# Ad Hoc Diversity Committee REPORT PREPARED FOR THE MARCH 7, 2013 COUNCIL MEETING

## 1. Next Scheduled Meeting of the Committee

Next scheduled meeting of the Committee: TBD

### 2. Council Approval

There is nothing at this time that requires council approval.

#### 3. Membership

The Committee recently hosted a panel discussion; the event provided the opportunity to discuss BLS membership as well as the upcoming BLS Institute. Two of the event attendees were not Section members.

## 4. Accomplishments Toward Committee Objectives

The Committee hosted an event with the aim of drawing members of the State Bar who are not yet members of the Section.

### 5. Meetings and Programs

On Tuesday, February 12, 2013, the Committee presented a panel discussion titled: "How to Obtain and Keep Women or Minority Owned Business Certification." The event featured two panelists practicing in this area: Mrs. Jennifer Flack and Mr. Leamon Sowell. Their presentation was informative and lively; generating excellent discussion.

There were 21 participants registered for the event.

#### 6. Publications

None.

# 7. Methods of Monitoring Legislative/Judicial/Administrative Developments and Recommended Action

None.

#### 8. Miscellaneous