NOTICE TO THE BAR

NEW JERSEY ATTORNEY ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT AVAILABLE FOR 2020

New Jersey attorneys may now complete their annual registration and payment through the Judiciary's web-based application at https://www.njcourts.gov/attorneys/cams.html. The 2020 registration/payment cycle is available effective Wednesday, **January 8, 2020**. The 2020 deadline for registration and payment is Friday, **February 28, 2020**.

Pursuant to the Court Rules, New Jersey attorneys are required annually to file a registration statement in a form prescribed by the Administrative Director of the Courts with approval of the Supreme Court and to pay an assessment in an amount determined by the Supreme Court. All attorneys must complete their annual attorney registration and pay the required \$212 annual fee electronically, except those attorneys who qualify for one of the limited exceptions approved by the Supreme Court. Additionally, all New Jersey attorneys are required by Court Rule to provide and maintain a current email address and cell phone number with the Supreme Court for official court business and notifications.

In addition to the requirement to provide an email address and cell phone number, other changes to the attorney registration application include: (1) the ability for attorneys to designate which vicinage they will use for any Madden or other pro bono assignment (either where they live or where they work) and (2) the ability to more easily view and print payment history. Lastly, there are three available payment options for attorney registration: (1) by electronic check via the Automated Clearing House (ACH), (2) by Judiciary Account Charge Systems (JACS) account, or (3) by credit card (Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, or any card that reflects one of the four logos). Attorneys using either ACH or JACS will not incur any additional cost. Attorneys using a credit card will be assessed a 3% processing fee.

In addition, attorneys maintaining a plenary or limited license to practice law in New Jersey

must certify to the completion of their continuing legal education (CLE) requirements in accordance

with Rule 1:42. A noncompliance fee of \$50 will be assessed against attorneys who report that they

failed to complete the requisite CLE credits by the deadline for course completion. An additional

\$50 (for a total of \$100) will be assessed against attorneys who fail to complete their required CLE

credits within the grace period provided by BCLE Reg. 402:1 and against attorneys who fail to

report at all regarding CLE compliance. Information on Continuing Legal Education requirements

is available at https://www.njcourts.gov/attorneys/attcle.html. For concerns related to CLE, please

contact 609-815-2930 or SCTCLE.Mailbox@njcourts.gov.

For questions or information related to this notice, please contact Michelle M. Smith, Clerk

of the Superior Court at michelle.smith@njcourts.gov or 609-815-2900 ext. 54200.

Hon. Glenn A. Grant, J.A.D.

Acting Administrative Director of the Courts

Dated: January 8, 2020

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