

Judge Regina Quinlan

Regina L. Quinlan is a Brighton native and graduate of Regis College and Suffolk University Law School. After passing the bar exam in 1973, Judge Quinlan became a Partner at O'Connell Welch & Quinlan, specializing in First Amendment cases. She was also an Instructor at the New England School of Law from 1975-1976. In 1992, former Massachusetts Governor William F. Weld appointed Judge Quinlan to the bench as an associate justice of the Massachusetts Superior Court, where she served for 20 years until her retirement in 2012. She held a visiting professorship at Boston College Law School from 2012 to 2014. Judge Quinlan is currently one of five members of the State Ethics Commission.