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#### PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

#### HOW TO HANDLE A HABEAS PETITION

April 28, 2011
10:00a.m. to 12:00p.m.
Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex
AGAI Training Room, Attorney General's Library
6th Floor, West Wing
25 Market Street
Trenton, New Jersey

### **Program Summary**

This seminar will discuss the ways to prepare an answer to a habeas petition and how to use the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996 (AEDPA) to successfully litigate habeas cases in the federal court. Topics include the one-year statute of limitations, equitable tolling, stay and abey motions, exhaustion and procedural default. There will also be an update of recent habeas decisions from the United States Supreme Court.

### Who Should Attend?

This program is intended for attorneys who handling criminal cases, especially those involving habeas issues. Others, however, may find the issues discussed to be of interest.

## Who Is the Faculty?

**AAG Carol Henderson** is Deputy Chief of the Appellate Bureau in the Division of Criminal Justice and has extensive experience litigating cases before the New Jersey Supreme Court, the Appellate Division, the United States District Court and the Third Circuit Court of Appeals. She has lectured and written articles on appellate practice, habeas litigation, sentencing, legal writing and prosecutor misconduct.

**AP Catherine A. Foddai** is the Chief of the Appellate Section in the Bergen County Prosecutor's Office, where she handles post-conviction relief motions, appellate cases, habeas petitions, and assists with trial litigation. She also teaches a variety of legal topics to attorneys and police officers throughout the state.

# How Do I Register?

You may <u>REGISTER HERE</u> or online at <u>www.njadvocacyinstitute.com</u>. Registering ensures that you will receive handout material and that there will be ample space for all attendees.

# CLE Credit

**NJ CLE Credit:** This program had been approved by the Board on Continuing Legal Education of the Supreme Court of New Jersey for 2.0 hours of total CLE credit. Of these, 0.0 qualify as hours of credit for ethics/professionalism, and 2.0 qualify as hours of credit toward certification in criminal trial law.

**NY CLE Credit:** 2.0 substantive credits (pursuant to the approved jurisdiction policy)

**PA CLE Credit:** 1.5 substantive credits (\$3.00 mandatory registration fee required)