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To All Judiciary Employees:

The Internal Revenue Service has increased the mileage reimbursement rate for business use of a privately-owned vehicle to 72.5 cents per mile effective January 1, 2026. This is an increase of 2.5 cents from 2025.

The Maryland Judiciary will begin using this new rate. Please use 72.5 cents (\$0.725) per mile for mileage reimbursement for all business travel occurring on or after January 1, 2026. The previous rate of 70 cents should be used for any business mileage reimbursement requests for travel before January 1, 2026. An updated form with the new rate is available on CourtNet at:

<https://www.mdcourts.gov/administration/travel>

If you have questions regarding this change, please contact Accounts Payable in the Department of Budget and Finance at DBFAccountsPayable@mdcourts.gov.

Thank you,
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