

### **PERRIN CONFERENCES**

## Mid-Atlantic Asbestos Litigation Conference

### Tuesday, May 3, 2016

### **Conference Chair:**

Loreto P. Rufo, Esq., Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE



Chase Center on the Riverfront 815 Justison Street Wilmington, DE

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### 8:00 AM – Women & Business Breakfast Roundtable (Sponsored by: Swartz Campbell)

Amaryah K. Bocchino, Esq., Manion Gaynor & Manning LLP, Wilmington, DE

Lauren E. Burke, Esq., Swartz Campbell, Philadelphia, PA

Diane M. Coffey, Esq., Bern Ripka LLP, Wilmington, DE

**Stephanie Hamilton-Little,** Corporate Claims Specialist, PMA Companies, Old Republic Insurance, Blue Bell, PA

**Antoinette D. Hubbard**, Director, Maron Marvel Bradley & Anderson LLC, Wilmington, DE **Marsharee Wilcox**, Vice President Claims, Brandywine Group of Insurance and Reinsurance Companies, Philadelphia, PA

### 8:30 AM – Conference Registration & Continental Breakfast

### 9:00 AM – Welcome & Opening Remarks

Loreto P. Rufo, Esq., Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE

### 9:15 AM – Jurisdictional Update: Status of the Litigation and Recent Decisions

- National update
- Overview of Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Washington D.C.
- Delaware Revision to Master Trial Scheduling Order

Moderator: Loreto P. Rufo, Esq., Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE

Nina Lynn Caroselli, Esq., Chief Operating Officer, The RiverStone Group, Manchester, NH

Leonard F. Feldman, Esq., Weitz & Luxenberg P.C., Cherry Hill, NJ

**Tracey McDevitt Hagan, Esq.,** Reilly, Janiczek, McDevitt, Henrich & Cholden, P.C., Philadelphia, PA

Douglas B. Pfeiffer, Esq., Miles & Stockbridge, P.C., Baltimore, MD

Nicholas E. Skiles, Esq., Swartz Campbell, Wilmington, DE

Gregory M. Stokes, Esq., Swartz Campbell, Philadelphia, PA

10:30 AM – Break

### 10:45 AM – Asbestos Litigation Post Bauman v. Daimler

- The Bauman Decision and its progeny
- Application of Bauman to asbestos litigation



- Jurisdictional round-up including recent second circuit decision and highly anticipated decision by the Delaware Supreme Court in Genuine Parts Company v. Ralph Allan Cepec
- The future of asbestos filings

Moderator: C. Scott Reese, Esq., Cooch and Taylor, Wilmington, DE Paul A. Bradley, Esq., Maron Marvel Bradley & Anderson LLC, Wilmington, DE Patrick M. Brannigan, Esq., Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC, Wilmington, DE Stephanie A. Fox, Esq., Maron Marvel Bradley & Anderson LLC, Wilmington, DE Patrick Haines, Esq., Napoli Shkolnik PLLC, Edwardsville, IL Robert Dale Klein, Esq., Wharton Levin Ehrmantraut & Klein, Annapolis, MD Charles E. Soechting, Jr., Esq., Simon Greenstone Panatier Bartlett, PC, Dallas, TX

### 12:30 PM - Networking Lunch

### 1:30 PM – The Judicial Perspectives

Moderators: M. Douglas Eisler, Esq., Wilbraham, Lawler & Buba, LLC, Philadelphia, PA Loreto P. Rufo, Esq., Rufo Associates, P.A., Hockessin, DE Hon. Vivian L. Medinilla, Superior Court of Delaware, Wilmington, DE

**Hon. Arnold L. New,** Coordinating Judge, Complex Litigation Center, Philadelphia, PA **Hon. Calvin L. Scott, Jr.,** Superior Court of Delaware, Wilmington, DE

2:30 PM - Break

### 2:45 PM – Bankruptcy Trusts and Discovery Issues

Moderator: Christian J. Singewald, Esq., White and Williams LLP, Wilmington, DE A. Dale Bowers, Esq., A. Dale Bowers, II, P.A., Wilmington, DE Matthew F. Boyer, Esq., Connolly Gallagher, LLP, Wilmington, DE Armand J. Della Porta, Jr., Esq., Marshall Dennehey Warner Coleman & Goggin, P.C., Wilmington, DE

Peter R. Kelso, Director, Bates White Economic Consulting, Washington, DC

### 3:45 PM – Ethical Considerations in Deposition Practice

Moderator: David A. White, Esq., McCarter & English, LLP, Wilmington, DE Matthew P. Donelson, Esq., Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC, Wilmington, DE Daniel P. Daly, Esq., Kelley Jasons McGowan Spinelli Hanna & Reber, LLP, Wilmington, DE Sam Iola, Esq., Simon Greenstone Panatier Bartlett, PC, Dallas, TX William B. Larson, Jr., Esq., Manion Gaynor & Manning LLP, Wilmington, DE Charles Slanina, Esq., Finger & Slanina, LLC, Hockessin, DE

4:45 PM – 5:45 PM – Networking Cocktail Reception (Sponsored by: Rufo Associates, P.A.)



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