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**November 12, 2013**

LOCATION PHIL'S MAIN STREET GRILLE, WAKEFIELD

**November 21, 2013**

LOCATION RI LAW CENTER

12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

## Effectively Asserting the Fifth

1.0 RICLE credit

SPEAKER

JASON P. KNIGHT, ESQ.  
*The Law Offices of Jason Knight*

A CLE designed to give the occasional criminal practitioner a more complete understanding of the state of 5th and 6th amendment law and how to effectively invoke the protections offered by the amendments.

We will discuss the major cases in the area as well as work through some real life examples and explanations.

**November 14, 2013**

LOCATION RI LAW CENTER

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12: 45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

## Spoilation - An Overview of RI Law

1.0 RICLE credit

SPEAKER

GERALD C. DEMARIA, ESQ.  
*Higgins Cavanagh & Cooney, LLP*

Spoilation may become an issue in a case when evidence has been lost, tampered with, destroyed, or mutilated. A party may be sanctioned for spoilation of evidence whether the party acted in good faith, or was merely negligent in their actions. At this session our speaker will discuss the Rhode Island case law and jury instructions regarding this issue

**December 5, 2013**

LOCATION RI LAW CENTER

**December 11, 2013**

LOCATION HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS, MIDDLETOWN

12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

## Your First Document Harvest

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SPEAKERS

CHRISTIAN R. JENNER, ESQ.  
*Partridge Snow & Hahn*

PAUL M. KESSIMIAN, ESQ.  
*Partridge Snow & Hahn*

After your client receives either a preservation demand or a request for production of electronically stored information, how should you respond? This presentation will introduce practitioners to the basics of e-discovery, and their responsibilities in finding, preserving and producing electronically stored information. The speakers will focus on the fundamentals of dealing with preservation demands and requests for production of electronically stored information, as well as the affirmative steps you can take now to be prepared.

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## Emergency Guardianships

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SPEAKERS

MARK B. HEFFNER, ESQ., CELA  
*Heffner & Associates*

MARVIN H. HOMONOFF, ESQ.  
*Homonoff, Levine & Pulner  
Probate Judge, Barrington*

Rhode Island's guardianship statute provides procedural protections to respondents for whom guardians are sought. What happens in a situation in which someone is in need of a guardian on an emergency basis? Can normal procedural requirements such as notice and the need for a Decision Making Assessment Tool (DMAT) be truncated or eliminated entirely? This program will address these issues from the perspective of the Court and counsel for the petitioner and respondent.

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115 Cedar Street

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323 Main St.

**Middletown:** Holiday Inn Express  
855 West Main Road

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