

COMMISSION ON CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

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ORDER TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE

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2004-2005 CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT

Due to the devastation caused by Hurricane Katrina to the Gulf Coast area and to the lives of many attorneys both personally and professionally, and because the deadline for the 2004-2005 continuing legal education requirement had been previously extended because of the cancellation of the Mississippi Bar's Summer School and several other programs on the coast due to Hurricane Dennis, the Commission on Continuing Legal Education has had many requests for an additional extension of time to earn the required number of continuing legal education credits for the year.

Having considered these requests, the Commission has determined that an additional extension of the continuing legal education deadline is justified.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commission on Continuing Legal Education does hereby combine the requirements and reporting deadline for the 2004-2005 reporting year with the deadline for the 2005-2006 reporting year so that each attorney, unless otherwise exempted, is required to have earned twenty-four (24) hours of continuing legal education credit including two (2) hours of ethics by July 31, 2006. A maximum of twelve (12) hours of credit each period in excess of the minimum annual requirement will be allowed to be carried over to the subsequent period as allowed by Regulation 3.7 of the Rules and Regulations for Mandatory Continuing Legal Education. These credits must be reported to the Commission by August 15, 2006.

SO ORDERED, this the 20th day of September, 2005.



William Walker, Jr., Chairman