



# Agenda

## Joint Meeting of the Construction Law Committee & Insurance and Surety Committee

Casa Monica Resort and Spa  
St. Augustine, FL  
February 23, 2018  
12:30 PM - 2:30 PM

**If unable to attend in person:**  
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**Meeting called by:** Scott Pence/Reese Henderson, Jr./Neal Sivyer/Michael Meyer/Fred Dudley  
**Type of meeting:** Joint Meeting of the Construction Law Committee & Insurance and Surety Committee  
In-Person Meeting – Coinciding with St. Augustine Executive Council Meeting

Introduction Scott Pence

**CLE Presentation**

**Altman Contractors Inc. v. Crum & Forster Specialty Ins. Co.:**  
**Balancing the Interests Surrounding Potential Insurance Coverage for**  
**Chapter 558 Notices of Claim**

Reese J. Henderson, Jr., Esq., B.C.S., of  
Gray Robinson in Jacksonville, FL

This presentation examines the Florida Supreme Court’s decision in *Altman Contractors, Inc. v. Crum & Forster Specialty Ins. Co.*, 2017 WL 6379535 (Fla. December 14, 2017), which determined that a Chapter 558 notice of claim of a construction defect constituted a “suit” within the meaning of a general contractor’s commercial general liability insurance policy. The presentation also examines the competing public policy and practical considerations leading up to the court’s decision and addresses the practical implications of the court’s ruling for insurance and construction practitioners.

**Time Permitting:**

558 Task Force Barry Ansbacher / Brian Wolf

Fundamentals of Insurance Speaker Series Scott Pence / Michael Meyer

*Insurance Matters!* Newsletter Scott Pence

Upcoming Certification Review Course and CLI  
March 8-10, 2018, JW Marriott Grand Lakes, Orlando  
Deborah Mastin / Sanjay Kurian

New Business Open Discussion