REGISTRATION

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 CLE: CCBA Members\$100.00 CLE: Non-Members\$125.00 Advocates/Professionals\$60.00 CEU Certificate Requested Parents\$30.00 Parents requiring financial assistance may contact the Developmental Disabilities Council at 1-800-766-7426 to request an application from the Consumer Empowerment Fund.
 I do <u>NOT</u> wish to have lunch provided for me Please mail registrations to: Cuyahoga County Bar Association 526 Superior Avenue East, Suite 1240 Cleveland, Ohio 44114 Telephone: 216-621-5112 Fax: 216-523-2259 Web: http://www.cuybar.org

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The Cuyahoga County Bar Association 1240 Leader Building 526 Superior Avenue East Cleveland, Ohio 44114

SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM Special Education Legal Services and The Cuyahoga County Bar Association

present

Special Education Law

A Forum for Parents and Professionals

Wednesday, February 20, 2002

8:00 a.m. Registration 9:00 a.m. Program 4:30 p.m. Adjournment

Sheraton Four Points South 5300 Rockside Road Independence, Ohio 44131

PROGRAM AGENDA

8:00-8:55 a.m. Registration

8:55 – 9:00 a.m. *Welcome and Introductions* Aimee Gilman, Esq. Special Education Legal Services

9:00 – 10:30 a.m. *History and Overview Case Law Recent Legal Developments* Peter W.D. Wright, Esq.

10:30 – 10:45 a.m. **Break**

10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. *IEP's Understanding Tests* Peter W.D. Wright, Esq.

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. *Lunch* (provided)

1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Special Ed Advocacy for the Parent, Advocate and Parent's Attorney Peter W.D. Wright, Esq. Pamela Darr Wright, MA, MSW

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. **Break**

2:45 – 4:00 p.m. *Tactics and Strategies* **Peter W.D. Wright, Esq.**

4:00 – 4:30 p.m. *Questions and Answers*

PROGRAM SPECIFICS

Accreditation

The Cuyahoga County Bar Association has requested 6.00 hours of CLE credit from the Supreme Court of Ohio Commission on Continuing Legal Education.

6.00 hours of Social Work CEU, CME, and CE for Nurses is also requested.

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Luncheon

Lunch is only guaranteed for reservations received before **February 15, 2002.** To request a vegetarian lunch, please contact the CCBA at 216-621-5112.

Cancellation Policy

We are unable to issue refunds unless the cancellation notice is received less than 48 hours before the start of the event. Registrants will receive all course materials.

Acknowledgements

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Materials

A copy of Mr. Wright's book, *Wrightslaw: Special Education Law*, will be provided to each registrant.

SPEAKERS AND SPONSORS

Pete Wright is a nationally recognized attorney who represents children with special needs. Pete is the best-selling author of *Wrightslaw: Special Education Law.* He has represented families in many notable cases, including *Florence County School District Four vs. Shannon Carter,* which was heard by the United States Supreme Court.

Pam Wright is a psychotherapist with training in psychology and clinical social work. She is the editor of *The Special Ed Advocate* newsletter about special education legal and advocacy issues.

Special Education Legal Services (SELS) is a non-profit organization assisting families with special needs children in Northeast Ohio. **SELS** helps families understand their children's special education needs and legal rights, educates parents in advocating for needed services and provides access to legal services for economically disadvantaged families to enforce their rights.

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