**Virginia Mandatory Continuing Legal Education**

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January 9, 2014

 Via E-mail

Daniel Strouse

BCABA, Inc.

915 15th St NW 2nd FL

Washington, DC 20005

RE: NBB0451

Dear Mr. Strouse:

The course entitled “BCABA Annual Program” has been approved for 4.0 credit hours including (0.0) credit hours for Ethics by the Virginia Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Board.

• The written materials for the BCA Judges Panel were insufficient to qualify for CLE credit as required under MCLE Board Opinion #14.

• The ethics session did not focus on a recognized legal ethics topic.

• Keynote, meal, and Judicial presentations and informal roundtable discussions are not approvable unless they address legal topics and have written instructional materials.

Accreditation of this program is approved through October 31, 2014. Enclosed are the applicable certification forms for your course. ***Virginia attorneys may now certify their attendance at our website upon receipt of this form*** and the course ID# may **not** be provided without it. *Course attendance lists are not processed as certification of attendance*.

Beginning November 1, 2011, pre-recorded programs are limited to eight credit hours for annual MCLE compliance. A minimum of four credit hours from live interactive courses is required. See FAQ’s at <http://www.vsb.org/site/members/faqs-2012-mcle-reg-changes>.

Please contact the MCLE Department if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gale M. Cartwright

Director of MCLE

**Virginia MCLE Board**

**CERTIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE (FORM 2)**

MCLE requirementpursuant to Paragraph 17, of Section IV, Part Six, Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia

and the MCLE Board Regulations.

INSTRUCTIONS

**Certify Your Attendance Online at** [**https://member.vsb.org/vsbportal/**](https://member.vsb.org/vsbportal/)

Complete this Certification. Retain for two years.

MCLE Compliance Deadline - October 31. MCLE Reporting Deadline - December 15.

A $100 fee will be assessed for failure to comply with either deadline.

**Member Name:**   **VSB Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**City State Zip**

 **Course ID Number: NBB0451**

 **Sponsor: BCABA, Inc.**

 **Course/Program Title: BCABA Annual Program**

 **Live Interactive \* CLE Credits (Ethics Credits): 4.0 (0.0)**

**Date Completed:**  **Location: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**By my signature below I certify**

\_\_\_ I attended a total of (hrs/mins) of **approved CLE**, of which ( ) (hrs/mins) were in **approved** **Ethics**. Credit is awarded for actual time in attendance (0.5 hr. minimum) rounded to the nearest half hour. (Example: 1hr 15min = 1.5hr)

\_\_\_ The sessions I am claiming had written instructional materials to cover the subject.

\_\_\_ I participated in this program in a setting physically suitable to the course.

\_\_\_ I was given the opportunity to participate in discussions with other attendees and/or the presenter.

\_\_\_ I understand I may not receive credit for any course/segment which is not materially different in substance than a course/segment for which credit has been previously given during the same completion period or the completion period immediately prior.

\_\_\_ I understand that a materially false statement shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action.

\* NOTE: A maximum of 8.0 hours from pre-recorded courses may be applied to meet your yearly MCLE requirement. Minimum of 4.0 hours from live interactive courses required.

 Date Signature

**Questions?** Contact the MCLE Department at (804) 775-0577 or E-mail questions to mcle@vsb.org

If not certified online, this form may be mailed or faxed (fax disabled Nov 2-Dec 31)

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**CERTIFICATION OF TEACHING (FORM 3)**

MCLE requirementpursuant to Paragraph 17, of Section IV, Part Six, Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia

and the MCLE Board Regulations.

INSTRUCTIONS

**E-mail this form to** **mymcle@vsb.org**

Complete this Certification to Include Both Teaching and Attendance hours. Retain copy for two years.

MCLE Compliance Deadline - October 31. MCLE Reporting Deadline - December 15.

A $100 fee will be assessed for failure to comply with either deadline.

**Member Name:**   **VSB Member Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**City State Zip**

  **Course ID Number: NBB0451**

 **Sponsor: BCABA, Inc.**

 **Course/Program Title: BCABA Annual Program**

 **Live Interactive \* CLE Credits (Ethics Credits): 4.0 (0.0)**

Date(s) of Teaching: Location(s):

*ONLY SESSIONS WITH WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS ARE APPROVABLE FOR CREDIT*

* My teaching segment was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hrs/mins) of CLE, of which (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) (hrs/mins) were in Ethics.
* In addition, I attended *other* segments totaling \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hrs/mins) of CLE, of which (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) (hrs/mins) were in Ethics.
* I spent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hours preparing for teaching my segment of the course.
* No more than four (4) hours of preparation credit may be claimed per one hour of instructional time in your presentation, and no more than eight (8) hours total for any one course. Total credit is awarded for actual time spent teaching, attendance and preparation rounded to the nearest half hour. (Example: 1hr 15min = 1.5hr)
* A materially false statement shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action.

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 **Date Signature**

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