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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2003

Seminar will be held at the.....
TOWN HOUSE BEST WESTERN
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Contact the hotel at 701-746-5411 for reservations.

JAMES J. WHITE is the Robert A. Sullivan Professor of Law at the University of Michigan Law School and is considered the nations foremost expert on the UCC. He has written extensively on commercial law and is the author of the most widely-used treatise on the Uniform Commercial Code – *Handbook of the Law under the Uniform Commercial Code (5th Edition, 2000, with Summers)*. He is also the author of several casebooks on commercial, bankruptcy and banking law. Professor White has served as the reporter for the Revision of Article 5 and Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code; he is a member of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws and has served on several American Law Institute and NCCUSL committees dealing with revisions to the Uniform Commercial Code. He received the L. Hart Wright Award for Excellence in Teaching for 2001-02.

SBAND is proud to announce Professor Jim White’s return engagement to North Dakota. When he last presented his CLE program on new Article 9 for our lawyers and bankers in May 2001, the response was a unanimous “Bravo.” In this new program designed to address the practical issues that have cropped up since implementation of the new Code section, Jim White shares his considerable experience and expertise on how Revised Article 9 is working so far.

Program Highlights:

- Scope of Revised Article 9 secured transactions
- Types of collateral under new Article 9
- UCC filing issues
- Legislative changes in Article 9 in the 2003 Session
- Participate in a panel discussion with Professor White and North Dakota experts familiar with the practical problems of lawyers and bankers in implementing Revised Article 9’s requirements

LOWELL P. BOTTRELL is a shareholder of Anderson and Bottrell in Fargo, North Dakota. He obtained his undergraduate degree from North Dakota State University in 1980 and his law degree from the University of North Dakota in 1983. He has served as an Adjunct Professor at the University of North Dakota School of Law teaching Article 9-Secured Transactions. Mr. Bottrell is listed in *The Best Lawyers In America*. He practices in the areas of Agricultural Law, Banking Law, Bankruptcy, Commercial Law, Debtor/Creditor Law, Federal Crop Insurance, and Secured Transactions.

JOHN S. FOSTER is the President of the nine-member law firm of Zimney Foster P.C. in Grand Forks, where his practice is devoted to banking law, commercial transactions and creditors rights in bankruptcy. He earned his BA degree *cum laude*, from the University of Wisconsin and his law degree, with distinction, from the UND. He is an adjunct faculty member of the UND Law School, where he teaches Debtor/Creditor Law, Bankruptcy law, Commercial Paper and Advanced Commercial Transactions. He is a frequent lecturer on the Uniform Commercial Code and bankruptcy and creditors’ rights issues. He also serves as faculty on the Dakota School of Banking sponsored by North Dakota Bankers Association. Mr. Foster is the recipient of the American Jurisprudence Award for Excellence in Commercial Transactions, a recipient of the Supreme Court Justice Nels Johnson Award for Achievement in the Study of Secured Transactions. He is listed in *The Best Lawyers in America*.

LAWRENCE R. KLEMIN is a graduate of the University of North Dakota School of Law and is President of the Bismarck law firm of Bucklin, Klemin & McBride, P.C. Klemin is also President of Litigation Services, Inc., a publisher of law books and trial practice aids for lawyers, including Civil Practice of North Dakota, Second Edition, Forms (3 volumes) and the Trial Notebook. Klemin is a Member of the North Dakota House of Representatives and also serves as a Commissioner on the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.

LLONA SAILING was raised and educated in Wisconsin. Ms. Sailing moved to North Dakota in 1977 and is employed in the UCC/CNS division of the Secretary of State’s Office. She has served as the Director of the division since 1979.

CANDACE M. ZIERDT received her law degree from the University of Kansas School of Law in 1977 and her L.L. M from the Temple University School of Law in 1990. She was an honorable Abraham L. Freedman Fellow while at Temple. Before joining the law faculty in 1990, Professor Zierdt worked for eleven years in Kansas City with Legal Aid of Western Missouri where she practiced in the areas of juvenile law, consumer law, and federal litigation. In 1983, Professor Zierdt received the Missouri Association of Social Welfare Award for Outstanding Legal Services. She also was a law clerk to the Honorable Doris Smith, Commonwealth Court of Appeals in Pennsylvania. She assumed the role of Interim Dean at the University of North Dakota School of Law on January 1, 2003.

FRIDAY, December 12th

- 8:30 – 9:00** Registration & Continental breakfast
- 9:00 – 9:35** Welcome & Introduction
Lowell Bottrell
- 9:35 – 12:00** Revised Article 9 Revisited
Professor Jim White
(Morning session includes 15 minute break)
- 12:00 – 1:00** Lunch (included in registration) and section meetings
- 1:00 – 3:00** Revised Article 9 Revisited
John S. Foster
- 3:00 – 3:15** Break
- 3:15 – 3:30** UCC Article 9 and Tribal Law Update
Dean Candace Zierdt
- 3:30 – 3:45** 2003 Legislative Update
Representative Lawrence Klemin
- 3:45 – 5:00** Panel discussion: Article 9 in ND
Common problems and practical solutions for lawyers and bankers
Panel members: *Professor White, Lowell Bottrell, John Foster, Dean Zierdt, Representative Klemin, Llona Sailing, Secretary of State Al Jaeger*

SBAND Young Lawyers Section

A section meeting will be held during lunch. Contact Section Chair Swain Benson for details. bensonlaw@ndak.net (701) 228-3655

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