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### **Please Note: Revised Agenda**

**FROM:** David A Swerdloff, Chair  
**TO:** Business Law Section  
**MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, October 27, 2009  
**MEETING TIME:** 6:00 p.m. -- Cash Bar 6:30 p.m. -- Dinner  
**PLACE:** Quinnipiack Club, 221 Church Street, New Haven, CT

### **Agenda**

#### **2010 Legislative Outlook:**

##### **1. Unauthorized Practice of Law**

Mark Dubois, Chief Disciplinary Counsel, State of Connecticut  
Peter Costas, Pepe & Hazard LLP, Chair, CBA Task Force on Multi-Jurisdictional Practice

**IMPORTANT:** We expect amendments to Section 51-88 dealing with the unauthorized practice of law to be introduced in the next legislative session. Among other things, these amendments would increase the penalties for the unauthorized practice of law to a felony. The amendments impact Connecticut lawyers who negotiate and close transactions with out-of-state lawyers in Connecticut. They could also affect every business lawyer whose clients have multi-state operations or who travels to other states to negotiate transactions. Our Section will discuss taking a position on the proposed amendments.

We hope to have a strong turnout from the Executive Committee to vote on our position on these amendments.

##### **2. Federal Incorporation Transparency and Law Enforcement Assistance Act**

Seth Klaskin of the Office of the Secretary of the State will brief members on proposed federal legislation that would, among other things, impose certain reporting and disclosure requirements on lawyers who form business entities.

##### **3. Model Entity Transaction Act**

Mark Sklarz of Day Pitney LLP will describe the merits of META, the "junction box" statute, that provides model provisions for inter-entity business combinations, conversions and domestications.

##### **4. Monthly Current Development**

Peter Bilfield of Shipman & Goodwin, LLP will summarize changes to New York law on powers of attorney.

*Henry Beck of Halloran & Sage LLP will describe our goals for updating the Connecticut Business Corporation Act at our November meeting.*

**Business Law Section Dinner Meeting  
Tuesday, October 27, 2009**

**Directions**

**Quinnipiack Club**  
221 Church Street, New Haven, CT  
(203) 562-3147

Traveling either North or South on I-91, take Exit 3 (Trumbull Street Exit). At the end of the exit ramp, proceed straight ahead. Turn left onto Temple Street and then a left onto Elm Street. Take a left onto Church Street. The Quinnipiack Club is on the right.

**Registration Form**



**Business Law Section Dinner Meeting  
Tuesday, October 27, 2009**

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**MENU:**  Buffet @ \$37.50 (includes: Parmesan Crusted Chicken w/ Mushroom & Tomatoes, Grilled Salmon w/ Mango Relish, Cheese Ravioli Marinara, Herbed Basmati Rice)

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