

## **NOTICE TO CLIENTS OF ROBERT H. NOTHSTEIN LAW OFFICES, P.C.**

All past and present clients of Robert H. Nothstein Law Offices, P.C. are hereby given notice that the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe County appointed John C. Prevoznik, Esquire, as the Conservator for Mr. Nothstein's law practice. The appointment of the Conservator was necessary because Mr. Nothstein passed away after a lengthy illness. Mr. Nothstein closed his law practice but was unable to transfer files to his past and present clients or otherwise arrange for another attorney to provide legal services on behalf of those clients. Mr. Nothstein's practice was a general practice of law which included the drafting of wills, trusts, corporations, and real estate. The law practice included the retention of some original documents such as wills and corporate kits.

If you are a past or present client of Robert H. Nothstein Law Offices, P.C. and you wish to obtain your file, you must do so immediately. Files that are not returned to former clients will eventually be destroyed by shredding. Your file will be available to be picked up at 47 South Courtland Street, East Stroudsburg, PA 18301, based on a scheduled appointment only. Attorney Prevoznik has set aside office hours for the purpose of scheduling appointments after the requested files have been retrieved from storage established by Mr. Nothstein. **Please call Attorney Prevoznik, in advance, at (570) 426-9660 to schedule an appointment to pick up your file.** No files will be transferred without an advanced scheduled appointment. You will need to show proper valid photo identification (e.g., driver's license, passport, or State issued identification) in order to obtain your file. A written receipt and release shall be executed at the time of transfer of the file.

Be advised that the Conservator is not a partner, associate or lawyer acting with, on behalf of, or in association with Mr. Nothstein and his practice of law. The Conservator shall not make recommendations of counsel to any of Mr. Nothstein's clients, represent Mr. Nothstein's clients, or provide any legal services or legal advice to Mr. Nothstein's clients identified during the conservatorship. The Conservator is not the lawyer for Mr. Nothstein's clients.

Client files are confidential. Files will be returned only to the actual clients of Mr. Nothstein, or to individuals who are legally entitled to a client's file, such as the executor/administrator of a deceased client's estate. Absent exceptional circumstances, files will not be turned over to individuals simply based upon a family relationship or friendship between the person seeking the file and the client. In that event, someone other than the actual client, regardless of relationship to the client, must petition the Monroe County Court of Common Pleas, Pennsylvania for the transfer of such file.

Depending on the circumstances of the legal matter Mr. Nothstein was handling for you, you may want to consult with substitute counsel. For active matters, there may be applicable deadlines which require prompt action. The lawyer referral service of the Monroe County Bar Association may be of assistance in locating substitute counsel. You can contact the Lawyer Referral service at the following address:

**MONROE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION  
LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE  
913 MAIN STREET  
STROUDSBURG, PA 18360  
TELEPHONE (570) 424-7288, FAX (570) 424-8234**

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