Cutting Edge Opinion Issues and Lessons Learned from Recent Reports

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Recent State Reports

• Virginia Report on Third-Party Legal Opinions in Business Transactions, Legal Opinions Committee of the Business Law Section of The Virginia Bar Association (January 2018)


• First Supplement to Report on Third-Party Legal Opinion Customary Practice in Florida, Legal Opinion Standards Committee of the Florida Bar Business Law Section and the Legal Opinions Committee of the Real Property, Probate and Trust Law Section of the Florida Bar (Pending)
Recent and Pending TriBar Reports Relating to LPs and LLCs

• What have we learned since the initial LP and LLC reports, especially for non-Delaware lawyers?
Corporate Opinion Developments

• How has recent practice been refined with respect to opinions on corporations?
Remedies Opinion Developments

- Is it time to revisit the practice of one party rendering a full enforceability opinion to the other party?