

# Preserving Legal Privilege

Friday, 28 March 2014, 3pm  
JTJB Office

## ABOUT THIS SEMINAR

Discovery is a process in civil litigation where a party is required to disclose all relevant documents to the other party. Legal Professional Privilege ("LPP") is an important qualification to a party's discovery obligations.

It entitles a party to refuse to disclose certain confidential communications and documents to another party including courts, tribunals, regulatory bodies and enforcements agencies. LPP recognizes a fundamental right of a party to freely communicate with his legal adviser without fear of later disclosure to the detriment of that party.

However, a party's right to LPP can be lost or waived.

This seminar will give an overview of the principles governing the law of LPP and discuss the recent amendments to the Evidence Act (Cap 97) as well as the recent decision of the High Court in *Boey Chun Hian v Singapore Sports Council (Neo Meng Yong, third party)* [2013] SGHCR 15.

We will also discuss practical steps that can be taken to preserve LPP.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

In-house counsel and legal managers.

## SEMINAR OUTLINE

Time	Activity
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Presentation by <i>Jeevan John, Partner</i>
4:00pm - 4.30pm	Tea & Networking Session

## REGISTRATION

For registration, please email us at [news@jtjb.com](mailto:news@jtjb.com) by 14 March 2014. Seats are limited and are on a first come basis. You will receive a confirmation email from us to indicate that you have successfully registered for the seminar.