Top Legal Traps Your Non-Profit Organization Needs to Avoid

Tuesday, September 29, 2015
9:00 am – 12:30 pm
FHI 360 Conference Center
1825 Connecticut Ave. NW, 8th Floor
Washington, DC 20009

9:00am – 9:05am
Welcoming Remarks
Joe Bhatia, President and CEO, American National Standards Institute (ANSI)

9:05am – 10:35am
Discussion Managing Tax Issues
Managing Tax Issues, including Form 990s and UBIT
Managing Proper Governance Practices, including Conflicts of Interest
3 panelists, 15 minutes each followed by a 45-minute interactive Q&A session

Panelists:
Anne Gerson, Associate, Carter Ledyard & Milburn LLP
Pamela Mann, Partner, Carter Ledyard & Milburn LLP
Marcus Owens, Partner, Loeb & Loeb LLP
Moderators:
Eileen Lach, General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
Clark Silcox, General Counsel, National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA)

10:35am – 10:55am
Break

10:55am – 12:25pm
Discussion Employment Compensation Issues
Managing, Disciplining, and Terminating Volunteers
3 panelists, 15 minutes each followed by a 45-minute interactive Q&A session

Panelists:
Eileen Morgan Johnson, Partner, Whiteford Taylor Preston LLP
Suzanne Ross McDowell, Partner, Steptoe & Johnson LLP
Ronald Taylor, Partner, Venable LLP
Panel Two Joint Presentation
Moderators:
Christian Dubay, Vice President and Chief Engineer, National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)
Claire Ramspeck, Director of Technology, American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE)

12:25pm – 12:30pm
Conference Wrap-up / Closing Remarks
Joe Bhatia, ANSI