

2011 Annual Business Law Update ©

Objective: This course will address significant court decisions from the past year that affect business entities, executives, and their owners. A wide variety of issues will be discussed. The carefully selected cases may establish new law, be controversial, or provide a good summary of established law. The facts, issues, and outcome of each case will be noted. More importantly, the focus will be on the lessons that can be learned from the reported cases. Suggestions will be provided as to how to avoid such problems.

Topics that may be covered include:

- Issues addressed by the U.S. Supreme Court
- Corporate governance
- Sale of securities by a private company
- Patents, trademarks, and copyrights
- Trade secrets
- Restrictive covenants
- Employment discrimination and other employment law issues
- Creditor's rights
- Piercing the corporate veil
- Unfair competition
- Shareholder disputes
- Real estate sales and leases
- Business torts

CPE: 4 or 8 hours

Level: Basic to Intermediate

Category: Technical Consulting

Prerequisites: None

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