

The Advocacy Institute Is Pleased to Announce Another Program in its State House Series

PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

ATTORNEY-CLIENT PRIVILEGE AND WORK PRODUCT DOCTRINE

August 24, 2012 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. New Jersey State House Room 209 125 West State Street Trenton, New Jersey

Program Summary

This is a "nuts and bolts" review of the Attorney-Client Privilege and Work Product Doctrine. The program will review the elements of these protections, identify the rules that reference them, identify some considerations of the factual context in which they may arise, and provide some points regarding preserving and applying these protections.

Who Should Attend?

This program is intended for those invited to participate in the *State House Series* programs. **Please do not attempt to register for this program if you have not already been selected to participate.**

Who Is the Faculty?

AAG Lewis Scheindlin is an Assistant Attorney General for Appeals, Division of Law. Since enactment of OPRA in 2002, AAG Scheindlin has supervised all OPRA litigation and legal advice for the State, and has directly handled a number of significant OPRA cases in the Appellate Division and New Jersey Supreme Court. AAG Scheindlin is a frequent presenter for the Attorney General's Advocacy Institute on topics including OPRA, appellate practice and attorney-client privilege and the work product doctrine.

DAG Gregory Spellmeyer is a Deputy Attorney General in the Office of the Attorney General's Legal Affairs and Employee Relations Office. DAG Spellmeyer provides legal guidance to various programs within the Department, including the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management, the Department's Human Resources Office. Prior to joining the Legal Affairs and Employee Relations Office, DAG Spellmeyer served in various supervisory and non-supervisory positions within the

Division of Law, including Assistant Section Chief of the Corrections and State Police Section and was a member of the Division's Litigation Practice Group. Upon graduating from Rutgers University School of Law, Newark, DAG Spellmeyer served as a law clerk for the Honorable Herman D. Michels, P.J.A.D. He received his B.A. from Franklin & Marshall College where he graduated *cum laude* and was a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

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).

How Do I Register?

State Employees

Most State employees are able to register for this course by going to <u>http://reg.dcj.lps.state.nj.us/login.aspx?portalid=2</u> and creating an AGAI Course Registration account. To do so, your computer **must** be attached to the government's Garden State Network. Upon opening the AGAI Course Registration System home page, you will see the Create Account link in the Login Box. Click on it and create your account, which will include you selecting a user name and password. Once you create your account, you can access the AGAI Course Registration System at <u>http://reg.dcj.lps.state.nj.us/login.aspx?portalid=2</u> to register for future courses or to manage your account. Please retain your user name and password for your records.

Non-State Employees or State Employees not Connected to the Garden State Network

If you are not a State employee, or are otherwise unable to access the AGAI Course Registration System through the Garden State Network, kindly email the Advocacy Institute at: <u>AdvocacyInstitute@lps.state.nj.us</u> for an authorization code to allow you access to the AGAI Course Registration System through the My New Jersey portal. **Setting up your account through the portal is a two-step process, the details of which are set forth in the next two paragraphs.**

Once you receive the portal authorization code you will be prompted to go to the My New Jersey portal at <u>http://www.state.nj.us/</u> and create a portal account. This is Step 1 of the process, which you need only do once.

Upon setting up your portal account, you need to set up your AGAI Course Registration System account. This is Step 2. To do so, log on to the My New Jersey Portal <u>http://www.state.nj.us/</u>. Upon opening the AGAI Course Registration System home page, you will see the Create Account link in the Login Box. Click on it and create your account, which will include you selecting a new user

name and password. Once you create your account, you can access the AGAI Course Registration System at <u>http://reg.dcj.lps.state.nj.us/login.aspx?portalid=2</u> to register for future courses or to manage your account. Please retain your user name and password for your records.