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Newsletter of the Federal Communications Bar Association

FCBA Annual Seminar 2003

Please make plans to join us for the FCBA's Annual Seminar, which will take place **May 2-4, 2003**, at **The Homestead** in Hot Springs, VA. This year's planning committee co-chaired by **Mike Senkowski**, **Celia Nogales** and **Kathy Zachem** is putting together a dynamic program including, Members of Congress, FCC Commissioners and corporate CEO's.

The Homestead resort, established in 1766, rests within the Allegheny Mountains of Virginia. Golf courses, tennis courts, a European-style spa, and

a Kids Club are just a few of the activities available to entertain you and your guests. For more details about the resort, visit www.thehomestead.com. A **Room Reservation Request Form** is located on page 17. The deadline to reserve a room is **April 2, 2003**. **For Government Rated Rooms**, please fill out this same form, but fax it directly to the FCBA - 202-293-4317. **Seminar registration** is separate, and the form is on page 16.

We hope you will join us at The Homestead in May!

HOT TIMES AT THE HOMESTEAD

Key Communications Decision-Makers and Industry Leaders Offer Their Views And Answer Your Questions

AGENDA

Friday, May 2

1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

SEMINAR REGISTRATION AND SPONSOR INFORMATION ON DISPLAY

3:00 - 3:15 p.m.

WELCOME TO THE CONFERENCE

Opening remarks by **Peter Shields**, FCBA President

3:15 - 4:15 p.m.
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A Tutorial on Computer, Software, Communications and Content Convergence - **Jeffrey Eisenach**

4:15 - 5:00 p.m.
VIEW FROM THE CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE

A look forward at the key issues facing the FCC - Address by **Marsha MacBride**, Chief of Staff, Office of the Chairman, Federal Communications Commission - Moderated by **Kathryn Zachem**

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The World Radio Conference 2003: How Does It Work? What Will it Mean? - April 9 CLE Seminar

Please join us for an educational and interactive session about the process and the major issues driving U.S. policy at the World Radio Conference (WRC -2003) to be held this June in Geneva, Switzerland.

CONFIRMED PRESENTERS INCLUDE:

- Ambassador Janice Obuchowski, U. S. Representative to the 2003 WRC
- Ambassador David A. Gross, U.S. Coordinator for International Communications and Information Policy, U.S. Department of State
- Michael Gallagher, Deputy Assistant Secretary, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce
- Jennifer Manner, Senior Counsel to FCC Commissioner Abernathy for wireless, technology and international issues; Member of the U.S. Delegation to the 1995 and 2000 WRCs
- Brian Fontes, Vice President, Federal Relations for Cingular Wireless; Chair of the Council for the Communications Regulatory Agency in Bosnia and Herzegovina; U. S. Representative to the 1995 WRC
- Jennifer Warren, Senior Director of Regulatory Affairs for Lockheed Martin Global Telecommunications; Member of the U.S. Delegation to the 1995, 1997 and 2000 WRCs

The CLE will be held at the Capital Hilton Hotel, 16th and K Streets, Senate Room, form and fees are on page 15.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

DEAR MEMBERS:

It is hard to believe that it's almost time for another FCBA Annual Seminar. This event is always a highlight of the FCBA calendar, and this year proves to be no exception. Conference planners Celia Nogales, Mike Senkowski and Kathy Zachem have planned an exceptional program, offering something for all communications practitioners and professionals. Friday's program features FCC Chief of Staff Marsha MacBride and BET Chairman and CEO Bob Johnson. On Saturday morning, Commissioners Abernathy, Copps, Martin and Adelstein will participate in a panel discussion on current hot topics, and Congressmen Boucher and Goodlatte will speak on current legislative initiatives. The Annual Seminar offers a unique opportunity to gather with fellow FCBA members from the private sector and government for a weekend of substance and fun, be it on the golf course, tennis court, or in one of the many other venues at The Homestead. This is an especially good opportunity for younger attorneys or professionals to network and get to know FCBA members in an informal setting. I encourage those of you in a position to do so to send a junior lawyer or professional in your organization to the Seminar. I know that I, and many other former young lawyers, benefited from the opportunity to attend the Seminar early in my career. I hope to see many of you at The Homestead from May 2-4.

For those of you who were unable to attend, on March 11th the FCBA hosted its sixth biennial Congressional Reception honoring members of the Senate Commerce and House Energy and Commerce Committees and their staffs in the Dirksen Senate Building. Joining our colleagues from Capitol Hill were Chairman Powell, Commissioners Martin and Copps, and several other senior FCC officials. More than 40 FCBA companies and firms sponsored the reception attended by hundreds of FCBA members. Thanks to Bill Bailey, Larry Duncan and Mitch Rose, co-chairs of the Legislation Committee, for organizing the highly successful event.

Continuing my update on committee activities, the Access to Records Committee has been working closely with FCC staff for the last few months to address concerns relating to online filing of application forms and recent problems with reference room access. Dennis Corbett, Chris Bjornson and Michael McCoin chair this committee and have done a great job of including attorneys and legal assistants in this process. Thanks to the collaborative effort, substantial progress has been made on these issues, although some follow up work remaining to be done. I also want to thank Renee Licht of the FCC for her leadership in resolving these important concerns for our members. Please contact Dennis, Chris, or Michael if you have additional concerns in this area, or questions about their activities to date.

Finally, as we begin our formal election process, I want to offer my congratulations to the next FCBA President-Elect Harry Martin and the other officer nominees, Michele Farquhar (Secretary), Diane Cornell (Treasurer), Jim Blitz (Assistant Treasurer), and Jennifer Warren (Assistant Secretary). Each of these individuals has worked hard for years on behalf of this organization and they represent an excellent and deserving slate of officers. They, under the excellent leadership of Sandy Wilson and along with the winners of the contested positions, will ensure that the FCBA continues to be the premier national communications organization.



Peter D. Shields



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5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

CONFERENCE KEYNOTE

A look at where the industry has been and where it is heading by **Robert L. Johnson**, Chairman and CEO of BET - Moderated by **R. Michael Senkowski**

6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

MIX AND MINGLE

FCBA Hosted Bar on the Casino Lawn

6:30 p.m.

