



Section on Corporate Law Departments

The Mission of the [ISBA Corporate Law Departments Section](#):

To inform attorneys of current developments in corporate law and corporate law department practice, procedure, function, organization and operation in the State of Illinois, and to provide an opportunity to exchange views on those areas of particular interest to corporate practitioners.

General:

- ◆ Section fees are \$25 per year.
- ◆ To join, go to www.isba.org/sections

Continuing Legal Education

The Section sponsored or co-sponsored two programs during the year:

- ◆ **The First Hundred Days and Beyond: Labor & Employment Developments under President Trump** (May 3, 2017)
- ◆ **The Inappropriate Use of Non-Competition Agreements** (June 27, 2017)

Section members also receive discounts on section-sponsored CLE programs.

Legislation

The Section Council reviews proposed legislation that may affect their members' practice area. Highlights of the most recent legislative session include:

1. Number of bills reviewed: 28
2. Significant legislation:
 - a. House Bill 665 - Negligent Hiring-Limitations
 - b. House Bill 3670 - Corporations-Franchise Taxes

Other

- ◆ [The ISBA Corporate Law Discussion List](#) allows section members to pose questions and share information with fellow section members from around the state.

Newsletters

Delivered electronically unless otherwise requested.

During 2016-17 the Section published four newsletters.

Articles include:

- ◆ DOL fiduciary rule takes effect June 9 (June 2017)
- ◆ Employers grappling with new overtime final rule (Sept. 2016)
- ◆ How much is a whistleblower waiver really worth? (Sept. 2016)
- ◆ Immigration enforcement in the workplace likely to increase (June 2017)
- ◆ ISBA Corporate Law Section revision to types of retirement plans (Dec. 2016)
- ◆ Key updates to retirement plan limitations for 2017 (Dec. 2016)
- ◆ President Trump issues updated immigration order (Mar. 2017)
- ◆ Reminder: U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services' new digital form I-9 has taken effect (Mar. 2017)
- ◆ USCIS to suspend premium processing service beginning April 3 (Mar. 2017)