On August 27, 2020, PBI and the Appellate Advocacy Committee presented a one-hour webcast titled “Virtual Advocacy in Pennsylvania’s Appellate Courts. Karl S. Myers, Chair, Dara A. DeCourcy, co-vice chair and Jill Lipman Beck, Treasurer, planned the course. Jurists of Pennsylvania’s three appellate courts

- described the methods their courts use for virtual/distance arguments
- offered suggestions for advocacy using those methods
- discussed the advantages and disadvantages for the court and for advocates of the methods employed
- and opined on the success or failure of these methods.

The panel comprised Supreme Court Justice Christine Donohue, Superior Court Judge Carolyn Nichols and Commonwealth Court Judge Michael Wojcik. Jill Lipman Beck moderated the presentation. The ninety-five course registrants received one substantive CLE credit.