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Separate Sovereigns Among Us Indian Law Basics and Update

With Speaker:

Anthony Cohen

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Anthony Cohen is a senior member of the firm's litigation department whose broad experience in the resolution of complex, high-profile, high-stakes disputes involving both private parties and governmental agencies also renders him highly qualified to head the firm's Indian law section. Tony's experience includes state and federal litigation and negotiated resolution of business, land use, construction, real property, and environmental disputes, and advocacy for a wide range of clients in federal, state, and local governmental negotiations. In addition to his non-tribal work, Tony currently represents two northern California tribes and a tribal consortium health clinic. A substantial part of his work for them is devoted to issues of tribal sovereignty, internal self-governance and regulation, and entry into intergovernmental agreements, including tribal-state compacts, pertaining to tribal gaming.

This program will introduce the basic principles of federal law that underlie and govern the existence of Indian tribes as separate sovereigns within the United States and California. It will explore the boundaries of that sovereignty in the context of issues currently facing tribes, their neighbors, the state of California, and the local governments of Sonoma County. No previous knowledge is required.

Date: Friday, February 12, 2010
Time: 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm (check-in 11:45 am)
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