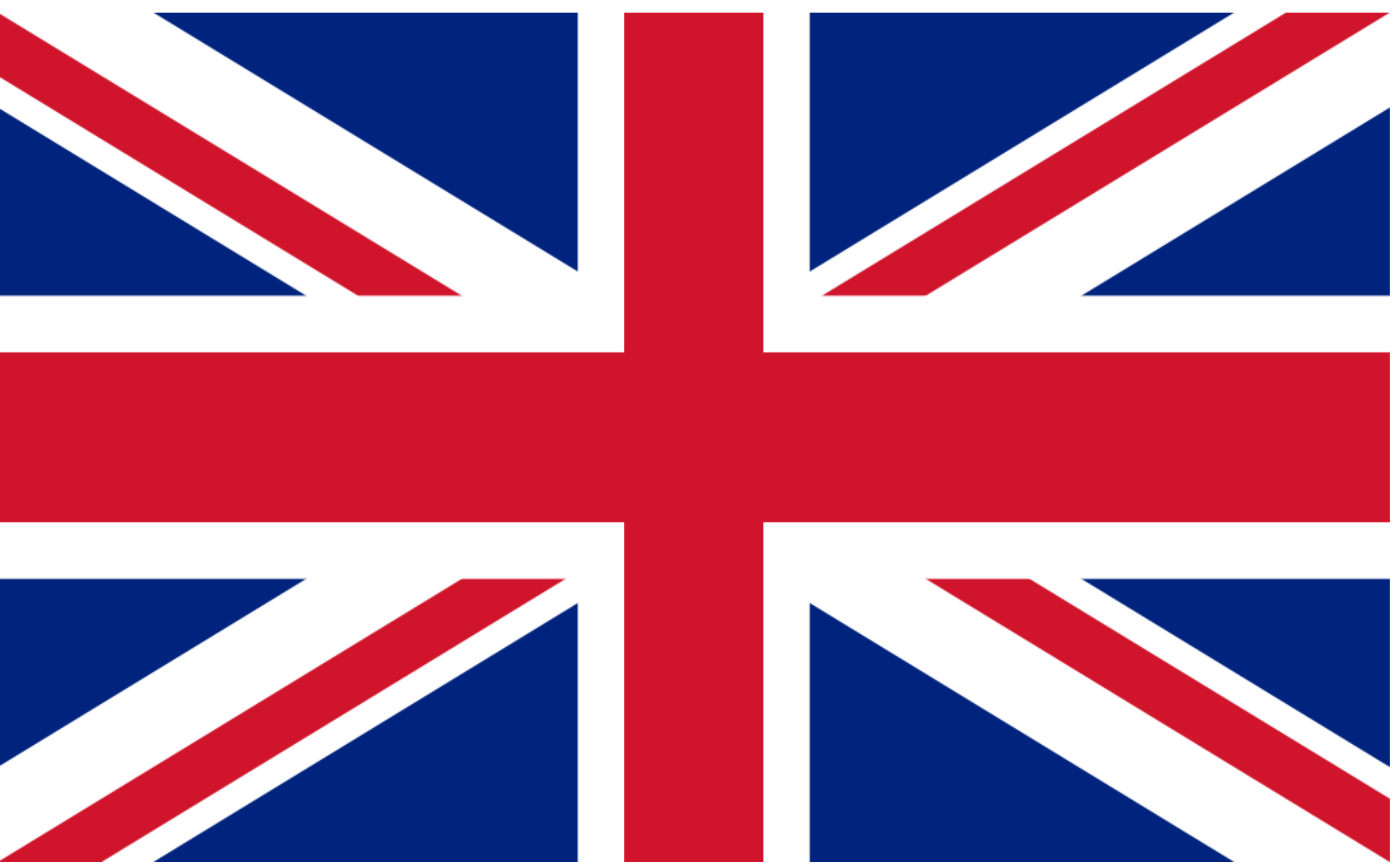


# Medical Futility Dispute

## Resolution: UK v USA

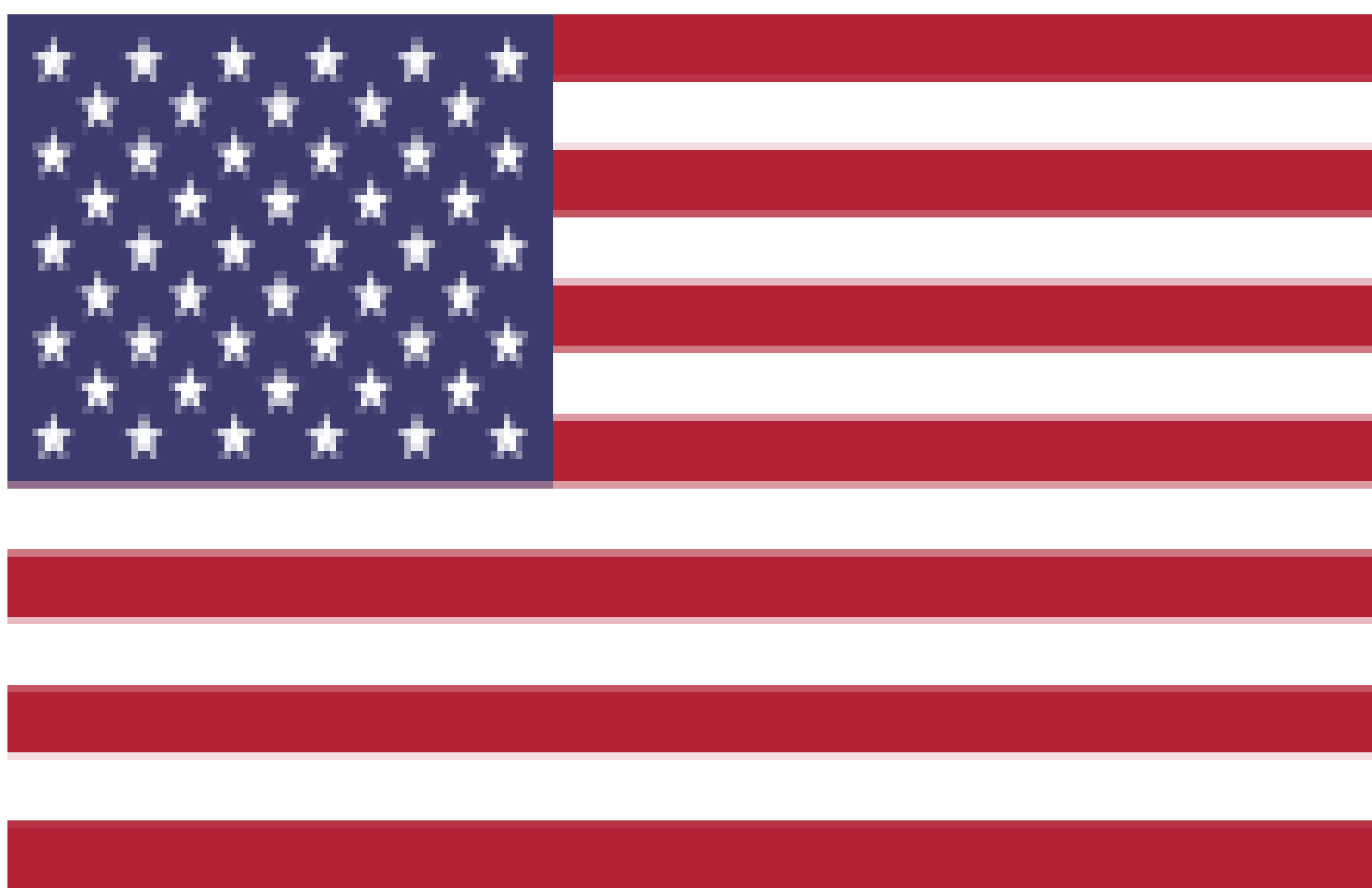


**COURTS** resolve intractable conflicts.

Slow & cumbersome - Charlie Gard & Alfie Evans were in the courts for 4-5 months.

Families get lots of due process.

**FAIR** but not fast.



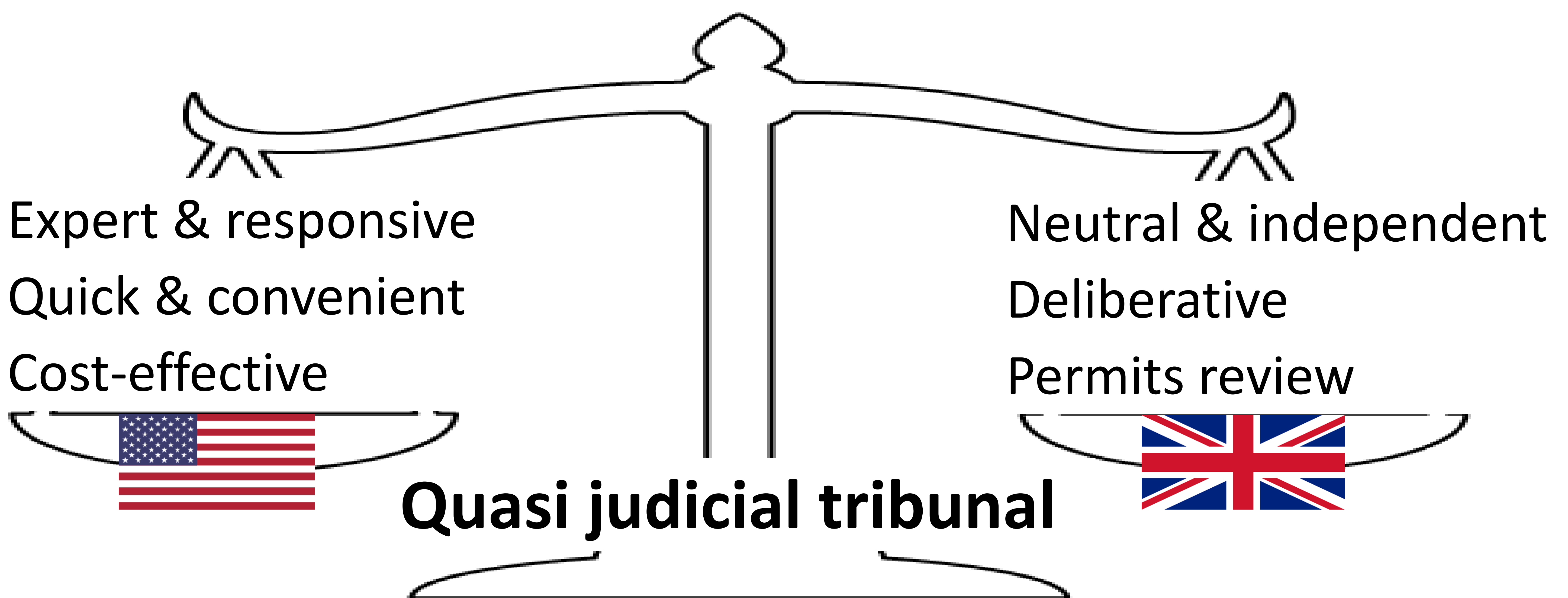
**HOSPITAL ETHICS COMMITTEES** resolve conflicts in Texas, Virginia, and California.

Fast and efficient – resolution in ~12 days.

Families get little due process - HECs have COI, little transparency, and families lack support.

**FAST** but not fair.

UK and USA must **BALANCE** efficiency & fairness like Ontario.



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