NOTICE TO THE BAR

<u>Multicounty Litigation – Proposed Termination of</u> <u>Multicounty Litigation (MCL) Designation of</u> <u>Prudential Life Insurance Company of America Litigation</u>

By Order of February 9, 2010, the Supreme Court assigned all New Jersey state court litigation seeking damages or other relief against Prudential Life Insurance Company of America (Prudential) involving alleged commercial bribery and other torts to Bergen County for centralized management (now multicounty litigation (MCL)) by Superior Court Judge Brian R. Martinotti. Judge Martinotti has reported to the Administrative Director of the Courts that all active litigation has been concluded and that the MCL designation of the Prudential Litigation therefore should be terminated.

In accordance with the provisions of Court Rule 4:38A and the Multicounty Litigation Guidelines (Directive #8-12), this Notice is to advise of the proposed termination of the MCL designation of the New Jersey state-court Prudential Litigation. Any comments on or objections to this proposed action must be submitted in writing, with relevant supporting documentation, to the Administrative Director of the Courts, P.O. Box 037, Trenton, NJ 08625-0037, by February 19, 2016. Comments or objections may also be submitted by e-mail to the following address: Comments.Mailbox@judiciary.state.nj.us.

Once this comment period has closed, the proposed termination of the MCL designation will be submitted to the Supreme Court for its consideration and action.

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