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AMERICANS FOR LEGAL REFORM BE SURE TO VOTE

BUT NOT FOR LAWYERS

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| MEETING DATES 7PM | | <u>SUBJECT</u> | |
| TUES., APRIL 8 th | Plainview O/B Library | How to Hire/Fire a Lawyer | |
| MON., MAY 12 th | Plainview O/B Library | The Constitution/Bill of Rights | |
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| Just because someone is a lawyer does not make them a good law-maker. In fact, most laws | | | |
| are written by lawyers who intentionally write conflicting, hard to | | | |
| understand laws that cause more litigation and dispute. For the first 100 | | | |
| years of this country, they were considered vermin. Take Senator Chucky | | | |
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Schumer... please!!!! He wrote the law which would allow people without money to buy homes which helped create the economic mess the world is in. Now he and his friends are writing more laws to punish the banks for selling these mortgages. There never was a law a lawyer didn't like.

<u>Time to Kill</u>, and <u>The Appeal</u>, says, "the criminal justice system is a mess. There are enough slimy lawyers". (Time Feb 08) More than 100 people have been put to death then were later exonerated.

Be sure to send your lawyer a 1099 form. Other groups: Fully Informed Jury, Judicial-Discipline-Reform.org, Families in Transition, Alliance to Restore Integrity in Divorce,Expertlaw.com, NOW A bad lawyer can let a case drag out for several years, a good lawyer can make it last even longer. The world is a dangerous place not because of those who do evil but because of those who look on and do nothing. "Albert Einstein" Sheriff Joe Arpaio was just re-elected, they were spending \$18 mill a year on stray animals. The animal shelters are now all staffed and operated by prisoners that care for and feed the strays. The budget is now \$3 mill.(AZ) We're focused on benefits, rights, and wants and we think too little on obligations, responsibilities and duties (Justice Clarence Thomas) ALR regrets the passing of our good friend, Cy Gape. Wow! The NYC Bar has 23,000 members and 160 committees (Much ado about nothing!) (Sept 07 NY Bar) Dominic Barbara Esq. lost his motion to withdraw from a case because his client ran out of money. Judge Anthony Falanga said "it is necessary to know the client". The lawyer should either decline the case or acknowledge they may not be paid in full. (NY Law Jrnl 1/19/05) If 86% of Americans believe in God, why do the other 14% have a problem with "In God We Trust" on our money? (Andy Rooney 60 Minutes) Clinton (D-NY), Obama(D-IL), and Schumer(D-NY) are 3 of the 33 senators who voted against English as America's official language. (June 6, 2007) Congressmen who willfully take actions during wartime that may damage morale and undermine the military are saboteurs and should be hanged. (Abraham Lincoln) Fearful of growing backlash from the public against arbitrary, prejudiced, and malicious judgments that are protected by judicial immunity, judges have banded together under government sponsorship to devise means of defending themselves from aggrieved and increasingly militant pro-se litigants. (http://exposecorruptcourts.blogspot.com) Luisa Esposito claims that her former lawyer Allen Isaac ,72, married father of 3 from Woodmere, repeatedly asked for sex. (NY Post K. Crowley) At least he was honest, most lawyers just _____ their clients. Plaintiff attorney Lanier Esq., had his annual Xmas party in Texas for 8000 people including judges. He will make \$30 million. (Google Vioxx Litigation) Before you get married, write a pre-nup, after all 60% of all marriages end in divorce and you don't want those _____ divorce lawyers taking all your \$ (Donald Trump) A husband won \$750,000 for alienation of affection to be paid by his wife's lover (Bizarre Justice 1/9/08) The rules of due process give you 5 tools to get the truth: 1. Request for Admissions, 2. Requests for Production, 3. Interrogatories, 4. Depositions, 5. Subpoenas on Court Orders, and 3 Enforcements: 1. Motion to Compel Discovery, 2. Motion for an Order to Show Cause, 3. Motion for Contempt. www.jurisdictionary.com Save legal fees- do it pro se. Senator James Lack (R-S) was nominated as Court of Claims Judge by Pataki. The hearing was called without notice and no one was allowed to testify in opposition (Elena Sassower, Center for Judicial Responsibility). In the US, there are 40,000 liability lawsuits filed per year and in Britain only 200. (Lawyers Jan 16/08). Family court judges should not place law guardians in the position of being "unsworn witnesses" in custody proceedings. (NY L J 2/17/08) Robert Curtis Esq., charged his client Janet Callaghan \$373,000 to sue her former matrimonial attorney, Berke Esq., for \$28,000. (NY Lawyer 2/22/08) Lawrence Reich Esq. was listed as working full time for 5 LI school districts at the same time or 1271 days/year, more than \$2.5 million.(Newsday 2/12/08) Jerome Ehrlich Esq. was able to get credit for 38 ½ years in the public school pension system even though he was in private practice the entire time, receiving \$400,000 in fees. (Newsday 3/16/08). During the 10 years 1997-2006 there were 7462 judicial complaints with only 9 Fed. Judge disciplined. Despite the seriousness of complaints, 99.88% were dismissed without an investigation. (Dr. Richard Cordero Esq.) Our legal system is the most corrupt profession in America. The average person gets ripped off by attorneys who abuse their power with an (illegal) monopoly that enriches them, while justice is unaffordable to the majority. Incompetent, negligent and unscrupulous lawyers are rarely held accountable. ALR needs your help and financial support to pursue our ambitious agenda: newsletters, public and private meetings, court watching, networking, education, expositions. We urge you to renew your commitment to the legal reform movement by sending your 2008 membership today.\$5-\$50+ would be great.

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