BUFFET DINNER ON THE CASINO LAWN

7:30 – 10:30 p.m.

BOWLING AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

Saturday, May 3

7:00 – 10:00 a.m.

BREAKFAST IN THE HOMESTEAD'S DINING ROOM

8:00 a.m. – Noon

REGISTRATION AND SPONSOR INFORMATION ON DISPLAY

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

INDUSTRY PANEL

(Participants TBD)

9:15 – 10:30 a.m.

CONVERGENCE CHALLENGES AND CONGRESSIONAL PRIORITIES

Hon. **Rick Boucher** (confirmed) and Hon. **Bob Goodlatte** (invited)

10:30 – 10:45 a.m.

BREAK

10:45 a.m. – Noon

ASK THE COMMISSIONERS

An open dialogue with the FCC Commissioners **Kathleen Abernathy**, **Kevin Martin**, **Michael Copps** and **Jonathan Adelstein**

Seminar Sponsors

Sponsors as of 3/24/03

Sponsorships for the seminar are still available. For more info about sponsorship, please contact Kathy Zachem - kzachem@wbklaw.com or Heidi Kurtz - heidi@fcba.org

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Noon – 6:00 p.m.

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN AND AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

1:00 p.m.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Lower Cascades Course

1:00 p.m.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

2:00 p.m.

FCBA HIKE

Meet on the front porch of the Homestead

4:00 p.m.

HIGH TEA

The Homestead offers high tea in the Great Hall complimentary to all guests

6:30 - 10:30 p.m.

KIDS CLUB BANQUET AND ACTIVITIES

7:00 p.m.

COCKTAIL RECEPTION

7:30 p.m.

DINNER AND DANCE FOR ATTENDEES AND GUESTS

Sunday, May 4

7:00 – 10:00 a.m.

BREAKFAST IN THE HOMESTEAD'S DINING ROOM

FCBA Committees

As stated in the FCBA Bylaws, the President is charged with selecting committee co-chairs each new fiscal year. **FCBA President-Elect, Alexandra Wilson**, will begin the process in the next few months. If you are interested in submitting your name for consideration as a committee co-chair for FY. 2003-2004, beginning July 1, 2003, please send an email to Sandy at alexandra.wilson@cox.com. You should feel free to explain your committee choice, relevant experience as a committee member or chair, and alternative choices in the event your first choices are not available.

CLE SEMINARS

Enforcement CLE Seminar on April 28

The Enforcement Committee, co-chaired by **Robert Pettit**, **Jordan Goldstein** and **Kathryn Brown** is planning a full-day Enforcement CLE Seminar on **Monday, April 28, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** Registration information is on page 18, and the cost is \$200 for private sector members, \$250 for non-members, and \$180 for government and academic members. Soft drinks, coffee and lunch are included. The FCBA anticipates that the Virginia State Bar will approve the seminar for approximately 5 to 6 credit hours. *Please note that space is limited for this seminar.*

The agenda as of March 24, is as follows:

8:30 - 9:00 a.m. REGISTRATION

9:00 - 9:15 a.m. WELCOME & PROGRAM INTRODUCTION

9:15 - 10:00 a.m. TUTORIAL

Presentation by **David Solomon** on the Structure, Function and Operation of the FCC Enforcement Bureau

Presentation by Enforcement Bureau Chief on:

- Functional organization of Bureau
- Overview of the work of the Bureau - delegated authority, investigations, formal and informal complaints

10:00 - 10:45 a.m. CONVERSATION WITH DAVID SOLOMON: RECENT TRENDS IN FCC ENFORCEMENT CASES

Panel of practitioners interview Enforcement Bureau Chief on recent Commission and judicial issues and decisions:

- Enforcement priorities
- Use of Notices of Apparent Liability/Forfeiture Orders

- Changes in Section 1.17 of the Commission's rules
- Interface with FCC Commissioners
- Interface with State commissions and enforcement agencies

10:45 - 11:00 a.m. BREAK

11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. NUTS & BOLTS: PROCESS & PROCEDURE IN FCC FORMAL COMPLAINT PROCEEDINGS

Panel of Enforcement Bureau officials and practitioners from both sides of formal complaint on discussing:

- how to file formal complaints
- consideration of FCC complaint processes v. judicial processes
- defense of formal complaints
- use of settlement conferences
- performance & use of the Commission's "Rocket Docket"

12:30 - 1:45 p.m. LUNCH WITH COMMISSIONER ABERNATHY

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. MORE NUTS & BOLTS: BEYOND FORMAL COMPLAINTS.

Panel of Enforcement Bureau officials and practitioners discuss enforcement activities in areas not involving formal complaints:

Section 403 investigations - when they're initiated and how they're conducted

- Informal complaints
- Industry-specific audits
- Broadcast indecency
- EEO enforcement
- Tower and environmental enforcement

3:00 - 3:45 p.m. INTERNAL INVESTIGATIONS: CLIENT EMPLOYEES AS WITNESSES

Panel of practitioners discussing the conduct

3:45 - 4:00 p.m. BREAK

4:00 - 4:45 p.m. COMING TO AN END: DEVELOPMENT OF COMPLIANCE PLANS AND NEGOTIATION OF CONSENT AGREEMENTS WITH THE FCC.

Panel discussion of Enforcement Bureau officials and practitioners on:

- When & how to approach the Bureau with a possible consent decree
- Components of compliance plans
- Follow-up Bureau enforcement

4:45 - 5:00 p.m. CLOSING REMARKS

The 2003 World Computer and Internet Law Congress, May 1-2

The Computer Law Association in affiliation with, the Federal Communications Bar Association, the Computer and Telecommunications Section of the D.C. Bar, the D.C. Computer Law Forum, and International Federation of Computer Law Associations, presents the *The 2003 World Computer and Internet Law Congress, A Unique World Class Legal Summit Focusing on Practical, "Take-Home" Advice and Guidance by Top Information Technology Experts*, on May 1-2, 2003, Fairmont Washington Hotel, Washington, D.C.

