



Solution-based series of webinars on construction issues from the new

“A CONTRACTOR’S GUIDE TO MICHIGAN CONSTRUCTION LAW”

Michigan’s construction industry, like our country, faces uncertainty and change. Survival requires adaptation to new opportunities and obligations as well as prompt identification and better management of risks. Topics for the upcoming webinar were selected from this practical law guide designed specifically for Michigan’s construction industry.

Please join us for

Estate and Business Succession Planning for the Contractor,

Bankruptcy and the Construction Industry

and

Dealing with the Media and Press in Corporate Crisis Situations

Wednesday, March 17, 2010—11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Topics and presenters for Wednesday, March 17, 2010, include:

- **ESTATE AND BUSINESS SUCCESSION PLANNING FOR THE CONTRACTOR** will cover holding on but stepping down, keeping the family business in the family and buy-sell agreement options. This chapter will be presented by Judy Fertel Layne, Dickinson Wright, PLLC, Bloomfield Hills office. She specializes in estate planning, succession planning for closely-held businesses and corporate law for small or closely held businesses. Ms. Layne also represents several non-profit entities. Ms. Layne is listed in Best Lawyers in America.
- **BANKRUPTCY AND THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY** will help you understand what to do if you get a bankruptcy not, what you need to know about the automatic stay, about the Michigan Building Contract Fund Act and preventing receivables from being discharged in bankruptcy, and preferential payment and other potential issues with a bankruptcy trustee. John T. Piggins, Miller Johnson will present this session. John has been practicing law since 1982 and specializes in representing creditors, trustees and debtors in all types of bankruptcy-related matters. He has assisted many financial institutions and other commercial lenders in analyzing and protecting their rights in bankruptcy and non-bankruptcy matters through negotiations, court proceedings and debtor asset liquidation.
- **DEALING WITH THE MEDIA AND PRESS IN A CORPORATE CRISIS SITUATION** will address what “off the record” really means, if you can ever believe it, when the media is your best friend and can help you in a court case, and the one thing your company should never say to the media. Frank Mamat, Foster, Swift, Collins & Smith, P.C., is one of the nation’s preeminent labor law attorneys, and focuses his practice on complex labor issues, with a special focus on union matters, contract negotiations, unfair labor practice litigation, NLRB practice, organizing attempts by unions, mass picketing and violence, secondary boycotts and pressure, and Federal and State OSHA practice. Frank earned his undergraduate degree from the University of Rochester and is a graduate of the Syracuse University College of Law.

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