

# Top 5 Discovery Motions: Strategy and Preparation

## \\ Tuesday, August 27, 2013

**Registration** begins at 11:30am **Program** Noon to 1:00pm **SFTLA Conference Room** 311 California St., Suite 620

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### \\ PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

## This program will include:

- Class action related discovery
- Motion for a Protective Order/Motion to Quash
- Negotiating Protective Orders
- Motion to Compel
- *Motion for Sanctions*

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