



January 4, 2011

On behalf of the Ontario Association of Insolvency and Restructuring Professional (OAIRP), I am pleased to invite you to ***“Court Proceedings: Procedure, Protocol And Practice”***, a half-day conference on the new expectations of the courts in bankruptcy and insolvency proceedings.

- When:** Friday, January 21, 2011
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
(Registration opens at 7:00 a.m. Continental breakfast will be provided)
- Where:** Novotel Toronto North York
3 Park Home Avenue – off of Yonge St., between Finch and Sheppard
- Cost:** No charge for OAIRP members

Please RSVP to Margaret Martin by email, mmartin@enterprisecanada.com or by phone, (416) 646-3109, before January 12, 2011.

OAIRP does not often organize this type of event, but we believe it is crucial for trustees to have a better understanding of the Bankruptcy Court. Trustees have a right to appear in court, but have no formal training in that area. The ***“Court Proceedings: Procedure, Protocol And Practice”*** conference is designed to help bridge this gap.

The conference will be an opportunity to hear directly from the Registrars, insolvency lawyers and Trustees, to give you a better understanding of what is expected, and what you should and should not do when appearing in court.

The agenda for the conference will include:

- **Mock Discharge Hearing**
With Registrar Scott Nettie presiding, this simulated proceeding will provide a visual demonstration of the kinds of challenges Registrars are encountering.
- **A Closer Look at Court Proceedings**
Panel discussion led by Registrars Scott Nettie and Andrew Diamond, focusing on what they require and expect from trustees.
- **Registrar’s Return Notices – How to Avoid Them**
Panel discussion focusing on best practices.
- **Hiring Counsel: Understanding the Limits of Trustees’ Right of Appearance**
Panel discussion led by Registrar Scott Nettie, lawyer Patrick Shea, OAIRP President Sheldon Title and Office of the Superintendent of Bankruptcy Director Jack Steinman.



Again, this is a vital opportunity for you to learn more about expectations that could have significant impact for you and your clients.

We hope to see you there.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sheldon Title", is positioned above the printed name.

Sheldon Title
President
OAIRP