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- Making electronic agreements enforceable worldwide
- New tax liabilities
- Offshoring the ownership of intellectual property

- Internet advertising
- Recent intellectual property developments
- New or imminent laws, rules, and regulations and other “hot” topics
- Transactions involving key IT and internet law issues

For full conference brochure and to take advantage of special early registration check this link: www.cla.org/claonfs.htm or the Computer Law Association website at www.cla.org or call (703) 560-7747.

What Every Communications Practitioner Should Know About Sarbanes-Oxley and Corporate Compliance CLE Seminar on May 20

The Continuing Legal Education, Ethics, and Young Lawyers Committees are sponsoring a CLE to provide an overview of the **Sarbanes-Oxley Act**, (“SOA”), SEC regulations, and other corporate compliance issues

relevant to the telecommunications industry. The course is designed to assist practitioners in spotting compliance issues for their clients, and is targeted for those practitioners who need a basic understanding of the issues and those practitioners who possess some basic corporate compliance knowledge but want to gain greater understanding. Panelists include: (1) **Tom Hickey**, Assistant General Counsel, Nextel, who will address SOA from a corporate perspective; (2) **Barry Summer**, Assistant Director, Division of Corporation Finance, SEC, who will address the securities laws and SOA from a compliance perspective (focusing on communications companies); (3) **Andrew Hruska**, Senior Counsel, Office of the Deputy Attorney General, who will discuss the Corporate Fraud Task Force established by President Bush in July 2002. Additional panelists, including representatives from a broadcasting company and the SEC’s Enforcement Division, are also anticipated.

The seminar will be held at the offices of Dow, Lohnes & Albertson, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W., Suite 800, Washington, D.C., 6:00-8:15 p.m. Registration information is on page 15.

Distinguished Service Award

Each year the FCBA awards its “Distinguished Service Award” to members of the Association who have demonstrated outstanding service to the Association, the profession, or the national or local community, either this year or in past years. Members of the FCBA are invited to submit nominations for the award, including a description of the nominee’s accomplishments. Please send nominations in writing to **Stan Zenor** no later than **Friday, May 2, 2003**.

IN MEMORIAM

Barbara Wellbery

Barbara Wellbery, 54, a partner in the law firm of Morrison & Foerster LLP and a long-time member of the FCBA, died on March 8, 2003, after a long and courageous battle against breast cancer. Barbara received her B.S. degree from S.U.N.Y Binghamton (Harpur College) in 1969 and her J.D. degree from Stanford Law School in 1978. Prior to joining Morrison & Foerster in 2000, Barbara served as Counselor to the Under Secretary for Electronic Commerce and was head of the International Trade

Administration’s (Department of Commerce) Electronic Commerce Task Force. In this capacity, she was the chief architect and principal negotiator of the safe harbor privacy accord with the European Union. Barbara also served as Chief Counsel to the National Telecommunications and Information Administration of the U.S. Department of Commerce from 1994 to 1997, where she was a legal and policy advisor on domestic and international communications issues, as well as Internet and electronic commerce issues. Prior to joining the Department of

Commerce in 1994, Barbara worked in the legal departments of Discovery Communications, Inc. and the Public Broadcasting Service and was associated with Wilmer Cutler & Pickering. Throughout her illness, Barbara exhibited tremendous inner strength and steadfastly fulfilled her commitments to her family, colleagues, and clients. She will be remembered for her strong devotion to her family and friends, her great spirit and courage, and her professional excellence. Barbara is survived by her husband, Max Truitt, and her children, Sarah and James Truitt.

SPECIAL EVENTS



Congressional Reception held on March 11

On March 11, 2003, the FCBA held its sixth biennial **Congressional Reception** honoring members of the **House Committee on Energy and Commerce** and the **Senate Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation**. The event was attended by nearly 300 people and was held in a hearing room of the Dirksen Senate office building. Thanks to the co-chairs of the Legislation Committee, **Bill Bailey, Mitch Rose and Larry Duncan**, as well as the event's sponsors and FCBA members, for making it a success.

THE FCBA WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE CONGRESSIONAL RECEPTION SPONSORS

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MOOT COURT COMPETITION

9th Annual National Telecommunications Moot Court Competition

On February 21st and 22nd, the FCBA and the Catholic University of America's Columbus School of Law co-hosted the Ninth Annual National Telecommunications Moot Court Competition. Teams from seven law schools competed in the Competition, which featured a challenging problem. First Place Team was awarded to Jason R. Collins and Paul A. Dame of William and Mary School of Law. Second Place Team was awarded to University of Colorado School of Law students Kley Achterhof, Joe Linhoff, and Dave St. John-Larkin. Congratulations to the winners and to all participants!

Competitors, FCBA members, and Catholic University faculty members and law students packed into the courtroom for the Final Round between Colorado and William and Mary. A sizzling hot bench consisting of three prestigious

judges peppered the finalists with challenging, provocative questions - and the finalists rose to the challenge. **Final Round judges were: FCC Commissioner Kevin Martin; Sandy Wilson**, President-Elect of the FCBA and Vice President of Cox Enterprises, Inc.; and **Daniel Brenner**, Vice President of the National Cable Telecommunications Association.

Competition Committee Co-Chairs Charlie Kennedy, Lee Petro and Nandan Joshi heartily thank the many people who made this event a success. First and foremost, kudos to Catholic University's Amy Hogan-Burney, Vice-Chancellor of the Competition, who worked countless hours to ensure that this was the best Competition yet!

This year's Competition Committee consisted of the following FCBA members: Howard Griboff, Jason D. Oxman, Beth Valinoti, Jennifer Dine Wagner, David Kumar, Steve Yelverton, and Jennifer Gorny. The following Committee members specifically dedicated tremendous time and effort to the creation and drafting of the problem

and bench memo: Jennifer Dine Wager, Jennifer Gorny, and David Kumar. Thanks to all!

Many thanks go to the record number of FCBA members who gave of their time and expertise by serving as volunteer preliminary round judges and brief judges.

