



PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

The Advocacy Institute Is Pleased to Present

The DOL Basic Civil & Administrative Practice Series (“BCAP”)

Election Training, Part II Introduction to Election Law and New Election Law Updates

May 23, 2024*
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

**Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex
Advocacy Institute Conference Center
Fourth Floor, West Wing
25 Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey**

*** This program is also being offered on May 14, 2024**

Program Summary

New Jersey county boards and superintendents of elections are responsible for conducting voter registration and elections in compliance with applicable State statutes. This program will provide an overview of the statutory and case law and any new updates governing elections in New Jersey, including:

- Voter registration
- Early voting
- Voting by mail
- Ballot drop boxes
- Use of provisional ballots versus emergency ballots
- Using authorized messengers to receive ballots and designated bearers to return ballots
- What constitutes electioneering and prohibitions against electioneering
- Election challengers
- New Election Law Updates

Eligibility

Attendance at this program is mandatory for deputies who were hired from January 2021 through April 2024. They must attend either a live session in Trenton or a simulcast session in Newark. Deputies hired before January 2021 are welcome to attend, space permitting.

Faculty

AAG Susan Scott is the Assistant Attorney General in Charge of Elections in the Division of Law. She was previously the Section Chief of the Community Affairs, State and Elections Section and an Assistant Section Chief in the Tort Litigation and Judiciary Section. Prior to becoming an Assistant Section Chief, AAG Scott was a line deputy in the State Police, Employment and Corrections Section. Throughout her employment in the Division, she has handled all aspects of federal and State litigation, including a variety of high profile matters. Prior to joining the Department of Law & Public Safety, AAG Scott held a clerkship with the Honorable Jamie S. Perri, J.S.C. in the Monmouth Vicinage. She is a graduate of Rutgers University and the University of New Hampshire School of Law.

DAG Nicole Adams is the Section Chief in the Community Affairs, State and Elections Section of the Division of Law. She handles a variety of election matters, including client advice and litigation. Prior to becoming an Assistant Section Chief, she was a line deputy in the State Police, Employment and Corrections Section. During her time with the Division, DAG Adams has handled matters in both State and federal courts, including election law litigation, challenges to New Jersey statutes and various civil rights claims. Prior to joining DOL, DAG Adams held a clerkship with the Honorable Mark J. Fleming, J.S.C. in the Mercer Vicinage. She is a graduate of the University of Delaware and Drexel University School of Law.

CLE Credit

NJ CLE Credit: This program has 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.

PA CLE Credit: 1.5 Substantive Credits (\$3.00 mandatory registration fee required).

Registration

Attorneys eligible to attend this program will receive registration instructions from the AGAI.