Dear Colleague,

I wrote to you last week to ask you to consider participating in one of two completely confidential on-line surveys about billing practices. You can re-read that letter here. Some of you have completed a survey already. That is great news. Thank you.

The first pages of the survey describe the rationale of the ethics checks, and give instructions for completing them. You can learn more about the surveys, the results of past surveys, analyses of those results and the very positive feedback law firm leaders have given us in response to past surveys by clicking here. The results of this survey will also appear on that page.

 Billing Practices Checks
I encourage you and your staff to take part. You can access the surveys here:

- the billing practices check for medium to large law firms (firms which employ 7 or more practising certificate holders);
- the billing practices check for small law firms (firms which employ 6 or fewer practising certificate holders).

We have set an end date of Friday 10 May 2013. The end date tells us when to close the survey and to collate and publish the results on our website. If you have any queries or need assistance, please contact Dr Lyn Aitken at lyn.aitken@lsc.qld.gov.au

Thank you for your interest.

Regards,

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