If you missed this year's Competition, don't let it happen again! Mark your calendars for the Tenth Annual Competition to be held the final weekend of February 2004. See you there!



William & Mary — Overall Competition Winner. Jason R. Collins, left, and Paul A. Dame, right, flank their coach.



Jennifer Phurrough, Catholic University of America.



Jason Goldman, Catholic University of America.

MOOT COURT COMPETITION



University of Colorado— Best Brief and Finalist.



David St. John-Larkin, University of Colorado School of Law.



Nichole Gatewood — Best Oralist.



Final round of oral argument judges Dan Brenner, Commissioner Kevin Martin and Sandy Wilson prepare to listen to final round arguments.

Competing Teams

The Catholic University of America, Columbus School of Law

Jason Goldman, Linda Nagel, Jennifer Phurrough

Georgetown University Law Center

Jonathan Isaacs, Mark Leighton, Matthew Wetzel

Indiana University School of Law, Bloomington

Darcie L. Fawcett, Shellie L. Goetz, Jason R. Hildebrand

University of Baltimore School of Law

Nichole C. Gatewood, Brad Hersey, Mollie Shuman

University of Colorado School of Law

Kley Achterhof, Joe Linhoff, Dave St. John-Larkin

Willamette University College of Law

Bethany L. Evans, Sadie L. Lowe

William and Mary School of Law

Jason R. Collins, Paul A. Dame

MOOT COURT COMPETITION



Bethany Evans, Willamette University College of Law



Final round judges discuss the final round argument with finalists William & Mary and University of Colorado.



Final teams with judges, from left to right, Paul A. Dame and Jason R. Collins, William & Mary School of Law; Judges Dan Brenner, Sandy Wilson and Commissioner Kevin Martin,; Joe Linhoff, David St. John-Larkin and Kley Achterhof.



Linda Nagel, Catholic University of America.



William & Mary — Overall Competition Winner with co-chairs and chancellor.



University of Colorado — Best Brief Winner with committee co-chairs Nandan Joshi, Lee Petro and Charles Kennedy, and Catholic University Vice Chancellor of the competition, Amy F. Hogan-Burney.

MOOT COURT COMPETITION

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COMMITTEE AND CHAPTER EVENTS

Common Carrier Practice Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Wednesday, April 23, 12:15 p.m.
Location: Qwest, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 700
Speakers: Chief and Deputies of the FCC's Telecommunications Access Policy Division
For more info: Matt Brill, mbrill@fcc.gov
RSVP to: n/a

Cable Practice Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Thursday, April 17, 12:15 p.m.
Location: NCTA, 1724 Massachusetts Ave., NW, 2nd Floor Conference Room
Speaker: Sarah Whitesell, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein
For more info: Catherine Bohigian, cbohigia@fcc.gov
RSVP to: Wendy Parish, wendy@fcba.org

Texas Chapter

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Friday, April 25, Noon
Location: Frost Bank Building, Suite 1140, 816 Congress Avenue, Austin, TX
Topic: Overview of El Paso Global Networks - SBC Arbitration Award addressing dark fiber and wholesale services
Speakers: Eric Drummond, Sifuentes, Drummond & Smith, LLP and David Brown, SBC Legal Dept.
For more info: Dineen Majcher - dmajcher@reglaw.com

Wireless Telecommunications Committee

Event: Luncheon
Date/Time: Friday, April 4, 12:15-1:30 p.m.
Location: Sidley Austin Brown & Wood, 1501 K Street, NW, Conference Room 6E
Speakers: John Muleta, new Chief of the Wireless Bureau
Cost: \$15
RSVP to: see form on page 15

Young Lawyers Committee

Event: Brown Bag Lunch
Date/Time: Thursday, April 17, 12:15 p.m.
Location: Morrison & Foerster, 2000 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 5500
Topic: The panelists will discuss the following topics: how the FCC is focusing on Wi-Fi issues, especially those in ET Docket No. 02-380; the Wi-Fi market and requested legislative and/or regulatory solutions; Wi-Fi technologies, challenges and solutions; and federal legislation to set aside spectrum for unlicensed services such as Wi-Fi
Speakers: Peter Tenhula, Director of the FCC's Spectrum Policy Task Force; Paula Ford, Regulatory Counsel for Microsoft; and Dr. Ashim Roy, Vice President, Business Development & Operations for ComBasis
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FCC Revises Section 1.17 of its Rules, the Truthful Statements Rule; Clarifies Obligations to Assure Filings Are Accurate

Prepared by the Professional Responsibility Committee Co-Chairs

On March 10th, the Federal Communications Commission released its Report and Order implementing significant revisions to its existing “truthful statements” rule, with a view toward imposing more stringent obligations on those appearing before the Commission to ensure that all written and oral submissions are correct and not misleading. The FCBA participated in this proceeding to assure that the new rule accommodated the obligations imposed on its members by the Rules of Professional Responsibility. The Report and Order reflects a number of changes suggested by the FCBA.

In a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking issued in 2002, the Commission proposed a revision to the rule that would have prohibited any person appearing before the FCC from “intentionally or negligently provid[ing] incorrect material information or intentionally or negligently omit[ting] any material information bearing on any matter within the jurisdiction of the Commission. In its Report and Order adopting the new rules, the Commission, in response to comments of the FCBA, dropped the proposed “negligent” standard and adopted a standard that tracks the provision of Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. In the new Rule 1.17, the Commission prohibited written and oral statements of fact that are intentionally incorrect or misleading and written statements of fact that are made without a reasonable basis for believing that the statement is correct and not misleading.



Texas Chapter co-chairs, Tom Anson and Robin Casey with Jonathan Askin of ALTS (center).

The revised section 1.17 also broadens the category of persons subject to its requirements to include: (1) any applicant for, or holder of, any Commission authorization; (2) any person performing without Commission authorization an activity that requires Commission authorization; (3) any recipient of a Commission citation or letter of inquiry, or any person subject to a Commission or staff investigation; (4) in a proceeding to amend the FM or Television Table of Allotments, any person filing an expression of interest, and (5) to the extent not already covered above, any cable operator or common carrier. Attorneys and engineers acting in their representational capacities are not covered by the amended rule.

