

Supreme Court of Kentucky

2021-26

ORDER

IN RE: KENTUCKY LAW UPDATE

The Continuing Legal Education Commission of the Kentucky Bar Association recently announced that the 12-credit continuing legal education seminar (“Kentucky Law Update”) required under Supreme Court Rule (SCR) 3.635 would be provided in a hybrid format, with part of the programming provided live and in-person and the other part provided remotely. Because of the rise in positive COVID cases among both unvaccinated and vaccinated individuals, the ongoing uncertainty of the pandemic, and the need to protect the health and safety of Kentucky lawyers and staff of the Kentucky Bar Association, the Supreme Court has determined that the in-person portion of the Kentucky Law Update is impractical.

Accordingly, under Section 116 of the Kentucky Constitution and Supreme Court Rule 1.010, the Supreme Court ORDERS that the requirement under SCR 3.635 that the Continuing Legal Education Commission conduct a 12-credit continuing legal education seminar in each Supreme Court District is hereby suspended for 2021. In the alternative, the Continuing Legal Education Commission is directed to provide the Kentucky Law Update remotely and free-of-charge to all Kentucky Bar Association members from September 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021.

Entered this 3rd day of August 2021.


CHIEF JUSTICE

All sitting; all concur.