HON. TERENCE A. ZEMETIS
Connecticut Superior Court Judge (ret.)

## EDUCATION

Law School           Union University, Albany Law School
Graduated:          June, 1977
Degree:             Juris Doctorate

College               University of Connecticut
Graduated:          May, 1974
Degree:             Bachelor of Arts, cum laude

## LEGAL EXPERIENCE

May 1977 - May 2008    Connecticut lawyer – civil trial practice in state and federal courts
May 2008 – December 2018   Connecticut Superior Court Judge

February 2019 – present Terence A. Zemetis, P.C. ADR/Conflict Resolution

While a lawyer, Judge Zemetis tried several hundred cases in the State and Federal Courts of Connecticut, the Connecticut Workers Compensation Commission and other administrative agencies, state and federal, within the State of Connecticut. He successfully handled appeals in the Second Circuit Court of Appeal, the Connecticut Supreme Court, and the Connecticut Appellate Court.

Judge Zemetis, as a lawyer and later as a judge, participated in over 2800 arbitration or mediation proceedings resolving disputes involving: aviation, construction, contract, employment, insurance, personal injury, professional negligence and products liability. He was actively involved in the Connecticut Judicial ADR program.

During his years as a Connecticut Superior Court Judge, he handled civil and criminal court dockets. He presided over both criminal and civil jury cases, court trials, special proceedings cases and the foreclosure and housing dockets. During his last four years on the bench he managed the Connecticut Complex Civil Litigation Docket in Waterbury Connecticut presiding over aviation, business disputes, construction, employment, insurance, negligence, products liability including medical devices, and professional negligence.

He created an ADR/Conflict Resolution practice following his retirement, www.TerenceZemetis.com focused on serious and multi-party litigation and conflicts outside or not yet in the court system.

Judge Zemetis is a licensed and instrument rated private pilot and the owner of a private aircraft.