The amended rule applies to investigatory and adjudicatory matters. It does not apply to declaratory ruling or to rulemaking proceedings, except for (1) expressions of interest in proceedings to amend the FM or Television Table of Allotments, and (2) tariff proceedings. The revised rule becomes effective upon publication in the Federal Register. Members of the Bar are encouraged to read the Commission’s Report and Order in order to understand fully the new requirements. Note: As of 3-28-03, the rule is in place and effective.

Texas Chapter

The Texas Chapter co-sponsored a luncheon at the March 7 the University of Texas Law School Telephone Conference in Richardson, Texas. The featured luncheon speaker was Jonathan Askin, General Counsel for ALTS. Jonathan gave the audience of 125 lawyers and regulatory specialists a lively presentation about his recent experiences lobbying the FCC during the Triennial Review proceeding.

What’s the Password?

Many of you have noticed that while trying to log into the FCBA’s **Online Membership Directory**: www.fcba.org/directory_login.shtml, that a password is required. The password can be located **every month on page two** of the *FCBA News*, and will appear at the bottom of the **masthead**. The **masthead** is the box containing the list of the FCBA’s Executive Committee members. The **password changes** on the **10th** of every month.

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Edward James Palmieri

FCBA Member since 2000;
Associate: Dow, Lohnes &
Albertson, PLLC

Being a first-year associate at a large, prestigious firm is plenty to handle on its own, so it's not difficult to be impressed by an associate who willingly takes on a significant pro bono project during his first year. But FCBA member Ed Palmieri did just that last year when he, with another associate at the firm, took on a high-profile political asylum case and saw it through to a successful conclusion that garnered local and national media coverage and a pro bono award.

The case, which had come to the firm through its pro bono program, involved an Egyptian citizen whose asylum application had been denied by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS). Reviewing the case with the help of a partner with experience in immigration law, Ed and fellow associate Amy Mielke found that the client's experiences in Egypt justified a legitimate fear of persecution in his home country based on his sexual orientation. First, they helped the client win a live hearing at the INS.

Next, they helped him develop a strategy and prepare materials for the hearing proceeding.

Palmieri treated the pro bono client with the same degree of attention and professionalism as any other firm client, as the firm's pro bono policy requires. Despite the firm's support for the project, Palmieri admits to feeling an added level of stress given the knowledge that an unfavorable result in the case would mean the client's deportation to a very uncertain future in Egypt.

Palmieri and Mielke accompanied the client to the meeting with the hearing examiner. Although Palmieri was nervous in the days leading up to the hearing, he left the hearing room feeling confident that they had presented a compelling case for asylum. Several days later, he was elated and relieved when the INS called to let them know that the client's asylum application had been granted.

Then Palmieri got the pleasure of calling the client to let him know that his new life in the United States didn't have to come to an end. "That was definitely the best client phone call I've made so far as a lawyer," Palmieri admits.

Although Palmieri knew that persecution based on sexual orientation in Egypt had been the subject of media coverage, he did not expect the case to receive as much attention as it did. He now has a framed copy of a national newspaper article about the case (which mentions his name prominently) hanging on his office wall. But the attention didn't end with the media. At Dow Lohnes's holiday party last December, Palmieri and Mielke were named the firm's pro bono attorneys of the year for their hard work and success on the asylum case.

Although the pro bono matter added a significant amount of work and stress to his first year, Palmieri is grateful to the firm and its pro bono program for giving him such a rewarding opportunity. With his commitment to service, Palmieri feels right at home as an FCBA member. In fact, the same month that he received his pro bono award from Dow Lohnes, he volunteered at the FCBA's charity auction.

*Charles L. Keller - Co-Chair, FCBA
Membership and Marketing
Committee*



Volunteers for Martha's Table and McKenna's Wagon Wanted

Volunteer on April 27 for Martha's Table, which is located in a yellow building at 2114 Fourteenth Street, NW, in the District, near the intersection of 14th and U Streets. On-street parking is available. For more information, contact Howard Weiss at 703/812-0471 (or Chris Wood at 202/939-7903 (cwood@fw-law.com)).

Volunteers are needed for the monthly afternoon food distribution with McKenna's Wagon on Sunday, April 27. The volunteers meet at Martha's Table, 2114 Fourteenth Street, NW in the late afternoon. To volunteer, or for more information about McKenna's Wagon, please contact: **Tom Van Wazer** - 202-736-8119 - tvanzaze@sidley.com

Establishment of a Motorola Scholarship

Last Month, the Motorola Foundation made a generous contribution of \$12,000 to the FCBA Foundation to fund

a college scholarship to be awarded this year. This new "Motorola Scholarship" will be given to a deserving student at a District of Columbia high school, to be paid towards his or her college tuition over the next four years. As with other FCBA Foundation Scholarships, the Motorola Scholarship will be awarded based upon academic merit, school attendance, community service, financial need and an interest in communications, computers or information technology.

Over the past decade, the FCBA Foundation has awarded college scholarships to more than 50 high school students from Roosevelt, Cardozo and Spingarn High Schools in the District of Columbia. We greatly appreciate the Motorola donation, which allows the Foundation to add another scholarship this year.

7th Annual FCBA Foundation Golf Tournament on June 16

Its time to mark your calendars for the 7th Annual FCBA Foundation Honorable Robert E. Lee Memorial Golf Tournament

on **Monday, June 16, 2003** (the day after Father's Day). The group will return to **Bull Run Country Club** in Haymarket, Virginia. Last year the event was oversubscribed, so be alert when registration opens. This will be the Foundation's second visit to the Bull Run track, so players are expected to invent new excuses: "I never played there before" no longer works. And, regardless of your finish, it is an enjoyable day for a good cause - raising over \$25,000 for the FCBA Foundation's Scholarship Fund, which provides college funds for deserving District of Columbia high school graduates.

The committee made some changes to this year's tournament in order to make it as fair as possible, and to maximize scholarship funds. The biggest change is that those golfers who are not a part of an Eagle or Foursome Friends team, will no longer be able to form their own foursome teams. Individual golfers can sign up and will be placed into foursomes by the committee. If you have any questions about this, please contact Alan Campbell or Heidi Kurtz.

