30th Annual Region 25 NLRB/IU School of Law - Indianapolis Labor-Management Relations Seminar

The legislation proposed in the Employee Free Choice Act (EFCA) is poised to change the way unions, employers and the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) handle organizing, elections and first contracts. With the many potential legal questions involved, this year's seminar promises to provide insights from many different viewpoints.

This year's seminar is scheduled for May 15th, and will take place at IU Law School's Inlow Hall in downtown Indianapolis, located at 530 W. New York St. There will be a plenary session devoted to the overall aspects of the EFCA featuring Randy Johnson, Vice President, U. S. Chamber of Commerce and Stewart Acuff, Director of Organizing, AFL-CIO. Afterward, participants will have the opportunity to attend a management side or union side break out session to learn more about the legislation's specific impact on each side.

Additionally, a variety of Quick Pick classes will be offered, including the ever-popular How to Take a Case Before the NLRB, Emerging Evidentiary and Procedural Issues in Arbitration; Developments in the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) & Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA);Collective Bargaining (how to do it and the future of collective bargaining); Pensions and Benefits, including a review of the Pension Protection Act and new forms of pensions; Withdrawal of Recognition; Ethics and more. Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credit will be available.

The one-day seminar is designed to educate both labor and management representatives about the legal aspects of common work-related issues. Proceeds from the seminar are awarded as scholarships to law students with an interest in labor law. In 2008, two deserving students received scholarships.

Check the law school web site for more information: <u>www.indylaw.indiana.</u> <u>edu</u> or call 317-278-4789.