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PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

STATE APPELLATE PRACTICE SEMINAR

June 2, 2011

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

NJ Transit Headquarters

1 Penn Plaza East

Newark, New Jersey

Program Summary

This presentation on state appellate practice will provide an overview of the court rules governing civil appeals in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Appellate Division and the Supreme Court of New Jersey, with particular emphasis upon appeals from state agency decisions. The presentation will provide an overview and practice points regarding civil motion practice in the appellate courts, emergent and interlocutory appeals, as well as adjudicative and rulemaking appeals. In addition, the seminar will highlight significant appeals decided in the last Term as well as those pending before the Appellate Division and Supreme Court. This presentation will provide an overview of DOL appellate policies and a survey of key Court rules governing our practice before the Appellate Division and the Supreme Court of New Jersey.

Who Should Attend?

This presentation is intended for attorneys with limited or no prior state appellate experience who did not attend the July 2010 Division of Law Appellate Symposium, and who are assigned to handle state court appeals. Others, however, may find this program of interest.

Who Is the Faculty?

AAG Andrea Silkowitz clerked during the summer and fall of 1975 for the Division of Law and joined the Division as a Law Assistant in September 1976. She was appointed a Deputy Attorney General in December 1976. In 1981, Andrea assumed the position of Deputy Attorney General in Charge of Appeals in Trenton and in late 1982, transferred to the Newark office, where she has continued to supervise appeals. In July 1987, she was appointed as an Assistant Attorney General. Andrea has argued numerous appeals before the Supreme Court of New Jersey, the Appellate Division, and the Third Circuit.

DAG Eleanor Armstrong graduated *magna cum laude* from Case Western Reserve University School of Law in 1995. After completing a clerkship with the Honorable Amy Piro Chambers and the Honorable Glenn Berman in Middlesex County, Eleanor worked in private practice doing primarily insurance defense work and federal railroad litigation. She joined the Division of Law in 1998, and has represented the Division in both protective services and guardianship matters. In 2004, Eleanor was promoted to a lead DAG and, in 2008, she was promoted to Assistant Section Chief for DYFS - Essex.

How Do I Register?

You may [REGISTER HERE](#) or online at www.njadvocacyinstitute.com. 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.

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).