A registration form is on page 19.

Volunteers Wanted for Walk-In Legal Clinic

On Saturday, May 10th from 9:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. members of the FCBA will volunteer at a walk-in legal clinic helping lower income individuals sponsored by the DC Bar. We always need new individuals to expand our ranks. You don't have to be a "young lawyer" to volunteer!

Attorneys receive a half-hour overview/orientation beginning at 9:30

a.m. over bagels and juice. Volunteers are expected to assist clients only during the time they are at the clinic. No special legal knowledge is needed — attorneys generally need to keep an eye out for potential legal issues while using their common sense to solve a myriad of questions and make referrals to other organizations. Experienced attorneys on-site will assist FCBA attorneys and other volunteers with any questions. Previous attendees have described this as "the most satisfying volunteer experience I've had as an attorney."

All members of the FCBA and of the DC Bar are welcome to volunteer. Paralegals and law students are also welcome.

The clinic is located at Bread for the City, 1525 7th St., NW Washington, D.C. Metro accessible on the Green line, Howard University Metro station, exit at 8th & R Streets.

More information is available. **For information or to RSVP, contact Chris Fedeli at (202) 833-4422, or cfedeli@covad.net.**

JOB BANK

TO RESPOND TO JOB BANK LISTINGS

If the employer is listed, send the information requested directly to the employer. If you are responding to a **BLIND BOX** listing, send **ONE COPY** of the information requested to Heidi Kurtz, Federal Communications Bar Association, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036-6101, or **EMAIL** it to heidi@fcba.org. Please clearly indicate the Blind Box number to which you are responding. If you are applying to a Blind Box, you may enclose a separate note to the FCBA specifying any organization to which you do not wish your application to be forwarded. Responses to Blind Box listings can be accepted only from FCBA members.

TO LIST A JOB

Complete a Job Bank Form and send or fax the Form and the appropriate payment to Heidi Kurtz, Federal Communications Bar Association, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036-6101. In addition, please email the text of the ad to heidi@fcba.org. Listings and payment received by the 10th day of each month will appear in the next month's newsletter. If possible, ads should not exceed 75 words. Please call the FCBA, (202) 293-4000, for a Job Bank Form. (No headhunters please).

4.03.1

The Washington, DC office of McDermott, Will & Emery (MWE), a premier international law firm, is seeking a second or third-year Associate to join its Telecommunications Practice Group. Experience with wireless and common carrier regulatory issues preferred. For further information about MWE, see our webpage at www.mwe.com. Please send a resume and writing sample to Brenda Kittay, Recruiting Manager, McDermott, Will & Emery, 600 - 13th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005-3096; E-Mail: bkittay@mwe.com; Fax: 202-756-8087.

4.03.2

Alliance Telecom, a leading national facilities-based CLEC, is seeking six directors of industry and state regulatory affairs. Headed by Larry Strickling, the Industry and State Regulatory Affairs department will represent the company before state public utility commissions across the country in addition to maintaining relationships with telecommunications carriers on interconnection and related issues. These six

new positions will be located in key states across the country: California, Texas, New York, Florida/Georgia, Washington/Colorado, and Mid-Atlantic. Each director will be responsible for advocacy before a number (3-5) of state public utility commissions. Candidates should have a minimum of five years experience in the telecommunications industry and should be proficient in handling interconnection matters. Strong preference will be given to candidates who have worked at or have regularly appeared before state or federal regulatory commissions. Candidates must have a four-year bachelor's degree. A law degree is helpful but not required. Salary will be commensurate with experience. Applicants should send their resumes and cover letters by April 20 to: Linda Robinson, Alliance Telecom, 700 East Butterfield Road, Lombard, IL 60148. Fax: 630.522.5204. Alliance is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer and supports equal opportunity for all people, regardless of race, color, religion, gender, age, national origin, disability, and/or any other characteristic protected by State or Federal law.

4.03.3

Alliance Telecom, a leading national facilities-based CLEC, is seeking to hire regulatory attorneys to represent the company before state public utility commissions and to handle legal issues associated with interconnection agreements between the company and other local exchange carriers. The open positions are as follows: Deputy General Counsel—Regulatory, reporting to Mark Stachiw, VP and General Counsel, Alliance Telephone Co. Worldwide; Regulatory Counsel—State Regulatory (2 positions); Regulatory Counsel—Interconnection (1 position). These positions will be located in Dallas, Texas unless other arrangements are negotiated. Candidates for any of these positions must have a J.D. from an accredited law school and must be a member in good standing of the state bar of at least one state, preferably Texas. Candidates for the Deputy General Counsel position must have a minimum of 8 years of law firm or in-house experience in state and/or federal telecommunications matters and a minimum of 3 years experience managing other attorney and outside counsel. Candidates for the Regulatory Counsel—State Regulatory positions must have a minimum of five years of law firm or in-house experience in state and/or federal telecommunications matters. Candidates for the position of Regulatory Counsel—Interconnection must have, in addition to the five years of experience, three years of specialized experience negotiating local interconnection

agreements. Salary is commensurate with experience. Applicants should send their resumes and cover letters by April 20 to: Linda Robinson, Alliance Telecom, 700 East Butterfield Road, Lombard, IL 60148. Fax: 630.522.5204. Alliance is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer and supports equal opportunity for all people, regardless of race, color, religion, gender, age, national origin, disability, and/or any other characteristic protected by State or Federal law.

4.03.4

A large Denver Corporation seeks an experienced FCC attorney with 7-10 yrs of experience. Responsibilities include pay phone issues, compliance with 251 obligation, defending challenges and complaints that are filed with the Commission, Poles and Holes, Tariffing and Detariffing, 214 authorization, accounting and auditing of FCC filings. Ideal candidates will have a litigation background with stellar academic credentials and an antitrust and regulatory or government affairs experience would also be helpful. Please send resumes to ahosler@gibsonarnold.com.

