

Defense Counsel of Rhode Island Elects Officers and Directors

At their annual meeting, the Defense Counsel of Rhode Island (DCRI) elected Officers and Directors and amended its bylaws, expanding membership to include in-house counsel who supervises defense litigation.

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DCRI is the state association of lawyers whose practice primarily involves representing defendants in civil cases. Members include lawyers engaged in private practice, as corporate counsel and as insurance company counsel. DCRI provides educational and support services for its members and serves as a members' advocate on legislative issues that impact the defense bar and the judicial system.