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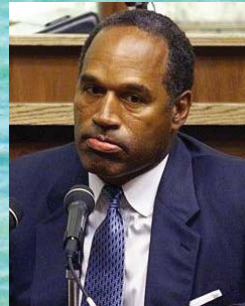
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DEAR COLLEAGUE:



With great pleasure we invite you to join us on January 28-30, 2010, at the 15th Annual Conference of the ABA Forum on Communications Law in Key Largo, Florida. All of our past meetings have been tremendously successful, and we believe the upcoming conference will be exciting and thought-provoking. We have gathered an extremely impressive array of experts and participants to discuss some of the most timely and interesting issues faced by communications law practitioners.

The program will feature three plenary sessions, which promise to be extremely informative, interesting, and practical. The opening panel on Friday morning will be on business models for news reporting in the digital age. In a year when the bankruptcies, shutdowns and downsizings of newspapers dominated the news, the future of journalism is attracting much attention. Can media companies find new ways to monetize their content? Our second panel on Friday morning will focus on whether prior restraints are still alive. Though they have been strongly disfavored by the First Amendment historically, they were granted 20 years ago in the *Noriega* case and routinely in copyright cases. Does this make sense? And what is their future on the Internet? On Saturday morning we will present our traditional historical retrospective plenary session, focusing on access to the courts fifteen years after *People v. Simpson*. The overwhelming media coverage of the trial caused a spike in public interest in the courts and backlash against the media for the perceived excesses in that case. The panel will discuss how the case was impacted by the media coverage, and how media coverage of the courts has been affected by the legacy of *People v. Simpson*.

On Friday at lunch, we are very pleased to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the Florida Bush v. Gore election debacle with a dialogue between Danny Strong, actor and award-winning screenwriter of the highly acclaimed HBO movie "Recount," and David Kaplan, journalist and author of "The Accidental President", a book which was used as source material for the movie about the 2000 Florida election controversy.

The small group workshops, part of our program – specially designed to facilitate discussion on key issues by all of our attendees – are one of the highlights and one of the reasons lawyers find our conference to be so useful to them in their everyday practice. Our workshops will again cover hot topics in libel and privacy, newsgathering, and internet. In addition to these recurring workshops, we will offer six different workshops, once each in the areas of ethics, advertising and promotions, FCC, reporters privilege/ subpoenas, broadening practice and twice in entertainment – all extremely timely and current topics.

The conference is also the setting for our separate young lawyers Media Advocacy Workshop, an all-day practicum on Thursday run by the Forum's Training and Development Committee. More information on the Workshop can be obtained on this brochure. (Note – if you want to participate in the Media Advocacy Workshop, you must separately register and pay for it on the workshop registration form.) We would like to thank this year's Workshop sponsors: **Bostwick & Jassy, Faegre & Benson, Frost Brown Todd, Jackson Walker, Levine Sullivan Koch & Schulz, Steptoe & Johnson, Thomas, LoCicero & Bralow, and Vinson & Elkins**. In addition, the conference will include meetings of the Forum's Women in Communications Law group, which will discuss issues of particular concern to a significant portion of our membership, the Forum's Teaching Media Law Committee, and of the TIPS Media, Privacy, and Defamation Law Committee. Clearly, this conference is the place to be in January!

The culmination of the Forum's 2nd annual First Amendment and Media Law Diversity Moot Court Competition will take place on Thursday, January 28. The Competition is designed primarily to expose minority law students to the Forum on Communications Law and the practice of media law. The preliminary rounds will be held in the morning and the final round will be held from 3:15 pm to 4:45 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend the final round of oral argument. The Forum's honored to have the following judges participate in the final round of oral argument: Judge Julio M. Fuentes of the U.S. Court of Appeals

for the Third Circuit, Judge Martha C. Warner of the Florida Fourth District Court of Appeals, and Judge Joseph W. Hatchett, former Chief Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit and Chair of the Appellate Practice Group at Akerman Senterfitt. The Forum thanks the competition's lead sponsor, the **Scripps Howard Foundation**, as well as the following firms, for their generous support of this important endeavor: **Brown Rudnick, Davis Wright Tremaine, Holland & Knight, Jackson Walker, Levine Sullivan Koch & Schulz, Mandell & Menkes, Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal, and Vinson & Elkins.**

