



**The Downtown Toronto Human Services and Justice
Coordinating Committee (DT- HSJCC)**

Presents

A Lunch N' Learn Session

With

The Honourable Mr. Justice Richard D. Schneider

The Honourable Mr. Justice Richard D. Schneider, B.Sc., M.A., Ph.D., LL.B., LL.M., C.Psych. is a Justice of the Ontario Court of Justice and Chair of the Ontario Review Board. He was previously a criminal defence lawyer and certified clinical psychologist. Counsel to the Ontario Review Board from 1994 to 2000 and Certified by the Law Society of Upper Canada as a specialist in Criminal Litigation. His private practice was generally limited to the representation of mentally disordered accused. Also, Adjunct Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Faculty of Medicine and Faculty of Law, at the University of Toronto. He was also named Honorary President of the Canadian Psychological Association in 2002. He is currently the Alternate Chairman of the Nunavut Review Board. A great deal of his time has been spent presiding at the Mental Health Court in Toronto [www.mentalhealthcourt.ca]. His major research interests are competency and criminal responsibility and has published extensively in the area of mental disorder and the law. Recent books include: *Mental Disorder and the Law: A primer for legal and mental health professionals* (2006, with H. Bloom); *Mental Health Courts: Decriminalizing the Mentally Ill* (2007, with H. Bloom and M. Heerema); *Annotated Mental Health Statutes* (2007); *The Lunatic and the Lords* (2009); *Law and Mental Disorder: A Comprehensive and Practical Approach* (2013, with H. Bloom) [all published by Irwin Law / www.irwinlaw.com].

On

CHANGES TO THE NCR LEGISLATION

When: Wednesday, October 29, 2014

Where: 60 Queen St. West, Old City Hall, Room 155

Time: 1 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. (Lunch will be provided)

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