



Why Have the Judges Fallen?: Expert Witness Testimony of Corruption in Social Security Disability Adjudications

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Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.The author exposes corruption in the Social Security Disability (SSD) Program. Bullyish Administrative Law Judges (ALJs) at the Social Security Administration (SSA) Offices of Disability Adjudication and Review repeatedly tampered with the witness prior to and during SSD adjudicative hearings (appeals of disabled claimants who have applied for and been denied financial benefits) by advising the vocational expert witness to attest to inaccurate, perceptibly fraudulent employment numbers (numbers of jobs on the economy individuals could perform given their residual functional capacities (RFCs) or disability-related limitations. Whereas, SSA vocational experts have routinely and inaccurately provided Department of Labor Occupational Employment Survey (OES) Census Group numbers rather than reporting the significantly smaller (more accurate) job numbers for the specific Dictionary of Occupational Titles (DOT) job listings, the vocational expert witness author of this book discovered the disparity between the exaggerated numbers and the accurate numbers and brought the disparity to light with ALJs, some of which ALJs demanded that the vocational expert continue to attest to the larger sets of numbers even though they grossly overestimated the...

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