

**American Bar Association  
Section of Public Contract Law**

**Fall Council Meeting  
November 3, 2001  
8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon**

**Crystal Ballroom I, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Wyndham San Diego at Emerald Plaza  
San Diego, California**

**AGENDA**

† Indicates **action or working** item

✎ Indicates oral report or distribution of materials at meeting.

**ACTION ITEMS**




- † 1. **Approval of August 4, 2001 Annual Council Meeting Minutes (Bell) and August 7, 2001 New Council Meeting Minutes (Wittie)**
- † 2. **Proposed Section Blanket Authority Letter to amend federal intellectual property law (Bayh-Dole) (Svetz)**
- †✎ 3. **Report and recommendation re McConnell Bill (Amendments to incorporate procurement standards in federally funded local purchases of voting machines) (Aguirre)**

**WORKING ITEMS**

- † 4. **Status of 2000 Model Procurement Code Regulations, American Infrastructure Consortium, and related matters, etc. (Miller)**
- † 5. **Defense Production Act implications of the current National security situation (Nibley/Hordell/Murphy/Hinchman)**

**INFORMATION ITEMS**

- 6. Status report from Special Committee on Section Organization and Structure (Smith)
- ✎ 7. Status report from Special Committee to examine e-newsletter issues (Meagher)
- 8. Report of the Dispute Avoidance/Early Dispute Resolution Task Force (Burton/Wittie)

9. Legislative Update (Fleming/Martinez)
10. Proposal for FAR Amendments to facilitate greater use of E-Commerce in federal procurements (Samelson/Shaffer)
11. Pro Bono Committee Report (Burgett)
12. Access to Information Committee Report (Hamrick/Pustay)
13. Accounting, Cost & Pricing Committee Report (Burton/Manos)
14. Small Business Committee Report (Wall/Jensen/Dubishar)
15. Report on Annual New Mexico Public Procurement Code Institute (Othmer)
16. Research & Development and Intellectual Property Committee (Svetz/Sumption)
17. E-Commerce Committee Report (Samelson/Shaffer)
18. Regulatory Coordinating Committee Report (Rector)
19. Request to support or co-sponsor Uniform Mediation Act (Harty)
20. Status of ABA Annual Meeting Task Force (Doogan)
-  21. ABA (SOC) Disaster Relief Efforts (Thorpe)
22. Revisions to Section's annual meeting schedule—for discussion (Meagher/Wittie)
-  23. Procurement law assistance in developing countries (Gourley)
24. Commercial Products and Services Committee Reports (Harrington/Woods)
25. Privatization and Outsourcing Committee Report (Hoe/W. Roberts)
-  26. Annual and Quarterly Programs Committee Report (Madsen/Purdue)
27. Membership Statistical Report
28. Financial Report (Meagher)
29. Publications Sales Report
30. 2002-2003 Calendar of Meetings

