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Re: Membership in the Federal Bar Association

Dear John:

Thank you for joining the Federal Bar Association's South Florida Chapter or renewing your membership. For over fifty years we have been dedicated to advancing the administration of justice and improving court practice for both lawyers and judges in our federal courts. We do this by maintaining ongoing dialogue and interaction between our lawyers and judges at education, social and community outreach programs.

We have some exciting events coming up soon. On February 6, 2014, we are sponsoring "Raising the Bar: A Mindful and Ethical Start for the New Year." Featured speakers will be Judge Alan Gold, Dr. Amishi Jha, Judge Chris McAliley, Tony Reico of Weiss Serota Helfman Pastoriza Cole & Boniske, and Scott Rogers, founder and director of the Miami Law's Mindfulness in Law Program.

On February 27, 2014, we will host the always popular Federal Judicial Reception honoring the federal judiciary for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit, the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida and the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Florida at the Hyatt Regency.

For more information about these events or to purchase tickets, visit our chapter website: www.fba-sdfla.org.

On behalf of the membership committee of the South Florida Chapter and our Executive Board, I thank you for joining, and I look forward to seeing you soon at FBA events. Please let me know if you have any suggestions or comments to make your membership more valuable.

Sincerely,

Stephen P. Warren Membership Committee, South Florida Chapter **EXECUTIVE**

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