



# 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Pacific Northwest Construction Defect Law Seminar & Networking Party

March 27, 2014 3:30 - 7:00 p.m. Grand Hyatt Seattle - Seattle WA

#### **AGENDA**

➤ 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. - Oregon Industry Trends and Case Law Review: Panel Speakers:

Allen E. Eraut, Esq.; Rizzo Mattingly Bosworth PC

Eric A. Kekel, Esq.; Dunn Carney Allen Higgins & Tongue LLP

Michael J. Scott, Esq.; Scott Hookland LLP Daniel Zimberoff, Esq.; Barker Martin P.S.

#### **Discussion Points:**

## 1) Statute of limitations/Repose:

- ORS 12.080(1) / ORS 12.135 / ORS 12.135(3) i. SB 46 (CH 469)
- Negligence
- Duty to inquire
- AIA accrual provision and what constitutes substantial completion
- Repose and Indemnity
- Accrual

# 2) Resolution/Settlement:

- ORS 31.825
- Portland Public School Dist. No. 1J v. Great American insurance
- Assignment of claims
- Marton V. Ater Construction Co., LLC
- Courts' adherence to "the Stubblefield Rule."
- Issue releases/Scope of release

### 3) Nature of Defects:

4) Insurance and Conflict Issues:

► 4:40 - 5:40 p.m. - Washington Industry Trends and Case Law Review: Panel Speakers:

Betsy A. Gillaspy, Esq.; Salmi & Gillaspy PLLC Anthony L. Rafel, Esq.; Rafel Law Group PLLC Michael J. Scott, Esq.; Scott Hookland LLP John E. Zehnder, Jr., Esq.; Scheer & Zehnder LLP

#### **Discussion Points:**

- Independent duty doctrine update (Donatelli v. DR Strong Consulting, et al.);
- Consent judgments (Bird v. Best Plumbing, et al.);
- · Condominium Act arbitration issues;
- Use of experts/expert issues;
- Indemnity update (Jacobs Meadow);
- Tenders and AI;
- Insurance Issues; Claims File discoverable (Cedell v. Farmers);
- Performance issues v. technical defects;
- WA/OR contrasts; Insurance conflicts of law; and
- Misc. Issues. (Eg. SOL/SOR; yellow brass claims viable?)

▶ 5:45 - 7:00 p.m. - Networking Cocktail Reception



2 MCLE Credit Hours (WA and OR)

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