

March 27 – 28, 2014
The Fairmont Royal York Hotel
Toronto, Ontario

**PROGRAM** 









### Thursday, March 27

#### REGISTRATION

7:30 am - 5:30 pm

#### **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**

8:00 - 8:45 am

#### **OPENING REMARKS**

8:45 - 8:50 am



#### Susan D. Rosen

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#### Joseph Grignano

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#### **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS**

9:00 - 10:30 am

#### **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

10.45 am - 12.00 noon

#### A. VIVA LES DIFFERENCES!

Mixed-Use Projects - Leasing and Living in Harmony? Mixed-use projects combining retail, recreational, office, commercial, residential, health and medical uses, are increasingly popular, and they often include freehold, leasehold and condominium types of ownership. This session will draw on the expertise of panelists from Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia to discuss the methods by which the interests and concerns of the various groups of occupants and owners are harmonized. The allocation of control, costs and responsibilities associated with leasing, and management with a focus on shared facilities such as parking, loading areas, accesses and services will be discussed.

Moderator

#### **Dennis Daoust**

Partner
Daoust Vukovich LLP
Toronto, ON

#### **Panelists**

#### **Scot Diamond**

Partner Miller Thomson Montreal, QC

#### Chris Jackson

General Counsel Onni Group Vancouver, BC

#### **Alison Tortorice**

Senior Director, Legal The Cadillac Fairview Corporation Limited Toronto, ON

#### B. LIKE IT OR NOT, WE'RE HERE TO STAY!

Understanding and Negotiating the Intricacies of Renewal and Extension Clauses

This session will focus on the importance of clear definitions of terms and phrases such as "fair market value" and what is "reasonably comparable." Does the lease contain an arbitration clause? how does it work and when can it be exercised? how are experts used in determining new rents and what are the differences between arbitration in common law vs civil law? Our panel of experts will discuss the virtues of a well drafted clause versus a clause that is unclear and uncertain and answer that age-old question: "what is the difference between an option to renew and an option to extend?"

Moderator

#### **Marie Saint-Amour**

MSA

Montreal, QC

**Panelists** 

#### Lisa Borsook

Partner

WeirFoulds LLP Toronto, ON



#### **Mireille Cloutier**

Director, Legal Services, Eastern Canada Portfolio The Cadillac Fairview Corporation Limited Toronto, ON

#### **Antonella Talarico**

Associate Sherman Brown LLP Toronto, ON

#### **LUNCH SERVED**

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

#### **KEYNOTE PRESENTATION**

1:00 - 1:45 pm

#### Retailers' Podium

Moderator



#### Joseph Grignano

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#### **Highlighted Retailers:**

- Alan Bekerman: President, IQ Foods Co.
- David McLellan: Regional Real Estate Manager, Panda Restaurant Group
- Darven Erickson: COO (Canadian Franchisee) Five Guys **Burgers and Fries**
- Cammie Trainer: Real Estate Manager, Chipotle

#### CONCURRENT EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS

1:45 - 3:00 pm

#### A. MINDBOGGLING MATH

Calculations in Leases Really Work If the thought of having to calculate a CAM cap causes you to break out into a cold sweat, this workshop is for you! This will be unlike any other math class you've ever taken. This workshop will be a practical, understandable, hands-on review of the many mathematical concepts founds in leases, including CAM and realty tax caps and escalations, percentage rent breakpoints, CPI and more. And if that isn't enough to entice you, we'll have prizes!

Understanding How Financial and Mathematical



#### **Mary Ormond**

Vice President, Real Estate, Portfolio Management Cara Operations Ltd. Toronto, ON

Panelist

#### **Natalie Vukovich**

Partner Daoust Vukovich LLP Toronto, ON

#### **B. COMMERCIAL CONDOMINIUM LEASES**

Special Issues and the "Keys" to Getting Them Right! This panel will consider questions such as: How are condominium leases different than non-condominium leases? How does the condominium declaration, by-laws and other documentation affect the use and enjoyment of a condominium unit and the common elements? What special considerations should one give to issues such as parking, garbage removal, loading and unloading, signage, use of patios and terraces, odours and noise, just to name a few. How are common element expenses incorporated into operating costs? What protections are necessary from a Landlord's and Tenant's perspective?

Moderator

#### Michael S. Horowitz

Partner Minden Gross LLP

Toronto, ON

**Panelists** 

#### Phil Drapper

Partner Harris Sheaffer LLP Toronto, ON

#### **Anthony Romanelli**

Partner **Bratty and Partners LLP** Toronto, ON







#### C. CHANGING THE DYNAMIC (THE SEQUEL)

More New and Innovative Concepts in Commercial Leases

Looking to break the cycle of the "same old, same old" Lease form, this panel will create, introduce and discuss new and innovative concepts and lease provisions that may forever change the way we look at the landlord/tenant relationship.

