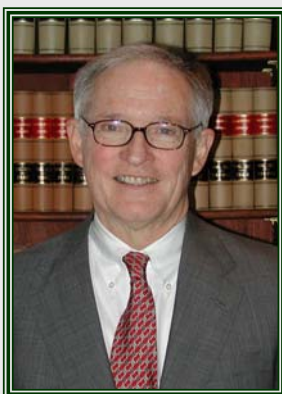


## 2012 Panel of Neutrals

### Professional Profiles

#### THE HON. CHRISTOPHER J. ARMSTRONG (RET.)



- ↘ Before joining REBA Dispute Resolution, Chris Armstrong served on the Massachusetts Appeals Court bench from 1972 until his retirement in July of 2006-over 30 years. From 2000 to 2006 he served as the Court's Chief Justice and was instrumental in expanding the Court's bench from 14 to 25 judges, eliminating the Court's case backlog for the first time in 16 years. He served as the first Chairman of the Supreme Judicial Court's Committee on Judicial Ethics from 1988 until 1998. He was also a member of the Executive Committee of the Chief Judges Council of the National Center of State Courts for five years until his retirement as Chief Justice of the Appeals Court.
- ↘ Prior to joining the Appeals Court he served in the administration of Governor John Volpe. He was an Assistant Attorney General under Elliot Richardson. He also served as Chief Legal Counsel to Governor Francis W. Sargent from 1969 to 1971 and as Undersecretary of Administration until his appointment to the Appeals Court in 1972.
- ↘ He graduated from Yale College in 1958 and Yale Law School in 1961.

Mediator

Arbitrator

Case Evaluator

#### THE HON. SUZANNE V. DEL VECCHIO (RET.)



- ↘ Judge Del Vecchio served on the Superior Court bench from 1985 through 2006. She served as Chief Justice of the Superior Court from 1999 through 2004 and was instrumental in the establishment of the Court's pioneering business session. From 1990 to 1992 she served as the Court's Regional Administrative Justice for Plymouth County. Judge Del Vecchio also teaches at Boston University School of Law. Prior to her appointment to the bench she served as president of the Massachusetts Association of Women Lawyers and secretary of the Massachusetts Academy of Trial Attorneys.
- ↘ A graduate of Wheaton College and Boston College Law School, she received her mediation training at Commonwealth Mediation and Conciliation, Inc.

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