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Fred D. Butler (California – Fellow, Inaugural Panel Member) is an attorney, an arbitrator and a mediator of commercial disputes and a former Executive Director of a state government agency. Mr. Butler has over 16 of years experience representing parties in civil matters. He has served as a neutral in a variety of disputes including executive compensation claims; wrongful termination claims against large corporations; environmental disputes between large manufacturers, neighborhood and business organizations; malpractice claims against professionals involved in the real estate and the building industry; civil rights complaints against government entities; claims against health plans by members concerning treatment options and denials; disputes between growers, buyers and sellers in the agricultural industry; disputes between large residential community associations; individual labor grievances between organized labor unions and employers; discrimination claims; and personal injury claims. Mr. Butler earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Rutgers University, a Master’s of Public Administration from New York University and a J.D. from the University of California, Hastings College of Law.