Beyond the excellent substantive program, the conference allows us the opportunity we so infrequently have to spend time with our colleagues and families in an informal setting and to enjoy the golf, tennis, and other first-class facilities that will be available to us at the Ocean Reef Club. As this brochure details, we have arranged a variety of social activities as well as our annual competitions in golf and tennis. We are hopeful that many of your children will attend; they will again have an opportunity to be a "Libel Lawyer for a Day" and argue a case to a panel of distinguished (but kindly) judges. **We urge you to make your travel arrangements as soon as possible. Please note that the drive from the airport takes longer during rush hours – we recommend that you schedule your flight accordingly so that you can avoid arriving in Miami or Ft. Lauderdale between 4.00 pm – 7.00 pm. Also, you must separately register for the conference and make your hotel reservations.**

I am indebted to our co-chairs who are listed in the margin and especially to our sponsors—**Axis Pro, Bingham McCutchen, Chubb Specialty Insurance, Davis Wright Tremaine, Debevoise & Plimpton, Dow Lohnes, Faegre & Benson, Frost Brown Todd, Hiscox GEO, Holland & Knight, Hunton & Williams, Jackson Walker, McKenna Long & Aldridge, Mutual Insurance Company of Bermuda, OneBeacon Professional Insurance, Prince Lobel Glovsky & Tye, Proskauer Rose, Sedgwick, Detert, Moran & Arnold, Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton, Steptoe & Johnson, Thomas, LoCicero & Bralow, Vinson & Elkins, White O'Connor Fink & Brenner, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, and WilmerHale**, who collectively have funded the opening and closing receptions as well as the luncheons and dinner. As a result, your registration fee not only will entitle you to attend the conference program, but will include as well as both receptions, two breakfasts, two luncheons and a fun dinner at the Ocean Reef Club! It's a great deal!

Casual attire is recommended for conference attendees. Please remember to bring a sweater as Florida evenings can be cool. We look forward to seeing you in January!

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CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS

JANUARY 29, 2010 Friday

8:00 am – 9:00 am

JANUARY 30, 2010 Saturday

8:30 am – 9:30 am

11:30 am – 12:30 pm

1. HOT ISSUES IN NEWSGATHERING

FACILITATORS

JOHNITA DUE, Senior Counsel and Diversity Council Chair, Turner Broadcasting Systems, Atlanta, GA

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3. HOT ISSUES ON THE INTERNET

FACILITATORS:

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FACILITATORS

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5B. HOT ISSUES IN FCC

FACILITATORS

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4C. HOT ISSUES IN REPORTERS PRIVILEGE/SUBPOENAS

FACILITATORS

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5C. HOT ISSUES IN BROADENING PRACTICE

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PLENARY SESSIONS

JANUARY 29, 2010 Friday

9:15 am - 10:45 am

WHITHER JOURNALISM?

Business Models for News Reporting in the Digital Age

In a year when the bankruptcies, shutdowns and downsizings of newspapers dominated the news, the future of journalism is attracting much attention. The FTC and FCC are looking at the issue and hearings have been held in both the House and Senate. Can media companies find new ways to monetize their content? Are not-for-profit news organizations the answer? Or does the internet itself hold the solution to the problem it created?

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JANUARY 29, 2010 Friday

11:00 am - 12:30 pm

ARE PRIOR RESTRAINTS ALIVE

From Gen. Noriega (20 years later) to Holden Caulfield and Wikileaks

Prior restraints are strongly disfavored under the First Amendment. Yet they were granted 20 years ago in the Noriega case and routinely in copyright cases. Does this make sense? And what is their future on the Internet?

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JANUARY 30, 2010 Saturday

9:45 am - 11:15 am

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Access to the Courts Fifteen Years after People v. Simpson

In 1994, the world was riveted by the double-murder trial of O.J. Simpson. The overwhelming media coverage of the trial caused a spike in public interest in the courts, and a backlash against the media for the perceived excesses in that case. Fifteen years later, the panel will discuss how the case was impacted by media coverage, and how media coverage of the courts in turn has been affected by the legacy of People v. Simpson.