4.03.5

Level 3 Communications has an immediate opening for an Interconnection Attorney to join our legal organization based at our world headquarters in Broomfield, CO. This highly motivated individual will be responsible for assisting Level 3's business units in negotiating and if necessary arbitrating, the terms of interconnection agreements with other carriers. Once the agreements are executed, this individual will support the company's lines of business (which include the Transport, IP Softswitch and infrastructure product groups) in the implementation of those agreements as well as resolution of post-agreement disputes. Ideal candidates must have two or four years of experience with negotiations and arbitrations under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a strong understanding of the telecommunications industry and/or regulator policies. Candidates should also have a demonstrated ability to work with limited supervision in a fast paced environment and must be able to problem-solve, prioritize, take initiative, and demonstrate excellent communication skills. This position also requires strong computer skills and proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint. Minimum level of education includes a Juris Doctorate. Knowledge of Outlook or other e-mail and calendar scheduling/docketing systems is helpful. Please submit resume and cover letter to john.heylinger@level3.com.

FCBA EVENTS, CLE AND COMMITTEE REGISTRATION

Name _____ Organization _____

Address _____ Suite/Room/Apt. _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ E-mail _____

CHECK THE EVENT(S) FOR WHICH YOU ARE REGISTERING:

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| <p><input type="checkbox"/> Friday, April 4, 2003 – Wireless Luncheon, Sidley Austin Brown & Wood, Room 6-E, 1501 K Street, NW
Cost: \$15
<i>Registrations and cancellations due by 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 2, 2003</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday, April 9, 2003 – CLE Seminar on the WRC, Capital Hilton, 16th & K Streets, Senate Room
Cost: \$60 for members, \$50 for government/academic/law student members, and \$80 for non-members
<i>Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 8, 2003</i></p> | <p><input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday, May 20, 2003 – CLE Seminar on Sarbanes-Oxley, Dow Lohnes & Albertson, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Suite 800
Cost: \$60 for members, \$50 for government/academic/law student members, and \$80 for non-members
<i>Registrations and cancellations due by 5:00 p.m., Monday, May 19, 2003</i></p> |
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\$ _____ Total Enclosed Visa MasterCard American Express

Credit card no. _____ Exp. date _____

Signature _____

PAYMENT SHOULD BE MADE IN ADVANCE, HOWEVER PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN THE DAY OF THE EVENT. PHONE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

PLEASE FAX THIS FORM TO: Wendy Parish, Federal Communications Bar Association, Fax: (202) 293-4317

CLE CREDIT: FCBA will be requesting accreditation from the State Bars of Virginia and California for continuing legal education credit. If approved, forms for Virginia and California will be available at the Seminar Registration Desk. Please note that FCBA does not obtain CLE credit for other states. The FCBA will, however, assist with applications to other states, but attorneys must apply individually for credit courses and submit any forms and payments necessary directly to the state bar. The number of credits corresponds with the number of hours of course time, i.e., a two-hour seminar equals 2.0 hours of credit.

2003 FCBA ANNUAL SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Registrant's Name _____
 Organization _____
 Address _____
 Suite/Room/Apt. _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Phone _____
 Fax _____
 Email _____
 Your Golf Handicap _____
 Your Guest/Spouse Handicap _____
 Spouse/Guest Name _____
 Children's Names and Ages _____

Please provide nicknames for name
 badges for all attendees (if applicable) _____

REGISTRATION FEES:

FCBA Private Sector Member	\$325.00
FCBA Government/Academic/Law Student Member	\$175.00
Non-Member	\$495.00
Spouse/Guest	\$195.00
Children (ages 13 to 18)	\$165.00
Children (ages 4 to 12)	\$80.00
Golf Tournament	\$130.00
Tennis Tournament	\$25.00

MAIL OR FAX REGISTRATION

No registrations will be processed without payment. If paying by check, please mail your registration to: FCBA 2003 Annual Seminar, 1020 19th Street, NW, Suite 325, Washington, DC 20036. If paying by credit card, you may also fax your registration to FCBA at 202-293-4317. No phone registrations will be accepted.

CALCULATE AMOUNT DUE

Registrant \$ _____
 Plus Spouse/Guest \$ _____
 Plus Children (ages 13 to 18) \$ _____
 Plus Children (ages 4 to 12) \$ _____
 Plus Golf Tournament \$ _____
 Plus Tennis Tournament \$ _____
 TOTAL REGISTRATION FEES \$ _____

PAYMENT

Check made payable to FCBA
 Credit Card
 VISA MasterCard American Express
 Card Number _____
 Expiration Date _____
 Card Holder Name _____
 Signature _____

CANCELLATION POLICY

All registration fees must be received by April 18, 2003. Cancellations will be accepted and FCBA registration fees refunded (less a \$50.00 cancellation fee per person) if notice is received no later than April 18, 2003. No refunds will be granted after this date. If for any reason FCBA cancels this seminar, it is not responsible for any travel, hotel accommodations, or other costs incurred by the registrant. Registration for the event may be transferred to another person upon written request to the FCBA office.

The Annual Seminar Registration Fee includes attendance at all of the CLE Seminars; Friday evening's family dinner; Saturday evening's reception and banquet; Saturday evening's Kids Banquet and activities; and breakfast buffets on Saturday and Sunday. Meals and activities not included in the Annual Seminar Registration Fee and not sponsored by FCBA (e.g., golf and tennis tournaments, Kids Camp and lunch on Saturday) are the responsibility of attendees.

ANNUAL SEMINAR RESERVATION REQUEST

May 2-4, 2003 • Federal Communications Bar Association

The following daily rates are per room based on the European Plan (no meals)

Please circle preferred rate:

ROOM:

Single Occupancy Double Occupancy
\$215.00 per room \$215.00 per room

SUITES: (BASED ON AVAILABILITY)

Junior: Single - \$315.00 Double - \$315.00
One Bedroom: Single - \$400.00 Double - \$400.00
Two Bedroom: Available Upon Request

Children sharing room with parents:
0 to 18 years - No Charge
Additional Adult - \$80.00 per person, per night

15% service charge and 4.5% sales tax are additional.

