OFFICE OF ATTORNEYS FOR CHILDREN APPELLATE DIVISION, FOURTH DEPARTMENT Presents

A CLE Webinar Entitled:

Ethical Issues for the AFC when Communicating with Parties and Other Litigants or Participants, and when Making a Record of the Child's Desires or Best Interests in Family and Appellate Courts

Thursday, April 14, 2022 12:00 p.m. (Noon) to 1:30 p.m.

12:00 p.m. to 12:05 p.m. <u>Introductory Remarks</u>

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Courts

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1:30 p.m. Conclusion

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