

MISSISSIPPI PUBLIC DEFENDERS 2007 SPRING CONFERENCE INFORMATION

REQUIREMENTS TO ATTEND CONFERENCE: To attend this Conference you must be currently serving as a Certified Full-time/Part-time Salaried Mississippi Public Defender, Certified Ad Hoc/Appointed Member, or an Associate Member. You must also be a current Certified Member of the Mississippi Public Defenders Association. If you have a question about your certification status contact Ray Charles Carter (Vice President of MPDA) at 601-576-2316.

PRE-REGISTRATION: Please complete the registration form included within this brochure, then detach and return to MJC either by fax or mail. We need to *receive* this no later than March 16, 2007.

REGISTRATION FEE: There is a \$50.00 registration fee for Certified Ad Hoc/Appointed or Associate members to attend this Conference.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: Reservations, which require a major credit card, must be made directly with the Hollywood Casino by calling 1-800-562-4425. Be sure to give the reservation agent our **Group Code MJC1418** to receive the group rate of \$74 per night. ***DEADLINE FOR RESERVING A ROOM AT THIS SPECIAL RATE IS FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 2007.*** MJC will only pay for one room for one night (Thursday, April 19th) for Certified Full-time/Part-time Salaried Mississippi Public Defenders (not Certified Ad Hoc/Appointed or Associates) who live outside a thirty-mile radius (based on standardized tables) of the Hollywood Casino. Any cancellation received less than seventy-two (72) hours prior to arrival or no-shows will be charged the reserved room rate including tax. Hollywood Casino has reserved a limited block of rooms for the Board of Directors for the night of Wednesday, April 18th.

Hollywood Casino Check-in Time: 3:00 p.m.

Hollywood Casino Check-out Time: 11:00 a.m.

MILEAGE AND MEAL REIMBURSEMENT: Mileage and meals will be reimbursed only to Certified Full-time/Part-time Salaried Mississippi Public Defenders (not Certified Ad Hoc/Appointed or Associates members) at MJC's current rate. A reception, sponsored by MPDA, is planned for all attendees on Thursday, April 19th between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Directions to Hollywood Casino from Jackson:

1. Take Highway 49 South out of Jackson to North Gulfport.
2. Take I-10 West toward New Orleans off Highway 49. Pass Diamondhead exit; next exit is Bay St. Louis-Waveland.
3. Veer off I-10 to the right on the Bay St. Louis-Waveland exit and go to stop light.
4. Turn left at stop light and go under interstate, heading south to Waveland (approximately 5 miles). This is Highway 603, which intersects with Highway 90 (K-mart on left).
5. Turn left onto Highway 90. Pass through 3 lights; at 4th light (Burger King on left, large Hollywood Casino sign on right) turn left; pass Bay High School, next street to the right is Hollywood Drive (smaller Hollywood Casino sign on right) turn right and follow Hollywood Drive into double boulevard, Hollywood Hotel will be directly in front of you.



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 SPRING CONFERENCE
 Hollywood Casino, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi
 April 19-20, 2007**



Registration Form

- I will attend the Public Defenders Spring Conference.
- Check One:**
- I am a Certified Full-Time/Part-Time Salaried Public Defender.
- I am an Ad Hoc/Appointed Member.
- I am an Associate Member.
- Check here if you are a NEW MEMBER (since October 2006).**
- MS Ad Hoc/Appointed / MS Associate Members only:** Enclosed find my check payable to the Mississippi Judicial College in the amount of **\$50.00** for the registration fee.
- YES, I will contact the Hollywood Casino and reserve overnight accommodations for the spring conference by Friday, March 16, 2007.
- I am attending, but will not be making reservations at the Hollywood Casino for the conference.

Please complete the following information. (Print or Type)

Name: _____ Bar No. _____

Office address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email address: _____ () Office () Home () Both

In order to keep our database accurate, check below if any of the above information changed since October 2006.

- Address Only Address/City/Zip Phone Fax Email New Hire
 Other: _____

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