



NEWSLETTER

TO: MEMBERS, HASTINGS COUNTY LAW ASSOCIATION

FROM: JUDITH DALE

DATE: APRIL 2016

RE: ANNOUNCEMENTS, CORRESPONDENCE AND UPCOMING EVENTS

1. WHAT'S NEW? FAMILY LAW – MAY 2016

Consolidated Provincial Practice Direction

<http://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/provincial/>

Notice of Amendment:

Effective May 1, 2016, new provisions have been added in Part I C to clarify the court's expectations regarding the confirmation of events in a family case. Amendments were also made to permit a trial scheduling conference to be scheduled in order to ensure proper completion of the Trial Scheduling Endorsement Form, which has been consolidated into one document.

Effective April 1, 2016, Part 1 B (Often Cited Family Law Cases) applies to all regions in Ontario.

February 1, 2016, Para 49 of Part III B has also been amended to indicate that all motions to transfer a civil proceeding should be brought at the court location to which the moving party seeks to have the proceeding transferred.

This Practice Direction governs proceedings in the Ontario Superior Court of Justice, province-wide *unless stated otherwise*, effective July 1, 2014.

This Practice Direction *supersedes* all previous province-wide Practice Directions issued prior to July 1, 2014, which are hereby revoked.

HCLA LUNCH & LEARN 2016 CPD #4 (Evening Session)

Title: The Ethical Lawyer's Guide to the Care & Handling of Expert Witnesses



1.25 hrs. Professionalism + .75 hrs. Substantive

Date(s): Tuesday, May 10, 2016 (replay)
Location: Law Library, Quinte Courthouse, 2nd floor
Cost: \$50.00 per person
Provider: CPD Online
Practice Area(s): Civil litigation
Time: 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

To Register:

Contact the law library by email (hcla@on.aibn.com) or by telephone (613.962.2280)

Light refreshments will be offered

FEATURING:

The Art & Science of Advocacy (2015) **Available in the reference section at the law library**

John A. Olah is the author of “The Art and Science of Advocacy”, a two volume textbook for lawyers on trial tactics and trial procedure.

This text is the first comprehensive Canadian approach to pre-trial and trial advocacy for both civil and criminal law practitioners alike. The text combines authoritative commentary, practical checklists and concise extracts from real-life cases in an easy-to-use how-to format. All aspects of the litigation process are covered from the first client interview to the final jury address, complete with helpful strategy suggestions.

Written by an experienced advocate who has appeared at all levels of courts, including the Court of Appeal for the Province of Ontario and the Supreme Court of Canada, the text features winning techniques for dealing successfully with • trial preparation • discovery and preliminary inquiries • expert witnesses • opening and closing addresses • cross-examination • demonstrative evidence • and procedures before administrative tribunals.

2. NEW ACQUISITIONS AT THE LAW LIBRARY

- **Law Society of Upper Canada**
 - *The Six-Minute Administrative Lawyer*
 - *The Annotated Will 2016*
 - *The Annotated Guardianship Application 2016*
 - *Wills & Estates Practice Basics*

- **Books available for REFERENCE only – short-term loans**
 - Fontana *Law of Search & Seizure in Canada (9th ed.)*
 - Fridman *Sale of Goods in Canada (6th ed)*
 - Kaschuk *24(2) Exclusion of Evidence under the Charter*
 - Sproat *Wrongful Dismissal Handbook (7th ed.)*

3. LIBRARY DISCARDS

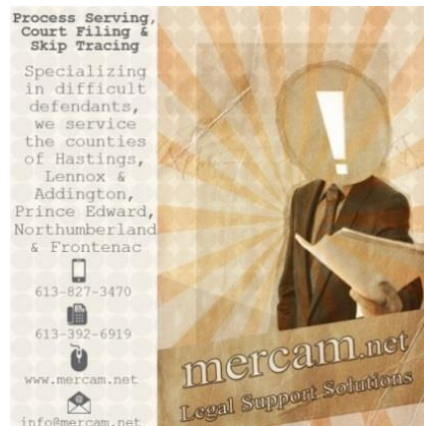
The following books are being withdrawn from circulation. If you are interested in any of these titles, please phone or email the library and the book(s) will be held for you.

Fridman	<i>Sale of Goods in Canada</i>	5 th edition
McLaren	<i>Annotated Ontario Personal Property Security Act</i>	2016
Sproat	<i>Wrongful Dismissal Handbook</i>	6 th edition

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