



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, 31ST CHEMICAL BIOLOGICAL RADIOLOGICAL NUCLEAR BRIGADE
2509 44TH AVENUE
NORTHPORT, ALABAMA 35476

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

NGAL-CAA-JA

14 July 2020

MEMORANDUM FOR ATTENDEES

SUBJECT: Alabama State Bar Military Law Committee “2020 Alabama Military Law Symposium”

1. The Military Law Committee of the Alabama State Bar has scheduled the 2020 Alabama Military Law Symposium for 24-25 July 2020 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Please note that the location of the symposium has changed due to the University of Alabama’s reopening date. **The symposium will be held at the Hotel Capstone.** Our schedule is as follows:

24 July 2020

1100-1200	Registration
1200-1230	Welcome, Housekeeping, Announcements by COL Chuck Langley, Alabama NG State SJA
1230-1300	Remarks from The Adjutant General of the State of Alabama MG Sheryl Gordon
1300-1400	Veteran's Court Update Panel
1400-1415	Break
1415-1505	Alabama State Bar Ethics Presentation
1505-1520	Roe-Bank Award
1520-1610	The Haven Act presented by Jay Bender
1610-1700	Domestic Operations Law presented by LTC Jay Skinner

25 July 2020

0800-0850	The Civilianization of the Military Criminal Law System presented by CPT John Hensley
0850-0940	Military Legal Assistance presented by MAJ Jason Britt
0940-1010	Remarks from BG Bobby Christine, National Guard Advisor to The Judge Advocate General, US Army
1010-1020	Break
1020-1120	Historical Perspectives of Courts-Martial in the Civil War and Present Applications presented by MAJ Andy Pascual
1120-1210	USAF/Air Guard Legal Update presented by 187 th FW Staff Judge Advocate and Staff
1330-1500	ACMJ Article 15 Training (ALNG Only - Army and Air)
1500-1530	Break
1530-1700	ACMJ Article 15 Training (ALNG Only - Army and Air)

26 July 2020

0830-1000	ACMJ Summary Courts-Martial Training (ALNG Only - Army and Air)
1000-1030	Break
1030-1200	ACMJ Summary Courts-Martial Training (ALNG Only - Army and Air)

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2. For those that cannot attend in person, the symposium will be available via Zoom for remote attendance and participation. CLE credit will be available for those that participate remotely. Please contact LTC Skinner if you would like to attend remotely, and you will be provided the Zoom login.
3. The cost of the Symposium is \$30.00. Please make payable to “Alabama Military Law Committee” and mail checks to the Law Offices of Thomas J. Skinner, IV, LLC, 2164 11th Avenue South, Birmingham, Alabama 35205 or payment can be made at the symposium during registration. The registration fee is NOT a reimbursable expense. Service Members must coordinate with their unit to attend in either IDT or AT status. Service Members or their units are responsible for their own DTS arrangements.
4. Uniform is Army/Air Force OCP or equivalent for Service Members and civilian business casual for non-Service Members/Retirees.
5. Law students are welcome to attend at no cost. Law students must confirm attendance with either LTC Skinner or LTC Smith below.
6. The point of contact is LTC Thomas Skinner, 31st CBRN BDE Command Judge Advocate, at jkskinner@lawtjs.com or (205) 802-2545, or LTC Stephen G. Smith, ARNG TDS Southeast Regional Defense Counsel at stephen.smith@alacourt.gov or 334-797-9426.

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