

## **NOTICE TO THE BAR**

### **APPLICATION TO DESIGNATE ASBESTOS LITIGATION AS A MASS TORT FOR CENTRALIZED MANAGEMENT**

Pursuant to Directive # 10-07, "Mass Torts - - Revised Guidelines and Criteria for Designation", an application has been made to the Supreme Court, through the Acting Administrative Director of the Courts, to designate all New Jersey state court asbestos litigation as a mass tort and assignment of that mass tort to Middlesex County (Judge Ann G. McCormick) for centralized management purposes.

Anyone wishing to comment on or object to this mass tort application should provide such comments or objections, with relevant supporting documentation, to the Acting Administrative Director of the Courts, P. O. Box 037, Trenton, NJ 08625-0037, by March 31, 2008.

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Acting Administrative Director of the Courts

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