

NOTICE TO THE BAR

IOLTA FUND OF THE BAR OF NEW JERSEY

Annual Registration Requirement

The Regulations of the IOLTA Fund of the Bar of New Jersey approved by the New Jersey Supreme Court require that trust accounts subject to Rule 1:28A shall be registered annually with the IOLTA Fund. The IOLTA Fund is in the process of compiling a list of attorneys who have not complied with Rule 1:28A and the Regulations of the IOLTA Fund for 2009. The list of those not complying will be submitted to the Supreme Court of New Jersey on October 1, 2009.

The 2009 IOLTA Registration forms were mailed to law firms in December 2008 and to individuals not yet registered in May and August 2009. Any attorney who is subject to Rule 1:28A and who did not receive the forms should contact the IOLTA Fund immediately at 732-247-8222. Please note that IOLTA registration is *different* from the requirements of the Lawyers Fund for Client Protection and requires a separate response.

Even if you are no longer in private practice, you should respond so that we can adjust our records. If you are not sure if you responded, call us. Our goal is to assist EVERY attorney in the compliance process.

For the past fifteen years those attorneys not complying with Rule 1:28A have been declared administratively ineligible to practice law in New Jersey by the Supreme Court of New Jersey.

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