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NOTICE TO THE BAR

2006 ANNUAL ASSESSMENT

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The Supreme Court of New Jersey having ruled on the Disciplinary Oversight Committee ("DOC") and New Jersey Lawyers Assistance Program ("NJLAP") budgets for 2006, the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection ("Fund") is now in a position to conduct the assessment for the calendar year 2006. As always, the money collected through the assessment will support the Fund, the disciplinary process, and the NJLAP. The breakdown for 2006 is as follows:

Calendar Year of Admission	DOC Portion	FUND Portion	NJLAP Portion	TOTAL Assessment
2006	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	No Fee
2005	25.00	0.00	3.00	$ 28.00
2003 - 2004	126.00	25.00	6.00	157.00
1958 - 2002	126.00	50.00	6.00	182.00
1957 & Prior	0.00	0.00	0.00	No Fee

Billing notices will be mailed in mid March. The deadline for response to the billing is April 28, 2006. Please telephone the Fund at (609) 292-8079 if you have not received your billing form by April 7, 2006. Timely payment will avert the **$40 late fee.**

Please be sure to return the **entire original form**. The form consists of three separate portions with three distinct purposes. For example, different addresses are sought on the various portions of the form. Questions regarding any portion of the form should be directed to the corresponding telephone number displayed on that portion.

Since the billing address is the one that shows through the window envelope, it is **<u>crucial</u>** (and required by *R*. 1:28-2) that an effective mailing address be kept current with the Fund. Address changes for the 2006 billing should be made in writing prior to February 3, 2006. Our fax number is (609) 394-3637; our mailing address is P.O. Box 961, Trenton, NJ 08625-0961. If the billing form is mailed to a previous address and forwarded to you or if you are in the process of moving, please indicate your new mailing address on the lines on the bottom portion of the form. Note that your mailing address is not confidential.

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