Judge of the Year, Catholic Lawyers Guild, Queens County, 2013
- Judge of the Year, Columbian Lawyers Association, Queens County, 2015

JUDICIAL EXPERIENCE

- Justice of the Supreme Court, 11th Judicial District, Queens County, 2012 – 2020
- New York Civil Court Judge, Queens County, 2007 – 2011

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

- Attorney, Solo Practitioner, Private Practice, 1974 – 2007

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES and ADMISSIONS

- New York City Teacher, 1967-1970
- New York State, Appellate Division, Second Department, 1974
- United States Supreme Court, 1977
- United States District Court of the Eastern and Southern Districts, 1975
- 2nd Circuit Court of Appeals, 1975

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS and ASSOCIATIONS

- Member, Secretary and Chairman Queens County Bar Association, Committee on the Judiciary
- Charter Member, Committee on Professional Sports, New York State Bar
- Member, Queens County Bar Association
 - Chairman, Sports and Entertainment Law
 - Chairman, Committee on the Judiciary
- Columbian Lawyers Association, Queens County
- Catholic Lawyers Guild of Queens County
- New York State Bar Association
 - Judiciary Committee

EDUCATION

- Law Office Clerkship, 1970 – 1974
- Hebrew Union College, Graduate Studies, 1968 – 1969
- St. John’s University, Graduate Studies, 1966 – 1967
- St. John’s University, B.A., 1966