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February 3-5, 2011
Westin Mission Hills Resort
Rancho Mirage, CA

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

DAY 1, THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2010

8:30 am - 9:00 am	Training & Development Media Advocacy Workshop Registration & Breakfast
9:00 am - 3:00 pm	Training & Development Media Advocacy Workshop Sponsors: <i>Bostwick & Jassy, Faegre & Benson, Frost Brown Todd, Jackson Walker, Levine Sullivan Koch & Schulz, Steptoe & Johnson, Thomas, LoCicero & Bralow, Vinson & Elkins</i>
3:15 pm - 4:45 pm	Second Annual First Amendment and Media Law Diversity Moot Court Competition Final Round of Oral Argument Lead Sponsor: <i>Scripps Howard Foundation</i> Sponsors: <i>Brown Rudnick, Davis Wright Tremaine, Holland & Knight, Jackson Walker, Levine Sullivan Koch & Schulz, Mandell & Menkes, Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal, Vinson & Elkins</i>
3:30 pm - 6:00 pm	Conference Registration
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Teaching Media Law Committee Meeting
7:30 pm - 10:00 pm	Opening Reception Sponsors: <i>Bingham McCutchen, Chubb Specialty Insurance, Davis Wright Tremaine, Debevoise & Plimpton, Dow Lohnes</i>

DAY 2, FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2010

7:00 am - 1:00 pm	Registration
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Workshop 1: Hot Issues in Newsgathering Workshop 2: Hot Issues in Libel and Privacy Workshop 3: Hot Issues on the Internet Workshop 4A: Hot Issues in Entertainment Workshop 5A: Hot Issues in Ethics
9:00 am - 9:15 am	Break
9:15 am - 10:45 am	Plenary: Whither Journalism?: Business Models for News Reporting in the Digital Age
10:45 am - 11:00 am	Break
11:00 am - 12:30 pm	Plenary: Are Prior Restraints Alive: From Gen. Noriega (20 years later) to Holden Caulfield and Wikileaks
12:45 pm - 2:00 pm	Luncheon (Ticketed) Guest Speakers: David Kaplan , Newsweek Editor and Author of "The Accidental President" Danny Strong , Actor and award-winning Screenwriter of "Recount" (tentative)

Topic: The Florida Recount: 10 Years Later
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1:00 pm	Golf Tournament (Ticketed)
2:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Tennis Tournament (Ticketed)
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Women in Communications Law Reception and Meeting
7:00 pm	Annual Dinner (Ticketed) Sponsors: <i>Holland & Knight, Hunton & Williams, McKenna Long & Aldridge, Axis Pro, Mutual Insurance Company of Bermuda</i>

DAY 3, SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2010

7:00 am - 1:00 pm	Conference Registration
7:30 am - 8:30 am	TIPS Media, Privacy, and Defamation Law Committee Meeting
8:30 am - 9:30 am	Workshop 1: Hot Issues in Newsgathering Workshop 2: Hot Issues in Libel and Privacy Workshop 3: Hot Issues on the Internet Workshop 4B: Hot Issues in Advertising & Promotions Workshop 5B: Hot Issues in FCC
9:30 am - 9:45 am	Break
9:45 am - 11:15 am	Plenary: Squeezed by "The Juice": Access to the Courts Fifteen Years after <i>People v. Simpson</i>
11:15 am - 11:30 am	Break
11:30 am - 1:00 pm	Moot Court Case for Kids. Argue a hypothetical First Amendment Case (Children 9-17 years old). Audience welcome for oral argument (12:15 - 1:00 pm)
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Workshop 1: Hot Issues in Entertainment Workshop 2: Hot Issues in Libel and Privacy Workshop 3: Hot Issues on the Internet Workshop 4C: Hot Issues in Reporters Privilege/Subpoenas Workshop 5C: Hot Issues in Broadening Practice
12:45 pm - 2:00 pm	Luncheon/Journalism Jeopardy (Ticketed) Sponsors: <i>Prince Lobel Glosky & Tye, Proskauer Rose, Sedgwick, Detert, Moran & Arnold, Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP</i>
1:45 pm - 4:45 pm	Let's Go Diving and Snorkeling! (Ticketed) (see social events page for information and costs)
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Reception Sponsors: <i>Steptoe & Johnson, Thomas LoCicero & Bralow, Vinson & Elkins, White O'Connor Fink & Brenner, Wilkinson Barker Knauer</i>

13th Annual Media Advocacy Workshop

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DEAR COLLEAGUES

We invite you to join us for the Thirteenth Annual Media Advocacy Workshop, presented by the ABA Forum on Communications Law Training & Development Committee. The one-day Workshop, which will be held in conjunction with the January 28-30, 2010 ABA Forum on Communications Law's Fifteenth Annual Conference, is a great opportunity to get "on your feet" training and feedback from deans of the media bar. As in past years, the Workshop will combine hands-on advocacy training with substantive areas of media law. Participants will break into small group sessions to focus on three different media topics. During these sessions, participants will:

- 1) Argue an access motion
- 2) Argue a motion involving invasion of privacy and hidden cameras
- 3) Conduct a pre-publication review

You must register in advance to participate. These sessions will be based on hypotheticals that participants will receive in the weeks prior to the Workshop, along with all necessary background materials. We are excited to have another stellar group of distinguished media law practitioners to serve as our faculty, who will preside over the participants' arguments and provide constructive feedback. Given their vast experience, the faculty members will provide participants with a significant amount of practical insight and useful strategies in media law advocacy. The day includes breakfast, lunch and a cocktail party, providing plenty of opportunity for casual interaction between faculty and participants.

