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BRIDGE-THE-GAP I PROGRAM

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JANUARY 11-13, 2008

BROOKLYN LAW SCHOOL GRADUATES OF 2007 & 2006

Satisfy all of your New York State MCLE Requirements

Attorneys admitted to the New York State Bar on or after October 1, 1997, are required to complete 16 hours of approved Continuing Legal Education courses per year during the first two years of admission. Brooklyn Law School will be presenting PLI's Bridge-the-Gap I program on January 11-13, 2008, which will enable you to satisfy all of your annual requirements for Mandatory Continuing Legal Education for Newly Admitted Attorneys in the State of New York at one time. Why not take advantage of this one-time-only opportunity to attend this program at Brooklyn Law School and earn your MCLE credits at a significantly reduced cost?

This program is designed to give you the practical skills and techniques essential to your practice. Each program attendee will receive a complimentary copy of PLI's comprehensive course materials, which provide practical pointers and sample forms. **Please note: Even if you DID NOT pass the 2007 New York State Bar Examination, you may still take this program and carry your credits over until the date of your admission.**

New York State MCLE Rules, Effective January 2002: In accordance with New York State MCLE Rule (2)(D)(1) Partial Credit—Credit shall be awarded only for attendance at an entire session of a course or program. No credit shall be awarded for attending a portion of a course or a portion of a session. New York State MCLE Rule (2)(D)(2) Repeat Attendance—No CLE credit hours may be earned for repeating the same course or program, in any format, even if the course or program is repeated in a subsequent reporting cycle. **Therefore, if you attended the 2007 Bridge-the-Gap I program at Brooklyn Law School, or Bridge-the-Gap I at the Practising Law Institute, you cannot receive MCLE credit for attending this 2008 program.**

FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2008 • 6:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M. • 3 NYMCLE Credit Hours—Ethics and Professionalism

6:00-7:45 The Deadly Dozen: 12 of the Most Common Mistakes Lawyers Make When Dealing with Clients

Chair: Jeremy R. Feinberg, *Statewide Special Counsel for Ethics, NY Office of Court of Administration, New York City*

Faculty: Sari Gabay-Rafiy, *Gabay-Rafiy & Bowler LLP, New York City; Brooklyn Law School Alumna, Class of 2000*

Hon. Kiyo Matsumoto, *United States Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York, Brooklyn, New York*

Ronald C. Minkoff, *Frankfurt, Kurmit Klein & Selz, P.C., New York City; Adjunct Associate Professor of Law, Brooklyn Law School*

7:45-8:00 Break

8:00-9:00 What Every New Attorney Must Know About Ethics

Pery D. Krinsky, *Law Offices of Michael Ross, New York City*

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2008 • 10:00 A.M. – 5:30 P.M. • 7 NYMCLE Credit Hours Skills—6 Credit Hours, Practice Management—1 Credit Hour

10:00-1:00 Real World Negotiation Skills (There will be one 15-minute break.)

Dina R. Jansenson, *Of Counsel, Flemming Zulack Williamson Zauderer LLP, New York City; Senior Mediator & Arbitrator, JAMS, New York City; Lecturer in Law, Columbia Law School, New York City; Adjunct Assistant Professor of Law, Brooklyn Law School*

1:00-2:00 Lunch

2:00-4:30 Real World Negotiation Skills (continued)

4:30-5:30 Time Management for Lawyers

Kathleen Brady, *Brady & Associates, Career Planners LLC, New York City*

SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 2008 • 10:00 A.M. – 4:30 P.M. • 6 NYMCLE Credit Hours—Professional Practice

10:00-11:15 Matrimonial Practice

Elena Karabatos, *Schlissel Ostrow Karabatos PLLC, New York City; Brooklyn Law School Alumna, Class of 1986*

11:15-11:30 Break

11:30-12:45 Employment Law: Current Issues in the Workplace

Michael A. Faillace, *Michael Faillace & Associates, P.C., New York City; Author, Disability Law Deskbook: The Americans with Disabilities Act in the Workplace (PLI)*

12:45-1:45 Lunch

1:45-3:00 Life, Liberty, and Liability in the Digital Millennium

Hillel I. Parness, *Of Counsel, Lovells, New York City; Lecturer at Law, Columbia Law School, New York City*

3:00-3:15 Break

3:15-4:30 Antitrust and Sports: Teams and Leagues Fights Over Website Content

Martin D. Edel, *Miller & Wrubel P.C., New York City; Adjunct Professor Law, Brooklyn Law School*