Day ONE

8:00  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:50  Welcome and Opening Remarks
Lisa L. Dahm, J.D., LL.M-Health, Director of CLE and
Adjunct Professor, South Texas College of Law

9:00  Stowers: New Twists to an Old
Doctrine ................................................... (1 hour)
T. Micah Dortch, Cooper Scully Dallas, TX

9:45  Adjuster Liability .................................. (.50 hour)
Jeffrey Hoffman, Henslee Schwartz LLP Houston, TX

10:15 Morning Break

10:30  Independent Counsel Issues ....................... (.75 hour)
Jamie P. Cooper, Martin Disiere Jefferson & Wisdom, LLP
Houston, TX

11:15 Additional Insured Issues ............................ (.50 hour)
Robert J. Cunningham, Roach & Newton, L.L.P. Houston, TX

11:45 Lunch Break (pick up lunch and return to the auditorium)

12:00 Lunch Presentation
Emerging Practice Trends: What’s Next?
(Includes 1.0 hour of legal ethics) ......................... (1.0 hour)
Lee H. Shidlofsky, Shidlofsky Law Firm Austin, TX
Brian Martin, Thompson, Coe, Cousins & Irons, L.L.P.
Houston, TX

1:00 After Lunch Break

1:10 The Use and Abuse of Expert Coverage
and Bad Faith Cases ..................................... (.83 hour)
Warren Taylor, Taylor, Taylor & Russell  Houston, TX

2:00 Duty to Defend ...................................... (.75 hour)
J. James Cooper, Gardere Wynne Sewell LLP Houston, TX

2:45 Afternoon Break

3:00 Mock Jury Analysis ................................. (.75 hour)
Dan Jacks, Ph.D., Edge Litigation Consulting LLC Houston, TX

3:45 Preview of Coming Attractions: Updates
on Issues from Superstorm Sandy ........... (.75 hour)
Vince Morgan, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP Houston, TX

4:30 Adjourn

Day TWO

8:30 Continental Breakfast

9:00 Agents/Brokers: Targets or Resources? .......................... (1 hour)
Rick Oldenettel, Oldenettel & McCabe Houston, TX

9:45 Subrogation Considerations ............................ (1.50 hour)
Claude L. Stuart III, Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP Fort Worth, TX

10:15 Morning Break

10:30 Strategies to Win the Insurance Case:
R167s, MSJs, and Other “Chess”
Moves ..................................................... (1.50 hour)
Melinda R. Burke, Shannon, Gracey, Ratliff & Miller, L.L.P.
Fort Worth, TX

11:15 2013 Legislative Update ......................... (1.0 hour)
Christy Amuny, Bain & Barkley Beaumont, TX

12:00 Lunch Break (pick up lunch and return to the auditorium)

12:15 Lunch Presentation
Mediation Panel: Maximizing Your
Chances of Success at Mediation .......... (1.0 hour)
Michael K. Clann, Clann Mediation Houston, TX

1:15 After Lunch Break

1:30 Judicial Panel ........................................ (1.0 hour)
Hon. Mike D. Miller, 11th Harris County District Houston, TX
Hon. Caroline E. Baker, 295th Harris County District Houston TX
Hon. Al Bennett, 61st Harris County District Houston, TX

2:30 Trials: Lessons Learned in Recent
Trials ....................................................... (1.0 hour)
Randal Cashiola, Cashiola & Bean Beaumont, TX
Christopher W. Martin, Martin Disiere Jefferson & Wisdom, LLP Houston, TX

3:30 Adjourn

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