

DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS FOURTH ANNUAL DISTRICT CONFERENCE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2013
FRENCHMAN'S REEF & MORNING STAR
MARRIOTT BEACH RESORT
St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands



AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m.- 8:25 a.m. ***Registration & Continental Breakfast***
- 8:25 a.m.- 8:30 a.m. ***Welcome***
The Honorable Curtis V. Gómez, Chief Judge,
District Court of the United States Virgin Islands
- 8:30 a.m.- 10:00 a.m. ***Supreme Court Round-up***
Professor Erwin Chemerinsky, Dean, University of California,
Irvine School of Law
- 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. ***Practicing Responsibly: Ethical Developments***
Moderator: Professor Erwin Chemerinsky, Dean, University of California,
Irvine School of Law
Panelists: The Honorable Theodore McKee, Chief Judge, United States Court
of Appeals for the Third Circuit; The Honorable Kathleen Mackay, Judge,
Superior Court of the Virgin Islands; Delphine Farr Janey, Esquire; Gerald
Groner, Esquire.
- 11:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. ***The Virgin Islands Wrongful Discharge Act and Title VII***
Complements or Antagonists?
What Standard Applies for Summary Judgment?
Moderator: Catherine Fisk, Professor, University of California,
Irvine School of Law
Panelists: The Honorable Juan R. Sanchez, Judge, United States District Court
for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania ; The Honorable Douglas Brady, Judge,
Superior Court of the Virgin Islands; Lorelei Farrington, Esquire; Natalie
Nelson-Tang How, Esquire; David Cattie, Esquire.

12:15 p.m.-1:15 p.m.

Lunch
The Effective Litigator
David Boies, Esquire
Boies, Schiller & Flexner, LLP

1:15 p.m. -3:30 p.m.

The Developing Common Law in the Territories
To Certify or Not to Certify? That is the Question
The Utility of the Restatements of Law
Moderator: Professor Erwin Chemerinsky, Dean, University of California, Irvine School of Law
Panelists: The Honorable F. Philip Carbullido, Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Guam; The Honorable Rhys S. Hodge, Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the Virgin Islands; The Honorable Brenda J. Hollar, Retired Judge, Superior Court of the Virgin Islands; Chad C. Messier, Esquire; Aquanette Chinnery, Esquire.

3:40 p.m.

Reception