Minutes of the Family Law Section of the Delaware State Bar Association

December 19, 2019 at Bayard, P.A.

In Attendance: Megan McGovern, Seth Thompson, Addie Asay, Alyssa Kelly, Jill DiSciullo

1. Minutes from the November section meeting were approved.

2. Good and Welfare:
   a. Mimi’s Husband passed away on December 3rd – the Section will make a donation to the St. Vincent de Paul Society at St. Mary Magdalen Church in Don’s memory
   b. Thank you to all who presented at the 2019 Family Law Update.
      i. Melissa Kucinski provided the websites for resources she referenced in her presentation. They are:
         www.hcch.net (the Hague Conference on Private International Law)
         www.travel.state.gov (the US Department of State’s child abduction materials)
         www.ncmec.org (the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children)
         www.iss-usa.org (International Social Service's US Branch)

3. New Business/Announcements:
   a. Liaison Issues:
      i. Call Center will not tell attorneys if there are attorneys on the other side of a case for purposes of serving Entry of Appearance. Addie will discuss with them.
   b. Legislative Committee:
      i. Committee will work with Rep. Sean Lynn regarding Parenting Coordination Draft Bill.
      ii. Committee has been asked to review arbitration statute, especially with regard to enforcement of arbitration orders

4. Upcoming Events:
   a. April 9, 2020: Emmanuel Dining Room Volunteer Event
   b. TBD: Matusciewicz CLE Panel

5. Case Law Review (see attached)
   a. Whitmore v. Robinson

6. Next meeting: January 23, 2020, 4:00 p.m. at Bayard, P.A.