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Victor Stone has for the last year represented crime victims, at no cost to the victims, at all levels of the Maryland court system. Prior to that, he spent four decades in the Criminal Division of the U.S. Department of Justice during which time he handled criminal appeals in every federal circuit court and in the Supreme Court, was an Assistant United States Attorney in Oregon and the District of Columbia, was General Counsel to the Correction Trustee in charge of closing D.C.'s Lorton prison complex, was Chief Counsel to the FBI's Foreign Terrorist Tracking Task Force, was an Immigration Judge and parole commissioner reviewing applications from the Mariel Cubans imprisoned at the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary, served as an expert at many meetings of the Council of Europe and UN Office on Drugs and Crime, was a government representative to the ABA Task Force that updated the ABA Standards for Prisoner Rights, and was the Criminal Division's victim rights legal advisor. He received Criminal Division Victim Rights Awards in 2007 and 2008, and served on DOJ committees that worked on the proposed Victim Rights Amendments to the U.S. Constitution that resulted instead in the CVRA (1997-2004) and various revisions of the A.G.'s Guidelines on Victim and Witness Assistance (1990-2011). After graduating from Harvard Law School, he clerked on the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.