#### Moderator

#### Cory G. Sherman

Partner

Sherman Brown

Toronto, ON

**Panelists** 

#### Janet Derbawka

Partner

McMillan LLP

Toronto, ON

#### **Norman Lieff**

Partner

Norton Rose LLP

Toronto, ON

#### Mario Paura

Partner

Stikeman Elliot LLP

Toronto, ON

#### D. THE NOT SO IRON CHEFS

The Legal Challenge

Unique considerations in dealing with restaurant defaults including franchisee/leasehold mortgages and loans, PPSA security and priority issues, effect of BIA on lease relationships and interests in leasehold improvements and other assets of a tenant, relationship between the franchisor/franchisee/landlord/lenders, non-disturbance agreements and landlord consents and acknowledgements.

#### Moderator

#### Kenneth A. Beallor

Partner

Torkin Manes LLP

Toronto, ON

#### Speaker

#### **Monte Warsh**

Partner

Heenan Blaikie LLP Toronto, ON

#### E. DEAL OR NO DEAL

Understanding What Happens Before it "Goes Legal"
Understanding the business deal between the tenant
and the landlord. What are the real motivations behind a
lease? Our experienced panel will discuss the business
considerations for entering into a deal from the tenant,
broker and landlord perspectives. Is it a "fully baked deal"?

#### Moderator

#### **Genevieve Wong**

Director, REM Legal Oxford Properties Group Toronto, ON

#### Speakers

#### **Christina Kobi**

Partner

Minden Gross LLP

Toronto, ON

#### **Dianne Lemm**

Principal/Partner Mall Services Northwest Atlantic Toronto, ON

#### **Gregory Orysiuk**

Vice President, Leasing 20 VIC Management Inc. Toronto, ON

#### REFRESHMENT BREAK

3:00 - 3:15 pm





#### **PLENARY SESSIONS**

3:15 - 4:30 pm

#### **Getting to the Commencement Date**

A Review of the Various Types of Issues that Can Arise During the Journey to the Commencement Date

Moderator

#### **Julie Robbins**

Partner Fraser Milner Casgrain LLP Toronto, ON

#### 1. KEY DATES AND CONDITIONS IN NEW DEVELOPMENTS

Review of the key preconditions for a lease in a new development (i.e. acquisition of property, zoning, site plan agreement, ingress and egress, pylon sign approvals, co-tenancies, timing of construction, building permits or other licenses and approvals necessary to operate, environmental review); What is the lawyer's role in raising these issues and/or chronicling these concerns? Do inhouse lawyers have any specific concerns with conditions and timing issues?

Speaker

#### Marta Lewycky

Vice President, Legal Affairs First Capital Realty Toronto, ON

#### 2. COVENANT DUE DILIGENCE

Who is your Landlord or Tenant? What type of searches should be done on the land? Should corporate searches or credit checks be done? Should any off-title searches be done? Concerns with a manager or agent signing a lease on behalf of a party?

Speaker

#### **Stephen Posen**

Partner

Minden Gross LLP

#### 3. TITLE INSURANCE FOR LEASEHOLD INTERESTS

Review of the types of risks title insurance covers in the leasing context; Review of the most common types of transactions that get title insured; Review of the key coverages contained in leasehold title insurance policies. Speaker

#### **Robert Clarke**

Director, National Lawyer Channel First Canadian Title Toronto, ON

## 4. DRAFTING AND NEGOTIATING TENANT ALLOWANCES AND INDUCEMENTS

Discussion of the various condition precedents that need to be satisfied prior to advancing payment; Review of different payment schedules; Brief review of construction liens; Should the allowance/inducement be secured; What are the Tenant's remedies if a landlord fails to pay? Are there situations when the tenant allowance/inducement should be repaid (or an unamortized portion of it)?

Speaker

#### **Dennis Tobin**

Partner Blaney McMurtry LLP Toronto, ON

# 5. "I'M LATE! I'M LATE! FOR A VERY IMPORTANT DATE!" DELAY AND OTHER DOWN-THE-RABBIT-HOLE ADVENTURES OF ALICE SURROUNDING DELAYED SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION/OPENING OF THE LEASED PREMISES

Tenant remedies following late delivery and incomplete work by the landlord, including penalties and liquidated damage clauses. Dealing with delay caused by tenant such as changes to plans, zoning, approvals, licences and permits —what remedies should a landlord have? What is force majeure and when should it apply? When does frustration of contract apply? Should there be a blackout period for construction or delivery of the leased premises?

Speaker

#### **Laurie Sanderson**

Partner Gowling Lafleur Henderson LLP Ottawa, ON





#### 6. DEALING WITH THE BANK

Review of non-disturbance agreements, landlord waiver letters, estoppel/status certificates and other documentation or acknowledgements required from lenders for both the landlord and tenant (including when a tenant obtains a leasehold mortgage). Considering the risks and potential consequences to lenders, landlords and tenants if such agreements and documentation are omitted or if they are drafted without due attention to the interests and business objectives of the parties.

