How to End the HR Document Pile-Up

On-Demand

Exari presents a free on-demand webinar discussing how document automation can alleviate the burden of creating HR documents.

Best Practices for a Contract Management RFP

On-Demand

Corridor Company presents a free on-demand webinar aimed at anyone ready to issue a request for proposal, as well as those just starting the process.

The Walmart Settlement: A Game Changer for Retailers

On-Demand

ReposiTrak has posted a free on-demand webinar on Walmart’s 2014 settlement of 23 cases in the wake of the Jensen Farms class action litigation due to an outbreak of listeriosis linked to cantaloupes.

GAO: Performance-Based Contracts Are the Way to Go

NEWS

Performance-based contracting received a boost when the Government Accountability Office found that the U.S. Department of Transportation is making progress in moving toward a national performance-based approach.

The New Revenue Recognition Standard: Tax Implications

On-Demand

Ernst & Young has posted a free on-demand webinar on a converged standard for recognizing revenue under U.S. GAAP and IFRS introduced during 2014.

Understanding the Different Mandates for Legal and

Compliance

EVENT: Feb. 3, 12 p.m. EST

Michael Volkov, CEO of The Volkov Law Group, will discuss the respective mandates of the CCO and legal officers in a free webinar Tuesday, Feb. 3, at noon Eastern time.

Energy Transfer Partners to Buy Regency in $11 Billion Deal

NEWS

Pipeline operator Energy Transfer Partners LP said it would buy affiliate Regency Energy Partners LP for about $11 billion as master limited partnerships seek to simplify their complex holding structures, reports Reuters.

DLA Piper Ventures into the Cybersecurity Field

NEWS

Law firm DLA Piper plans to get into the cybersecurity business, a rapidly changing field that is pushing the legal industry to experiment with ways to help businesses dealing with the complexities of security regulations, reports *The*

Washington Post.

Encana Names New General Counsel/EVP

NEWS

Encana Corp. has announced the appointment of Joanne Alexander as its new executive vice president and general counsel.

4th Circuit Adopts 'Implied Certification' Theory of False Claims Act Liability

NEWS

Ropes & Gray has published an examination of a recent 4th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruling on the False Claims Act in *U.S. ex rel. Badr v. Triple Canopy, Inc.*, No. 13-2101.

The Demise of the 'Meeting of

the Minds’ in Contract Law

White Paper

The American Bar Association’s Section of Litigation has posted a free white paper about the concept of “meeting of the minds” during contract negotiations.

Translation Solutions as a Preventive Tool in Anti-Corruption

White Paper

Merrill Brink has published a white paper designed to help ensure that all employees are thoroughly trained in compliance.

Kinder Morgan Plans $3 Billion Purchase, Leadership Moves

NEWS

Kinder Morgan will pay $3 billion for pipelines in the Bakken Shale, the company said Wednesday.

Supreme Court May Dilute EEOC's Aggressive Legal Strategy

NEWS

The U.S. Supreme Court appears likely to review whether the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission must seek conciliation with employers before suing them for violating federal law, reports *Business Insurance*.

GoPro's IPO Stock and Apple's Camera Patents

EVENT: Jan. 29, 11:30 a.m. CST

Hulsey Calhoun P.C. will present "GoPro's IPO Stock and Apple's Camera Patents: Legal & Business Reactions and Responses When A Tech Market Shift Happens" in both live format and as a webinar.

The Survival Playbook for Oil

and Gas Professionals

White Paper

This is a time to accept the nature of the energy industry, realistically evaluate current job viability and create an action plan, writes Kelli Lauletta in OilOnline.

Remaking the Utility Business Model

On-Demand

ABB presents a free on-demand webinar on the possiblity for a new utility business model in the regulated utility business.

Unconventional Oil and Gas Projects Lessons Learned

White Paper and On-Demand

Coreworx has posted a free on-demand introduction to unconventional oil and gas projects, along with a white paper titled “Effective Project Information Control in Unconventional Oil & Gas Projects.”

IRS Specifies Performance, Quality Standards For Small Wind Turbines

NEWS

North American Windpower has published an article discussing a new notice from the Internal Revenue Service setting performance and quality standards that small wind turbines must meet in order to qualify for the 30% investment tax credit.

Supreme Court Alters Claim Construction Review Standard in Patent Litigation

NEWS

The U.S. Supreme Court altered the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit’s longstanding de novo standard of review for all claim construction in patent infringement cases.