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Key Issues in Corporate Governance
and Compliance 2007

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For a complimentary seminar on Compliance Readiness

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8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Four Seasons Hotel

757 Market St

San Francisco, CA 94103

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Breakfast, Lunch and Cocktail Reception included.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This complimentary seminar is designed for general counsel, in-house counsel and compliance professionals. Panelists from a variety of perspectives will address current topics, including:

Morning Program

Coming Developments in Corporate Governance

Foreign Corrupt Practices Act: A Focus on M&A

Avoiding, Responding to and Recovering From Criminal Prosecutions

Luncheon and Keynote Speaker

Charles A. James, Vice President and General Counsel, Chevron Corporation

Afternoon Program

Conducting Corporate Investigations that Count

Employment Liability: The New Pressure Points

Managing the Costs, Risks and Time of Discovery Requests

Cocktail Reception

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS AND PANELISTS TO DATE INCLUDE:

Bobbi Basile, Executive Director, Fraud Investigation & Dispute Services, Ernst & Young

Brett Burns, Partner, Labor and Employment Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Prashant Dubey, VP & General Manager, Discovery Management Services, Fios, Inc.

Marc Fagel, Associate Regional Director, Securities and Exchange Commission

Kent Graham, Partner, National Tax Services, Ernst & Young

Jack Holleran, Senior Manager, Corporate Compliance Advisory Services, Ernst & Young

Charles A. James, Vice President and General Counsel, Chevron Corporation

Steven Kaufhold, Partner, Securities Litigation Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Karen Kubin, Partner, Labor and Employment Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Rory Little, Professor of Law, University of California, Hastings College of the Law

Stephen Mansfield, Partner, White Collar Crime, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Fraser McAlpine, Partner, Labor and Employment Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Sam Panarella, Director, Discovery Management Services, Fios, Inc.

Frank Reddick, Partner, Corporate Finance, Mergers and Acquisitions Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Joseph Rosenbaum, Partner, Fraud Investigation & Dispute Services, Ernst & Young

Edward Rubinoff, Partner, International Trade Practice Group and Firmwide Head of the Export Control and Economic Sanctions Practice Criminal Defense Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Scott Schools, US Attorney, Northern District of California

Richard Sibery, Partner, Fraud Investigation & Dispute Services, Ernst & Young

Reginald Steer, Partner, Antitrust Practice Group, Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

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Partners Notes

NAF Honors Retired Minnesota Judge

The National Arbitration Forum presented the organization's inaugural Civil Justice Award to the Hon. Harold Kalina, for whom the award will be named, on December 1.

Upon presenting the award, Roger Haydock, managing director of the National Arbitration Forum, said, "Judge Kalina has ennobled and improved dispute resolution and civil justice during his distinguished career as a district court judge, a Minnesota state senator, practicing attorney, mediator, arbitrator, and all-around dispute resolution professional."

Judge Kalina began his career at Scholle, Schweiger & Kalina in Minneapolis where he practiced law from 1954 to 1972 and was a partner. He served as a Minnesota state senator for four terms from 1955 to 1971 and as an assistant minority leader for the Senate from 1971 to 1972.

In 1972, he began his term as judge of the Hennepin County District Court, Fourth Judicial District, Minnesota. In 1981, Judge Kalina became chief judge of the Fourth Judicial District. He was partner at Oppenheimer Wolff & Donnelly in Minneapolis from 1983 to 1990. He then returned to the bench as a Fourth Judicial District Court judge from 1990 to 1995.

In 1995, he began serving Minnesota courts as a retired judge and was approved by the Minnesota Supreme Court as an arbitrator and neutral mediator practicing in all alternative dispute resolution areas. In 2001, Judge Kalina joined the National Arbitration Forum panel of arbitrators and mediators and began hearing and deciding cases over disputed domain names.

Surety LLC Announces Release Of Records-Sealing Software

Surety, LLC has announced the release of AbsoluteProof[®] FolderSeal, a new delivery model of its flagship content security and authentication solution, AbsoluteProof.

Built upon AbsoluteProof's patented hash-chain linking method of time-stamping, the Windows-based FolderSeal enables users to automatically timestamp and seal all electronic records stored within specified folders at given intervals. Records stored in the designated folder will have independent, long-lasting proof of their time of creation and content integrity, thus safeguarding documents from later tampering and providing users with an added level of security for these crucial electronic records.

FolderSeal uses an Automated Sealer to timestamp all electronic files within a designated folder and subfolders, providing objective proof of the time and content integrity of the records contained therein. The lightweight, easy-to-use solution can be configured to automatically seal documents at specified intervals so that all new or modified records in a folder will be sealed and protected without user initiation. Third parties, including attorneys, regulators and customers, can also verify the authenticity of documents with the freely available AbsoluteProof Viewer.

Companies of all sizes can use AbsoluteProof FolderSeal to safeguard business records against tampering and alteration to prove regulatory compliance, protect valuable intellectual property and ensure litigation readiness.

For more details about AbsoluteProof FolderSeal, visit www.surety.com/products/category/folderseal/.