We look forward to seeing you at the Workshop!

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ABA FORUM ON COMMUNICATIONS LAW MEDIA ADVOCACY WORKSHOP

January 28, 2010
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WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

8:30 am – 9:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Welcoming Remarks and Orientation
9:30 am – 10:45 am	Oral Argument 1 – Newsgathering Argue a motion involving privacy and hidden cameras Groups 1-6
10:45 am – 11:00 am	Break
11:00 am – 12:15 pm	Oral Argument 2 – Access Argue a motion involving access to courts Groups 1-6
12:15 pm – 1:45 pm	Luncheon and Panel Practical Tips for the Young Media Lawyer
1:45 pm – 2:00 pm	Break
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Pre-Publication Review Provide media law advice involving an internet publication Groups 1-6
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Break
3:15 pm – 4:45 pm	First Amendment and Media Law Moot Court Competition Final round of oral argument, and oral advocacy tips from experts
4:45 pm – 5:30 pm	Joint Reception of the Media Advocacy Workshop and First Amendment and Media Law Moot Court Competition

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SOCIAL EVENTS

COCKTAIL RECEPTIONS: You and your spouse/guest are cordially invited to attend the welcome reception on Thursday, January 28 and the closing reception on Saturday, January 30. These two receptions are complimentary, the Thursday reception courtesy of generous donations from Bingham McCutchen, Chubb Specialty Insurance, Davis Wright Tremaine, Debevoise & Plimpton, and Dow Lohnes and the Saturday reception is complimentary courtesy of generous donations from Steptoe & Johnson, Thomas, LoCicero & Bralow, Vinson & Elkins, White O'Connor Fink & Brenner, and Wilkinson Barker Knauer.

FRIDAY LUNCHEON: Join your fellow meeting attendees and faculty for a casual luncheon on Friday, January 29, immediately following the morning program. Two distinguished guest speakers will discuss the award-winning movie "Recount" on the 10th anniversary of the Florida Bush v. Gore election debacle as well as the underlying political and legal disputes depicted in the film. Complimentary for registrants, but your spouse/guest must purchase a ticket for this event (\$40) via the attached registration form. The luncheon is courtesy of generous donations from Faegre & Benson, OneBeacon Professional Insurance, Frost Brown Todd, and Hiscox GEO.

SATURDAY LUNCHEON/JOURNALISM JEOPARDY: Saturday's lunch on January 30 is also complimentary for registrants, though spouses/guests must purchase a ticket (\$40) via the attached registration form. During lunch our renowned Journalism Jeopardy game will return to test your pursuits of journalistic and legal trivialities but, remember, the answer must be in the form of a question. The luncheon is courtesy of generous donations from Prince Lobel Glovsky & Tye, Proskauer Rose, Sedgwick, Detert, Moran & Arnold, and Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton.

GOLF AND TENNIS TOURNAMENTS: For pros, competitive litigators, duffers and hackers. If you and/or your spouse/guest would like to participate in the golf or tennis tournaments on Friday afternoon, January 29, complete the attached registration form accordingly. Fees: golf, \$215 (includes greens fees, cart rental and box lunch); tennis, \$45 (bring your tennis racket).

FRIDAY DINNER: A cocktail reception followed by dinner is planned for the evening. Casual dress is suggested. Complimentary for registrants. Tickets for spouse/guest (\$90) and for each child (\$30) can be purchased via the attached registration form. Courtesy of generous donations from Holland & Knight, Hunton & Williams, McKenna Long & Aldridge, Axis Pro, Mutual Insurance Company of Bermuda, and WilmerHale.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON ACTIVITY: Let's Go Diving and Snorkeling! (Ticketed) The Florida Keys have beautiful coral and tropical fish – it is said to have some of the best snorkeling and scuba diving in the United States. A chartered boat will bring us to two sites on Saturday afternoon. The \$65 fee for snorkeling includes all needed equipment; the \$135 fee for scuba divers includes mask, snorkel, fins, tanks, and weights. Divers need to be at the dive shop located at the club's fishing village 45 minutes prior to boat departure to be fitted. The boat leaves promptly at 1:45 pm and the total trip is approximately three (3) hours.

