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**An Introduction to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission,
Aboriginal and Indigenous Legal Issues and the Practice of Law:
A Panel Discussion**

**Tuesday, February 14, 2017 from 12:00 noon – 2:30 p.m.
3rd Floor, Law Society Building, 196-198 Water Street, St. John's, NL**

Who Should Attend: All members.

When: Tuesday, February 14, 2017 from 12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m.
Registration at 11:45 am

Where: 3rd Floor, Law Society Building, 196-198 Water Street, St. John's.

As members of the legal profession are likely aware, the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada made specific recommendations with respect to the legal profession. The Commission, in its Calls to Action, called upon the Federation of Law Societies of Canada to:

“Ensure that lawyers receive appropriate cultural competency training, which includes the history and legacy of residential schools, the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, Treaties and Aboriginal rights, Indigenous law, and Aboriginal–Crown relations.”

This seminar will, in a panel discussion format, begin to consider some key issues in respect of Aboriginal and Indigenous legal matters and will discuss the interaction of these issues in the context of the practice of law and the legal profession in Canada.

A light lunch will be provided.

Presenters:

Ms. Barbara Barker
NL Legal Aid Commission
St. John's, NL

Ms. Adrienne Edmunds
Department of Justice and Public Safety
Happy Valley-Goose Bay, NL

Mr. Shayne McDonald
McDonald White
Conne River, NL

Mr. Desmond Parsons
NL Legal Aid Commission
Gander, NL

Ms. Amelia Reimer
St. John's Native Friendship Centre
St. John's, NL

Four ways to Register - Registration deadline is Monday, February 13, 2017

By Mail:
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**Please note that payment must precede attendance.
Cancellations cannot be accepted after February 13, 2017.**

Registration Form – Please Note: Space is Limited

Please register me for the “*Aboriginal/Indigenous Legal Issues*” seminar scheduled for **Tuesday, February 14, 2017** at 12:00 noon – 2:30 pm at the Law Society Building, 3rd Floor, 196-198 Water Street.

Name / Firm: _____

Telephone: _____

Registration Fees:

Register before Friday, February 3, 2017: \$ 26.09 + 3.91 (HST) = \$ 30.00

Register after Friday, February 3, 2017: \$ 39.13 + 5.87 (HST) = \$ 45.00

(Registration Fee includes a light lunch) HST # R108086463

Members who live outside St. John's may participate by video/teleconference. Please contact Regina Whitty at (709) 758-0817 to make arrangements.

N.B. Subject to the Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Requirements, this seminar would constitute 2.5 hours of eligible CLE activities.

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