# INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW COMMITTEE BUSINESS LAW SECTION

**THE FLORIDA BAR**

**(Joint Meeting with Computer Law Committee)**

MEETING AGENDA– 2016 Labor Day Retreat

September 3, 2016, Ritz Carlton, Naples, Florida

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Attendees:  Michael Colitz, Dick Haslam, Christina Taylor, Josh Saltz, Samuel Lewis, Joe Englander, Albert Alvarez, Brian Walsh, Alexa Blackman, Larry Kunin, Woody Pollack, Robert Thornburg, David Whitehouse, Nicole Valdivieso, Darren Spelman, Joel Rothman, Doug Cherry, Robert Kain, Steven Peretz, Andrew Kaplan, Iris Elijah, Ury Fischer, Nari Tomlinson, Tom Zeichman, Don Conwell, Tim Morell, Jeanne Seawald, Al Robinson, Courtney Hutchison, Sarah Parrow, Matthew Horowitz, Mark Stein, Michael Chesal, Kimra Major-Morris, Dineen Pashoukos-Wasylik, Samantha Rhayem, Corlele Rolle, Davidson Anestal

***On the Phone****: Terry Sanks, Stephen Stein, Howard Cohen, Jim Matulis, Jacqueline Tadros, Keith Kanouse, Michele Moss*

1. **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION BY IP COMMITTEE CHAIR**
2. **OLD BUSINESS**
	1. **Introductions**
	2. **Adoption of Meeting Minutes.** Minutes from prior meeting were reviewed and approved.

# NEW BUSINESS

* 1. **IP Certification Update** by Ury Fischer. A reminder that anyone certified in 2007, must recertify this year. IP Certification Committee is not permitted to be involved in creating the certification examination. Cannot discuss the test with applicants. Certification committee is barred from speaking about the contents on the exam.

# Blog Update - Jim Matulis spoke about the committee’s blog. The Communications Section of the BLS wants us to merge ipcommittee.com with the BLS blog. The BLS wants their blog to be the central point. The options are: agree with BLS and move to their site; create parallel site with link from BLS blog. Jim encouraged people to create content for the site. Kimra asked for input from the committee on this issue.

# Legislative Update – Mike Colitz gave a quick update on Case Act of 2016. Woody Pollack gave an update on the BITCOIN taskforce. Robert Kain gave a CADRA update.

# 8th ANNUAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY SYMPOSIUM – Jacqueline Tadros gave a Symposium update. The date is March 30 and 31 of 2017. Location is Senesta hotel in Ft. Lauderdale. Jacqueline is thinking of a 1-2-hour panel for test prep. Working on sponsorship sheet. She hopes to distribute sponsorship meeting 2nd week of September.

1. **OTHER TOPICS**

# Woody Pollack is looking for articles for computer & tech law committee.

# James Curry spoke on the importance of mentoring.

# Keith Kanouse- spoke on data security. Law firms are becoming a top target. Keith will send out a summary.

1. **CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION**
	1. Matt Horowitz- spoke about Click wrap vs. browse wrap. Matt will send out an overview. Bob Kain spoke on IP protection of computer programs.

# ADJOURNMENT

# Next Meeting, Winter Meeting, January 25-28, 2017, Gaylord Palms Hotel in Orlando.