DIVERS: Guides will be provided. Please be sure to bring your dive book and certification card with you. You must have dived within the past two years or have had a refresher dive. Please schedule your return flight from Florida with regard for your Saturday afternoon dive; the dives will not be very deep – most likely 40 feet or so.

ORAL ARGUMENT FOR KIDS: Let your children be libel lawyers for a day. On Saturday morning, January 30, all children (between ages 7-17) will have the opportunity to participate in a moot court case involving First Amendment issues. The children will be prepped by high-priced legal talent from 11:30 am - 12:15 pm. Everyone is welcome to view the oral argument before a bench of esteemed judges from 12:15 pm –1:00 pm.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

1. REGISTRATION: Discounts for early registration are available through December 15, 2009. Please complete the attached registration form and mail to the ABA Forum on Communications Law, MS 18.2, 321 North Clark St., Chicago, IL 60654. Credit card users may fax registration form to (312) 988-5677.

You may also register online at www.abanet.org/forums/communication/home.html.

On-site registration is available. If you plan to register on-site, you must call (312) 988-5580 at least 72 hours before the conference to confirm that space is still available. Failure to call in advance may result in not being admitted to a sold-out program. On-site registrants are required to pay the registration fees by check, Visa, MasterCard, or American Express. No registrations will be accepted without payment.

2. SCHOLARSHIP: Each year, the ABA Forum on Communications Law awards two or three full-ride scholarships to law students to attend the Annual Conference on Communications Law. One scholarship is for an international student and one scholarship is for a minority student. Hotel, lodging, airfare/transportation, and registration fees (including meals) for both the Media Advocacy Workshop and the Forum conference are all included in the scholarship. To apply for the 2010 scholarship, please send a letter or email explaining your interest in free speech and communications law, and any past experience you have working or volunteering in these areas to:

David Greene

First Amendment Project

9th Floor

1736 Franklin St.

Oakland, CA 94612

dgreene@firstamendment.org

Your letter or email message must be received by Mr. Greene no later than November 16, 2009.

3. HOUSING: The Conference, the Media Advocacy Workshop and the Moot Court Competition will take place at the Ocean Reef Club, 35 Ocean Reef Drive, Key Largo, Florida 33037. To make your hotel reservations or to confirm/change accommodations, please call the Ocean Reef Club at 800-843-2730. **The Ocean Reef Club has reserved a block of rooms for conference registrants who make their reservations no later than December 28, 2009. Be sure to mention that you are attending the ABA Forum on Communications Law conference to receive the discounted room rates.** Room rates are \$335 for single/double tropical view rooms, \$410 for single/double water view/ocean views, \$480 for junior suites and \$747 for two-bedroom condo units. Room tax is 12.5% and service fee is \$15 per day (includes all staff gratuities). **Please note the room block will sell out before December 28, therefore, we recommend that you make your reservations early.**

4. AIR TRAVEL: Airfare discounts are available through ABA Online Travel, Orbitz, the ABA travel agency, or directly from the airlines. To access ABA Online Travel, go to www.abanet.org and click on "ABA Online Travel" at the bottom of the ABA Calendar box. At ABA Online Travel, you'll have automatic access to meeting airfare discounts, web fares and web book only airlines. The toll-free number of Orbitz for Business is 877-222-4185.

Ground Transportation: Shuttle service to/from Miami International Airport and on-site Enterprise car rental service is available through Ocean Reef Club. For shuttle service, arrangements must be made in advance at by calling

305.367.5952 or by email to transportation@oceanreef.com. You will need to reference the ABA and have your travel itinerary available. Shuttle service will be available at a cost of \$60 per person each way during set timeframes (direct billing to individual account) for arrivals on January 27 and 28 and departures on January 30 and 31. Shuttle service will be available outside of the scheduled timeframes at a higher rate. Specific schedule/pricing information is available through Ocean Reef Club. The Ocean Reef Club is an official Enterprise sub-station. Cars can be rented from or returned to Ocean Reef Club, Miami or Ft. Lauderdale International Airports or another Enterprise branch. For more information, please contact the Ocean Reef Club's Transportation department at 305.367.5952. One-way sedan transfer (up to two passengers) is \$230 from Miami International/\$280 from Ft. Lauderdale International. Please contact the Ocean Reef Club for driving directions from both Miami International and Ft. Lauderdale International Airports.

