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Ethics for Lawyers

Tuesday, 18 August 2009

8.45am – 11.30am

UNSW City Campus, level 3,

1 O'Connell Street, Sydney

Course cost includes tuition, materials and refreshments

 \$220

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 \$165

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CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

Ethics for Lawyers

New Rule 42 of the Professional Conduct and Practice Rules require that as part of practitioners MCLE points each year one is devoted to Ethics and as such this seminar would provide a suitable event for all practitioners.

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Audience

- Lawyers compliance with MCLE under Practice rule 42
- Practitioners in General Practice
- Litigation practitioners
- In House Counsel
- Barristers

Objective

This seminar provides suitable material for solicitors wishing to comply with the mandatory CLE requirements in *Legal Profession Act 2004* and Part 42 of the Law Society Professional Conduct and Practice rules

We will conduct an examination of some common ethical issues faced in practice. In exploring the resolution of these challenges we will identify common principals that can guide us in other ethical situations.

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Ethics for Lawyers

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8.45AM Opening from Chair

Introductory Commentary

Hon Justice D. IPP

Supreme Court of New South Wales

9.10am

Topic 1: Ethical considerations for Costs

Speaker: Steve MARK, Legal Services Commissioner, OLSC, NSW

- Costs and fee agreements
- The ethics of billing
- Time Costing

9.55am Morning Tea

10.15am

Topic 2: Identifying and dealing with ethical dilemmas

- The Client for whom you can no longer act
- The instruction from within the firm

Topic 3: Conflicts of Interest

- Types of conflict
- Previous clients
- Problems in acting for both sides in a "non adversarial" transaction

11.10 am Q&A

11.30am Close

Steve MARK is the NSW Legal Services Commissioner and deals with regulation and oversight of the legal profession in NSW. He is a sought-after commentator and a well respected speaker on a range of topics connected with the administration of the legal system.

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