Arrival date _____ Departure date _____

Name (please print) _____ No. of adults _____

Room mate (if applicable) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Daytime Telephone no _____ (E-Mail) _____ Fax No. _____

Children's names and ages: _____

An advance deposit of the first night's room rate is required to guarantee your reservation. **Early mailing of reservations is highly recommended.** Confirmed reservations are based on room availability. Reservations must be received by **April 2, 2003** or until the room block has been filled. Deposit may be made with Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Diner's Club, and Discover, which will be charged when reservation request is received. If deposit is by check payment must be received with this reservation request. Deposit is refundable if notice of cancellation is received at least 14 days prior to the scheduled arrival date.

Credit Card No. _____ Expiration date _____

Visa MasterCard American Express Discover Diner's Club CCA Member Card _____

Advance reservations and appointments are suggested for all evening dining and recreation to ensure preferred times. Please call 800-838-1766. Check in time is after 4:00 p.m. Check out time is before 12:00 noon.

Reservations request made by: _____ Date: _____

Dress: During the day, casual attire is preferred. Jeans and bathing suits are discouraged in The Great Hall. In the evening, jacket and tie are required in The Dining Room and jackets elsewhere. Casual attire is welcomed at Sam Snead's Tavern and Players Pub.

Mail to: Group Reservations, P.O. Box 2000, Hot Springs, Virginia 24445

Reservations by fax (540-839-7922) or mail only, no phone calls, please.

Visit our website at www.thehomestead.com

FCBA ENFORCEMENT CLE SEMINAR

Monday, April 28, 2003

9:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

WILEY, REIN & FIELDING

1750 K STREET, N.W., 10TH FLOOR, WASHINGTON, D.C.

Please register _____ FCBA Private Sector Member(s) at \$200.00 per person

Please register _____ FCBA Government/Academic/Law Student Member(s) at \$180.00 per person

Please register _____ Non-Member(s) at \$250.00 per person

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

Suite/Room/Apt. _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

\$ _____ Total Enclosed Visa MasterCard American Express

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**PLEASE SEND THIS FORM AND A CHECK MADE
PAYABLE TO THE "FCBA" NO LATER THAN
FRIDAY, APRIL 18 TO:**

**Federal Communications Bar Association
Enforcement CLE**

1020 19th Street, N.W.
Suite 325
Washington, D.C. 20036-6101
Phone: (202) 293-4000
Fax: (202) 293-4317
E-mail: fcba@fcba.org

PHONE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

**CANCELLATION POLICY: DUE TO THE NATURE OF THIS
EVENT, NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR
CANCELLATIONS.**

**CLE CREDITS HAVE BEEN APPLIED FOR IN VA AND CA.
5-6 CREDITS ARE ANTICIPATED TO BE GRANTED.**



ROBERT E. LEE MEMORIAL FCBA FOUNDATION CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____ Suite/Room/Apt. _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ E-mail _____

YES! I WOULD LIKE TO SUPPORT THE GOLF TOURNAMENT, TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 16, 2003, AT BULL RUN GOLF CLUB, AS INDICATED BELOW:

- Eagle Club \$ 1,750
- Foursome Friends \$ 1,200
- FCBA Private Sector Member \$ 150
- FCBA Government/Academic/Law Student Member \$ 150
- Non-Member \$ 200

GOLFERS (IF KNOWN AT THIS TIME):

Name(s)	Organization	Handicap or average of last two rounds
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_____	_____	_____
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Eagle Club - \$1,750

- Golf foursome including admission to all event activities
- Continental breakfast and lunch
- Participation with other Eagle Club sponsors in exclusive "Tournament Within A Tournament" competition to win the coveted Eagle Club silver cup trophy
- Guaranteed sponsorship of one hole on course with hole signage
- Opportunity to distribute logo products and/or information to all golfers
- Full page ad in event program
- Top-level recognition in all event advertising before and after the tournament

Foursome Friends - \$1,200

- Golf foursome including admission to all event activities
- Continental breakfast and lunch
- Half page ad in event program
- Recognition in all event advertising before and after the tournament

Patrons - \$500

- Half page ad in event program
- Recognition in all event advertising before and after the tournament

Custom Sponsorships

Custom sponsorships are available, including sponsorship of breakfast, lunch and the beverage cart. For more information, please call Heidi Kurtz (202) 293-4000

The committee made some changes to this year's tournament in order to make it as fair as possible, and to maximize scholarship funds. The biggest change is that those golfers who are not a part of an Eagle or Foursome Friends team, will no longer be able to form their own foursome teams. Individual golfers can sign up and will be placed into foursomes by the committee. If you have any questions about this, please contact Alan Campbell or Heidi Kurtz.

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Washington, DC 20036-6101
Tel: 202 293-4000
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heidi@fcba.org

PLEASE RETURN FORM AND PAYMENT BY WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2003

\$ _____ Total Enclosed Visa MasterCard American Express

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Signature _____

Calendar

April 3	Mentoring Reception, Washington, D.C.
April 3	Diversity Committee Brown Bag Lunch
April 4	Wireless Luncheon
April 6	ABA/NAB/ FCBA Seminar, Las Vegas, NV
April 8	Foundation Board of Trustees Meeting
April 9	CLE Seminar on WRC
April 15	Executive Committee Meeting
April 17	Cable Brown Bag Lunch
April 17	Young Lawyers Committee Brown Bag Lunch
April 23	Common Carrier Brown Bag Lunch
April 25	Texas Chapter Brown Bag Lunch
April 27	Volunteer for McKenna's Wagon or Martha's Table
April 28	Enforcement CLE Seminar (full day)
May 1-2	Computer Law Association Conference, Washington, D.C.
May 2-4	FCBA Annual Seminar at the Homestead Resort, Hot Springs, VA
May 10	Volunteer for Bread for the City's free legal clinic
May 20	CLE Seminar on Sarbanes-Oxley
June 16	Annual Honorable Robert E. Lee Memorial Golf Tournament, Bull Run, Haymarket, VA
June 25	FCBA Annual Meeting and Luncheon with guest, Chairman Powell



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