November 28, 2022

Re: South Suburban Bar Association
   Henry A. Gentile Memorial Scholarship

Dear Dean:

The South Suburban Bar Association has a $1,000.00 scholarship available to local law school students meeting the criteria set by the Association. The following criteria will be used by the scholarship committee in the selection process:

1. The scholarship shall be awarded to a deserving student of an accredited local law school. Scholastic achievement will be one of several factors considered by the committee.

2. Financial need will also be considered by the scholarship committee. The applicant can be expected to discuss his or her financial need when requested to do so by the committee.

3. The student should be a resident of the south suburbs of Cook County and must have an interest in practicing law in the south suburbs upon graduation.

4. Each student interested in being considered for the scholarship must submit a resume accompanied by a brief cover letter for review by the South Suburban Bar Association scholarship committee. The cover letter should highlight something about the student and explain why they want to practice in and around the south suburbs in 200 words or less.

5. The committee may also conduct an interview of the student. After the interviews the committee will recommend a candidate to the board of directors based upon the resume, cover letter and interview.

The resume and cover letter of the applicant must be received by the committee no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 14, 2022. Interviews (via Zoom or telephone) may be held between December 15 and December 19, 2022, by appointment.
Candidates may be contacted to schedule interviews in the order of their applications so students are encouraged to respond early.

In order to receive the scholarship the student must attend the South Suburban Bar Association’s holiday/installation dinner. This year’s banquet will be on Thursday, December 22, 2022. Location is TBD and will located in the south suburban area of Cook County. The scholarship award winner, plus one, will be complimentary guests of the Association.

We would appreciate it if you would forward notice of the scholarship and the requirements set forth herein to your student body. Any interested student should forward their resume and cover letter to: South Suburban Bar Association Scholarship Committee, attn: Boris Djulabic & Alexander Ktenas, via email to boris@dandolegal.com. We look forward to the opportunity to consider students of your law school for our scholarship.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Boris Djulabic & Alexander Ktenas
SSBA Board of Directors
Scholarship Committee Chair