



# Seminar on The Fundamentals of the Law of Defamation

## Date

17 Feb 2012 (Friday)

## Time

3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

## Venue

Raja Aziz Addruse Auditorium  
Bar Council, No 15 Leboh Pasar Besar  
50050 Kuala Lumpur

## Registration Fees

**Members of the Bar** | RM100

**Pupils in Chambers** | RM80

**Law Students** | RM50

**Non-Members** | RM150

The Bar Council Professional Standards and Development Committee is organising a seminar on the "Fundamentals of the Law of Defamation". The seminar will cover:

- (1) What Amounts to Defamation in Law?
  - ◆ Defamation Act 1957
  - ◆ Rules of the High Court 1980
  - ◆ Penal Code
  
- (2) A Brief Overview of the Proper Conduct of Litigation in Relation to Defamation
  - ◆ Pre-Litigation Steps
  - ◆ Initiating Legal Proceedings – Pleadings
  - ◆ Interlocutory Proceedings

## About the Speaker

John Aloysius Skelchy has over 12 years of experience in practice. A partner at Messrs James Monteiro, he has particular expertise in general litigation and advocacy services. He appears regularly as counsel at the High Court and Appellate Courts. His principal areas of practice include defamation, in addition to company and shareholder disputes.



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For more details or to register, kindly contact  
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Payment can be made by direct deposit (bank in to **Hong Leong Bank Berhad, No 9 Jalan Tun Tan Cheng Lock, 50000 Kuala Lumpur; Acc No 0006-10-001810-1; SWIFT CODE NO: EOBMYKL**), or by cheque or bank draft (made payable to "Bar Council"). Payment by cash can be made at the ground floor of the Bar Council Secretariat. Registration will be confirmed once full payment is received.

Please be informed that all bank charges are to be borne by applicants; further processing fees will otherwise be levied.

All payments must be made in advance of the event. There will be no refunds if cancellations are made after **16 Feb 2012 (Thursday)** but substitutions are allowed. All cancellations have to be done by email or facsimile.

There are limited places available and registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. Completed forms are to be forwarded to:

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