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## ★ NOTICE ★

### JOINT CLE With Westchester CLA

**“Detention, Deportation, Due Process? And Death: The Grim Reaper Meets Contemporary U.S. Immigration Law;” and  
“Sex and the Single Alien.”**

**Presented by: Joseph A. Senna, Esq.**

**Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009 at 6:00 p.m.\***

**Frank & John's Pine Restaurant, 1913 Bronxdale Avenue, Bronx, NY**

Attendees receive 1 CLE Credit - RSVP (718) 409-3431

**Members/Friends\*: Dinner & Credits: \$60.00/Dinner only \$60.00**

**Non-Members: Dinner & Credits: \$75.00**

**Dinner Only: \$60.00; Credits Only: \$30.00**

*Please, Turn Off All Cell Phones & Beepers During the Program.*

\*If your dues are not current, you will be charged the Non-Member rate for attendance at the CLE Dinner Programs.

**★ Don't Miss This Informative CLE Program! ★**

### **\* RSVP IS REQUIRED For this Outstanding CLE \***

Joseph Senna's seminars on Immigration Law have been enthusiastically welcomed by all those fortunate enough to have attended one of his lectures. He is not only a brilliant and talented speaker in this field of law but has the added ability to hold his audience's attention by adding a bit of wit and humor to his topic making his delivery all the more compelling. Joseph graduated Fordham Law in 1979, and has been in private practice since 1987 maintaining his law office "Joseph A. Sena, Jr." in White Plains, New York. There, his firm concentrates on immigration, naturalization and consulate law. He is multi-lingual and has represented clients throughout the U.S. and the world, including multinational corporations, businesses, investors, individuals, students, family, labor certification and employment based cases, marriage and deportation. You can also catch one of Joseph's interviews and commentary on the Telemundo News Channel where he frequently appears as a guest. You definitely do not want to miss this CLE presented by this most highly regarded and personable practitioner in the field of Immigration Law.

### **\*SAVE THE DATES\***

#### **★★★ MONTHLY MEETINGS, CLE & SPECIAL PROGRAMS ★★★**

**March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009, Joint CLE with Westchester County Columbian Lawyers, Frank & John's Pine Restaurant, Bronx, New York**

**April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009, Rapallo Awards Luncheon, Waldorf Astoria Grand Ballroom**

**May 6, 2009, Gulio Terzi Sant'Agata, Permanent Representative of Italy to the UN, Columbus Citizen's Club**

The Columbian Lawyers Association has been certified by the New York State Continuing Legal Education Board as an accredited Provider of Continuing Legal Education in the State of New York (Recertification application pending). Any participant in a CLE Program sponsored by the Columbian Lawyers Association, First Judicial Department, who has an authentic financial hardship may request, in writing, accompanied by proper documentation and a sworn statement under oath, a Hardship Tuition Reduction of 20%. All CLE Programs are nontransitional unless otherwise indicated.

## The President's Message

Greetings:

The February CLE presented by our colleague and friend Burton Lipshie – who gave us a CPLR Update par excellence - was a huge success and we are eagerly anticipating yet another great CLE, where we will join in with our Westchester Columbian Bar Association colleagues for the upcoming March 4th CLE welcoming Joseph Senna as guest speaker who will be presenting his highly acclaimed and entertaining lecture on Immigration Law. We are expecting a large turnout for this event so I urge all who plan on attending to RSVP to guarantee your reservations!

Our 44th Annual Rapallo Awards Luncheon at the Waldorf Astoria on Saturday, April 18th is just around the corner. We are very pleased to announce that this year we have chosen to honor two highly respected and admired Italian American Supreme Court Justices – Hon. Paul Victor and Hon. George Salerno. It will be a most phenomenal awards day when these two jurists are each presented this coveted award. I am sure that you will not want to miss this year's Rapallo ceremony and join us in a show of support and appreciation for these two distinguished jurists. You should be receiving your invitations shortly for which a prompt response will be required.

This Bar Association has a long history and one of the most important reasons for its success is due in large part to the individual contributions of our members. With this in mind I call upon membership to volunteer their services by working alongside your colleagues on one of our committees. I know that many of you have expressed an interest in serving on one of our committees and I encourage your active participation choosing from a list of committees that includes our Pro Bono, Good and Welfare, Newsletter, Legislation, Judiciary, Membership, Scholarship and Public Relations Liaison with other Bar Associations. Not only is the work rewarding but you will find that you will be serving an important function within this Bar Association where you can make a difference. I look forward to hearing from all those interested and ask that you contact me directly at 718.409.3431.

We also wish to welcome our newest members: Franz Aliquo, Esq. and Anthony Cannataro, Esq.

Lastly, it is with our deepest sympathy that we announce the recent passing of Emily "Molly" Giamboi, late wife of one of our most beloved members, the Hon. Joseph Giamboi. Our thoughts and prayers are with Judge Giamboi and his family.

Sincerely yours,

Lorraine C. Corsa, President