

March Bankruptcy Meeting Minutes

March 18, 2015

- A. There was a discussion of form books
 - 1. Alex will be sending out a request to the section at large
 - 2. Randy will help with Chapter 11s
 - 3. Goal is to have it ready by next seminar

- B. Discussion of the Seminar
 - 1. Randy will ask Mahmood to prepare a list of how many people responded to the survey
 - 2. And a historical comparison of survey results/ranking of seminars

- C. Newsletter
 - a. Alex anticipates the issue going on May 2
 - b. The deadline for articles in April 27

- D. Advocate
 - a. Joint with another group – Fall
 - b. Will be instead of 2nd newsletter
 - c. Any bankruptcy issues that are relevant to the co-sponsoring section?
 - i. Need overlap ideas from the group
 - ii. Alex will ask the other section what articles they are writing, maybe we can tie them together?
 - iii. Enforceability of non-competes in Bankruptcy/non-dischargeability of non-competes
 - iv. Former business owners who close their doors without paying all wages
 - v. Tax issues
 - vi. Erisa issues

- E. Tip of the Month
 - a. April – Alex
 - b. May – Paul

- F. Old Business
 - a. Alex- any idea on financials for seminar
 - b. The financials ending Jan. 31 have no seminar expenses
 - c. Randy expects financials 3-45 days from March 13, 2015

- G. New Business
 - a. Discussion about Claire Rosston's request to make a pitch to the Board re the May 8, 2015 CLE
 - i. Do we have protocol for addressing?
 - ii. Let's let Mahmood send the announcement to our section members if Claire's section will allow us to do the same
 - iii. Randy will invite Clair to make a 5 minute pitch on the April 15 meeting

- H. 2016 Seminar
 - a. List of topics is being gathered, nothing is definitive
 - b. Slush fund from the Judges, request for an out of state Speaker?

Adjourned 3:44 pm