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**Documenting and Seeking Solutions to Mass-Tort MDL Problems**

**Atlanta, GA**

**April 26-27, 2018**

**Thursday, April 26, 2018**

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|  **TIME** | **SESSION** |
| 7:45 a – 8:30 a | Continental Breakfast and Sign-In (Altitude Room – 27th Floor) |
| 8:30 a – 9:00 a | Welcoming Remarks  |
| 9:00 a – 10:15 a | PANEL 1: Impact of Critical Transferee Judge Decisions Not Subject to Review or Appeal |
| 10:15 a – 10:30 a | Break |
| 10:30 a – 12:00 p | PANEL 2: Inappropriately Filed Cases and Bundling of Filing Fees |
| 12:00 p – 1:15 p | Lunch (TRACE Restaurant – 2nd Floor or Mezzanine Level) |
| 1:15 p – 2:45 p | PANEL 3: No Standards in Determining Optimum Number of PSC Members and Amounts of Common Benefit Fund |
| 2:45 p – 3:00 p | Break |
| 3:00 p – 4:30 p | PANEL 4: No Control Over Client Cases by Non-Leadership Counsel and Concerns About PSC-Member Inventory Settlements |
| 4:30 p – 5:30 p | Reception (TRACE Restaurant – 2nd Floor or Mezzanine Level) |

**Friday, April 27, 2018**

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|  **TIME** | **SESSION** |
| 7:45 a – 8:30 a | Continental Breakfast (Altitude Room – 27th Floor) |
| 8:30 a –10:00 a | PANEL 5: Third-Party Financing and Impact of JPML Selection of Transferee Judge |
| 10:00 a – 10:15 a | Break |
| 10:15 a – 12:00 p | PANEL 6: Transferee Judge’s Authority to Order Specific Procedures, e.g., Establish Common Benefit Fund, and Diversity in PSC Appointments |
| 12:00 p – 12:15 p | Grab-and-Go Snacks |