Electric Road Cart rentals provide freedom to tour the Ocean Reef Club's 2,000 acre club-community. The ABA group rate is \$41.25 per day and rental insurance is \$7.50 per day.

5. CANCELLATION POLICY: Registrants who are unable to attend the program will receive a refund of the registration fee less a \$50.00 administrative fee if a written cancellation is received by January 7, 2010. After January 7, no refunds will be granted. Substitutions are permitted. Cancellations may be faxed to (312) 988-5677. The ABA reserves the right to cancel any programs and assumes no responsibility for personal expenses.

6. REGISTRATION FEE & EVENTS: Your registration fee includes admission to all conference workshops/sessions, continental breakfasts, coffee breaks, admission to the Thursday reception, Friday luncheon and dinner, the Saturday luncheon and reception, and conference materials. You can also purchase tickets for your spouse/guest/child for the luncheons and dinner, as well as the recreational events.

7. CLE CREDIT: CLE accreditation has been requested for this conference from every state with mandatory continuing legal education requirements for lawyers. Please be aware that each state has its own rules and regulations, including its definition of CLE. Check with your state agency for confirmation for this program's approval. Attorneys seeking to obtain MCLE credit in Pennsylvania will be required to pay state accreditation fees directly to these states. Certificates of attendance will be available at the conclusion of the conference. For information on the requested number of credit hours to be awarded, please contact Suzette Eights at 312-988-5580.

8. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT: If special arrangements are required for individuals with disabilities to attend this program, please contact Teresa Uçok at the American Bar Association, MS 18.2, 321 N. Clark St., Chicago, Illinois 60654, by January 7, 2010. Teresa's email is tucok@staff.abanet.org and her fax number is 312-988-5677.

9. CONFERENCE ATTIRE: Casual attire is recommended for conference attendees. **Please remember to bring a sweater as Florida evenings can be cool in January.**

10. QUESTIONS: Please call 312-988-5580 or 312-988-5658, email: eightss@staff.abanet.org or tucok@staff.abanet.org.

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ABA FORUM ON COMMUNICATIONS LAW 15TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE JANUARY 28-30, 2010



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Name as you wish it to appear on badge _____

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Are you licensed to practice in New York? (needed for CLE purposes) Yes No

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ANNUAL CONFERENCE		
\$545 Forum member up to 12/15/09	_____	\$ _____
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\$100 Law Students	_____	\$ _____

TICKETED EVENTS

\$40 each Friday Lunch Ticket for Spouse/Guest*	_____	\$ _____
\$90 each Friday Dinner Ticket for Spouse/Guest*	_____	\$ _____
\$30 each Friday Dinner Ticket for Child (under 17)	_____	\$ _____
\$215 per person Friday Golf Tournament (includes greens fees, cart rental and box lunch)	_____	\$ _____
\$45 per person Friday Tennis Tournament	_____	\$ _____
\$40 each Saturday Lunch Ticket for Spouse/Guest*	_____	\$ _____
Dive & Snorkel: (Limit of 32 participants)		
\$65 per person snorkeling <i>(includes equipment)</i>	_____	\$ _____
\$135 per person scuba diving <i>(all equipment included; see social events page for information on equipment)</i>	_____	\$ _____

TOTAL CONFERENCE FEES: _____ \$ _____

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(Free for Law Students) _____ \$ _____

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I belong to the following Section(s): _____

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Expiration Date: _____ Card No. _____

Name on Card (Printed): _____

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Early Bird Registration Deadline:
DECEMBER 15, 2009
Housing Deadline: **December 28, 2009.**
Please call the Ocean Reef Club at
1-800-843-2730 for hotel reservations.

REGISTRATION FORM

ABA FORUM ON COMMUNICATIONS LAW 13TH ANNUAL MEDIA ADVOCACY WORKSHOP JANUARY 28, 2010



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Address _____

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Are you licensed to practice in New York? (needed for CLE purposes) Yes No

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\$325 Forum member up to 12/15/09	_____	\$ _____
\$375 Forum member after 12/15/09	_____	\$ _____
\$425 Non-Forum member up to 12/15/09	_____	\$ _____
\$475 Non-Forum member after 12/15/09	_____	\$ _____
\$100 Law Students	_____	\$ _____
\$ 0 Conference, Workshop or Moot Court Competition	_____	\$ COMP
Sponsors receive 1 free registration per paid registration		
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