

## **George J. Silver**

George J. Silver was elected as a New York State Supreme Court Justice in 2013. Justice Silver was elected to Civil Court bench in November 2004. He was initially assigned to Civil Court, Kings County until he was re-assigned in April 2009 to Family Court, Bronx County where he presided over juvenile delinquency matters. In January 2010, Judge Silver was appointed a Supreme Court Judge by designation and assigned to Supreme Court, New York County where he presides over the approximately two thousand motor vehicle cases pending in New York County. In April 2011, Justice Silver was asked to preside over the Trial Assignment Part in Supreme Court, New York County in addition to his current assignment. In 2012, Justice Silver was also asked to handle potential early settlement of Medical Malpractice Cases as part of a specialized grant program. His current assignments include the Trial Assignment Part, the Medical Malpractice Early Settlement Part and an IAS Part handling general matters including Asbestos litigation.

Justice Silver is also involved in many community-based and Bar Associations including the NAACP, the International Association of Gay and Lesbian Judges and the Jewish Lawyers Guild. He is currently co-chair of the Ethics and Professional Committee of The Torts, Insurance Compensation Law Section of the New York State Bar Association. Justice Silver is also a new member of the Committee on Diversity and Inclusion of the New York State Bar Association.