## IDAHO APPELLATE PRACTICE SECTION

## Minutes of Section Meeting, August 14, 2014, 12:00 p.m.

Chairman Christopher Pooser presided.

- 1. <u>Secretary/Treasurer's report</u>
  - 39 members
  - We have not seen updated financials but we are monitoring our funds.
- 2. <u>IAPS Bylaws</u> were approved by the Bar Commissioners.
- 3. Idaho Appellate Handbook Cathy Derden updated status of the Handbook.
  - Handbook will focus on Idaho appellate law. Federal appellate law is covered in recent Appellate Lawyer Representatives' Guide to Practice in the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.
  - Subcommittee of governing council is contacting authors.
  - Idea is to have all articles submitted by December 15, 2014 and publication in 2015.
- 4. Weekly summaries of appellate opinions
  - Members expressed continued interest in weekly summaries.
  - Formal survey of interest to be decided.
- 5. <u>Update on other IAPS activities</u>
  - Member recruitment we have set up procedures to welcome new admittees to ISB.
  - 2014 member lunch/CLE meetings:
    - October 9, 2014 tbd.
    - o December 11, 2014 Judge David Gratton of the Idaho Court of Appeals will discuss ethical issues for appellate attorneys.

## **CLE Following Section Meeting**

Justice Daniel T. Eismann, Idaho Supreme Court, gave a presentation on Final Appealable Judgments, with focus on compliance with the requirements of Idaho Rule of Civil Procedure 54(a). A question and answer session followed.