

**2010 FREE ETHICS IVN
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*Monday, April 5, 2010
1:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. (Central)*

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I will attend at:

- _____ Bismarck (BSC VoTech 228)
- _____ Bismarck (Heritage Center, Rm B
612 E. Boulevard Ave)
- _____ Bottineau (DCB 2211 HD)
- _____ Devils Lake (LRSC Admin 171-HD)
- _____ Dickinson (DSU Klinefelter 216)
- _____ Fargo (NDSU EML Rm 183)
- _____ West Fargo City Hall, Courtroom
800 4 Ave E, West Fargo – 701-433-5300
- _____ Grand Forks (UND Gamble 130)
- _____ Jamestown State Hospital (Rm 322)
- _____ Minot (Research Extension Center
5400 Highway 83 South - (701) 857-7679)
- _____ Williston (Williams County Court
House, 205 E. Broadway, 3rd Floor)

Registration Fee:

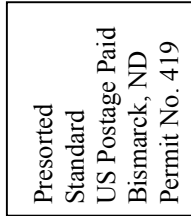
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- _____ **\$95.00** I am unable to attend.
Please send materials & audio CD.
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- _____ **\$95.00** I watched the streaming replay of
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FREE ETHICS IVN

**“Trying the Case
&
Getting Paid for it:**

**Common Ethical Issues
in Litigation”**

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Various IVN sites in North Dakota



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**Approved for
3.00 Ethics CLE Hours (ND)**

CLE Credit will be applied for in MN

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PRESENTERS

BRENT J. EDISON received his undergraduate degree in Business Administration from NDSU and his Juris Doctorate degree from the UND School of Law. His professional background includes experience as a law firm partner, Special Assistant Attorney General and state agency head. He currently serves as Assistant Disciplinary Counsel for the Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court and the Judicial Conduct Commission.

ROBERT G. MANLY is a trial attorney with the Vogel Law Firm in Fargo-Moorhead. He is a graduate of Dartmouth College and obtained his Juris Doctorate degree from the UND School of Law. Manly's practice includes trust and estate litigation, business disputes, personal injury, and agricultural litigation.

RONALD H. MCLEAN is a trial attorney with the Serkland Law Firm in Fargo. He is a Fellow in the American College of Trial Lawyers, and a member of the International Society of Barristers. McClean practices in products liability, personal injury, oil and gas, class action, business dispute litigation, insurance law, employment law, professional ethics disputes and business torts.

PAT WEIR JR. has litigated a wide variety of wrongful death, personal injury, and product liability cases to verdict in federal and state courts throughout North Dakota and Minnesota. His practice is concentrated on helping those individuals and families who have suffered catastrophic losses following injury or death resulting from an accident or use of a defective product. He received his undergraduate degree in 1985 from the College of St. Scholastic in Duluth, Minnesota, and is a 1989 graduate of the University of Denver College of Law.

PROGRAM

2010 Free Ethics IVN Program Summary

- The "billable hour" remains a cornerstone in setting attorney compensation, but with further pressure from clients to be billed for tangible effort and results, coupled with the internal professional pressure of documenting and accurately measuring time, alternative billing methods are being explored. Flat-fee and contingency agreements are being used in novel ways, opening up ethical dilemmas which will be discussed at this seminar.
- This seminar will explore ethical issues in attorney compensation, from the initial retainer to post-representation collection efforts. Substantial emphasis will also be focused on issues common to attorney-client communications and the litigation process.
- A review of the North Dakota Aspirations of Professionalism and Civility and how they apply to your practice.
- Can Denny Crane really say that in court? Ethical do's and don'ts in trying a civil case.

ABOUT STREAMING REPLAY

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What is streaming?

Streaming extends IVN videoconferences to users who cannot attend a facility, by allowing access via the Internet. Streaming captures the event as it happens.

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The Free Ethics IVN Streaming Replay will be available April 6 - 15, 2010

Important Information

Free Ethics CLE seminars, a member benefit, are popular and seating is limited!!!!

Registration policy: Attendance is mandatory to receive credit unless you purchase the materials and CD for self study credit.

All registrations must be received by March 26, 2010. After that date, registrations must be made on site if seating is available. If seating is no longer available, the materials and CD can be purchased for \$95 to use as self study credit.

Cancellation policy: Due to limited seating, if you are unable to attend please contact SBAND as soon as possible so that others may attend.

ACCOMODATIONS: If you have a disability and need special accommodations in order to attend this seminar, please contact the SBAND office at least two weeks prior to the seminar.

SITE LOCATIONS

Information on IVN site locations can be found on our website at www.sband.org, Continuing Legal Education Tab, SBAND Seminars, IVN Sites

SEMINAR MATERIALS

Materials are available ONLY online at www.sband.org, Free Ethics IVN.

You must be in attendance and sign the registration sheet in order to receive CLE Credits.