Speaker

#### **Stuart LeMesurier**

Partner McLean and Kerr LLP Toronto, ON

#### 7. GETTING FROM THE OFFER TO THE LEASE

Review of the Repudiation Cases; Consider what types of facts have resulted in successful repudiation claims. Which clauses should be dealt with in an offer (administration fees, relocation clauses, demolition clauses etc.). Is there a deal? What happens when one party thinks there is a deal but the other one does not agree?

Speaker

#### **Angela Mockford**

Lawyer Weir Foulds LLP Toronto, ON

#### **MEMBER-HOSTED RECEPTION**

4:30-5:30 pm

#### **OPTIONAL DINNER EVENT!**

7:00 - 10:00 pm

(Separate Registration Required)

Come join the committee and your colleagues for a wonderful dinner event. The separate registration fee will include a three-course dinner and a beverage. This evening will be a great opportunity to network with friends and colleagues while enjoying all the best that Aria has to offer!

#### **Aria Restaurante**

25 York Street, Toronto, ON

(\$100.00 per person, tax & gratuity included)

### Friday, March 28

#### REGISTRATION

8:00 am - 1:45 pm

#### CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

8:00 - 8:30 am

#### **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS**

8:30 - 10:00 am

#### **CONCURRENT SESSIONS**

10:00 - 11:30 am

#### A. ETHICS PROFESSIONALISM

The Good, the Bad and the Downright Unethical

Ethics is a very interesting and complex area. Come hear from our panel about things to be afraid of, like whistle blowing (you could get fired and/or sued), harassment (you could get fired and/or sued), summary advice to friends and co-workers (you could create a conflict and get fired and/or sued) and things to remember, like being civil (what goes around comes around), acting within your area of expertise (referrals are not a bad thing) and making sure that you are on time (whether in-house or out, you must meet deadlines and limitation periods). A combination of in-house and external counsel will give practical advice using real-world examples about how to deal with the often tricky world of ethics in the legal context.

Moderator

#### David R. Thompson

Partner

WeirFoulds LLP

Toronto, ON

**Panelists** 

#### Yan Besner

Partner

**Dentons LLP** 

Toronto, ON

#### **Oliver Hobday**

Vice President, Legal RioCan REIT Toronto, ON





#### Jeff Lem

Partner Miller Thomson LLP Toronto, ON

#### **Sunita Mahant**

Senior Legal Counsel Ivanhoé Cambridge Toronto, ON

#### **B. LIFE CYCLE OF A LEASE**

This session will focus on the three stages of a standard lease agreement as follows:

- **1. Conception:** different methods of conception (Offers and LOIs)
- **2. Separation Issues:** assignments and changes in control, bumps and curves in the well travelled road, and standard clauses and underlying issues
- **3. Sunset Issues:** terminating and delivery without regret

Moderator

#### **Michael Kennedy**

Partner Wickwire Holm Halifax, NS

#### **Panelists**

#### **Beth Earon**

Associate

Blake, Cassels & Graydon LLP Toronto, ON

#### **Cynthia Elderkin**

Partner Gowling Lafleur Henderson LLP Ottawa, ON

#### **Robert Schwartz**

Partner Gardiner Roberts LLP Toronto, ON

#### **PLENARY SESSION**

11:45 am - 1:00 pm

#### **Legal Update**

Speakers

Jeanne Banka

Partner

Daoust Vukovich LLP Toronto, ON

#### **Steven Chaimberg**

Partner

Lapointe Rosenstein Marchand Melançon LLP Montreal, QC

#### Richard B. Mask

Partner

Parlee McLaws LLP Calgary, AB

#### CLOSING REMARKS

1:00 - 1:15 pm



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#### **BUFFET LUNCH SERVED**

1:15 - 2:00 pm

#### **CONFERENCE ADJOURNS**

2:00 pm

Program information current as of December 17, 2013.



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#### **DEADLINES**

To qualify for the advance registration rates, your registration must be received by March 21, 2014.

#### CANCELLATIONS

All cancellations will be subject to a \$25 cancellation fee. No refunds will be given for cancellations received after March 21, 2014. All requests for refunds must be received by ICSC in writing.

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Signature

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#### HOTEL RESERVATIONS

A block of rooms has been reserved at:

#### The Fairmont Royal York Hotel

100 Front Street West Toronto, ON M5J 1E3

Rate: \$205 Single/Double Occupancy, Fairmont Rooms Cut-off Date: 11:59 pm ET, February 27, 2014

To make your hotel reservation, we invite you to visit www.icsc.org/2014CLC and click on Book Hotel under Additional Links. There you can access the latest hotel availability information and the electronic form to reserve your room(s). We would be happy to answer any of your questions during our office hours from Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:30 pm ET, at +1 888 ICSC TVL (427 2885) ext. 2, or internationally at +1 585 442 8900 ext. 4.

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#### WHERE

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