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April 13, 2012
9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Russell Senate Office Building, Room 385 (SR-385)
Capitol Hill, Washington, DC

Agenda

9:00-9:15 Welcome

- John Cruden, President, Environmental Law Institute
- Michael P. Vandenbergh, Tarkington Professor of Law, Vanderbilt University Law School
- Linda K. Breggin, Senior Attorney, Environmental Law Institute
- Katharine Talbot, Editor-in-Chief, Environmental Law and Policy Annual Review

9:15-10:30 Uncertainty

Introduction:
- John Arceci, Articles Editor, Environmental Law and Policy Annual Review

Author:
- Daniel A. Farber, Sho Sato Professor of Law and Chair of the Energy and Resources Group, University of California, Berkeley

Commenters:
- Alexander Golub, Project Director, Metroeconomica
- Michael Goo, Associate Administrator for the Office of Policy, Environmental Protection Agency
- Gordon Woo, Catastrophe Risk Consultant, Risk Management Solutions

10:30-10:45 Coffee Break
10:45-11:50 Eyes on a Climate Prize: Rewarding Energy Innovation to Achieve Climate Stabilization

Introduction:
• David Rutenberg, Articles Editor, Environmental Law and Policy Annual Review

Author:
• Jonathan H. Adler, Johan Verheij Memorial Professor of Law, Case Western Reserve University School of Law

Commenters:
• Tim Brennan, Senior Fellow, Resources for the Future
• Larry Cooper, Program Executive, NASA Centennial Challenges Program

11:50 Boxed Lunches Provided

12:00-1:15 What Climate Change Can Do About Tort Law

Introduction:
• Blake Barnes, Articles Editor, Environmental Law and Policy Annual Review

Author:
• Douglas A. Kysar, Joseph M. Field ’55 Professor of Law, Yale Law School

Commenters:
• James Anderson, Social and Behavioral Scientist, RAND Corporation
• David Buente, Partner, Sidley Austin LLP
• David Doniger, Policy Director, Climate and Clean Air Program, Natural Resources Defense Council
• Ellen Peter, Chief Counsel, California Air Resources Board

1:15-1:30 Closing Remarks

• Steven Buechner, Managing Editor, Environmental Law and Policy Annual Review