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EOIR to Host Series of Stakeholder Meetings Regarding Pre-Hearing Conferences

FALLS CHURCH, VA – The Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR) invites interested parties to meet with assistant chief immigration judges to discuss pre-hearing conferences for immigration court matters.

Pre-hearing conferences are a vital tool to improve communication between the parties, identify issues that are ripe for resolution outside of the adversarial setting of the courtroom, and reduce the backlog of immigration court cases. A pre-hearing conference may be scheduled at the request of a party or on an immigration judge's initiative.

Each stakeholder meeting will be held in-person with the option to participate online. Registration details for these meetings will be sent to stakeholders via existing listservs. Please be sure to register for EOIR's Stakeholder listserv for those details coming soon. EOIR plans to host 28 meetings on this topic between April 17 and May 25, 2023.

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