

Employee Plans Update*
June 16, 2017 Gulf Coast Area TE/GE Council*

Location: Baker Botts, LLP, 2001 Ross Ave. Suite 1100, Dallas, TX 75201

7:30-8:00 CDT	Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:00-8:10 CDT	Initial Comments/Announcements
8:10-9:10 CDT	<p>View from the Office of Chief Counsel, IRS</p> <p>(Remote Presentation by Teleconference or Videoconference)</p> <p><i>Stephen Tackney, Deputy Associate Chief Counsel (Employee Benefits), Tax Exempt and Government Entities at IRS - Office of Chief Counsel (invited)</i></p>
9:10-9:25 CDT	Break
9:25-10:05 CDT	<p>View from the Dallas Regional Office, DOL</p> <p><i>Bryce Carrol, Associate Regional Director at U.S. Department of Labor (invited)</i></p>
10:10-10:50 CDT	<p>Welfare Plan Litigation Update</p> <p><i>Tiffany Walker and Kirsten Garcia, Haynes & Boone, LLP</i></p>
11:00-12:00 CDT	<p>Discussion with the Manager of Employee Plans, Voluntary Compliance, IRS</p> <p><i>Buck Kerr, Manager of Employee Plans, Voluntary Compliance (invited)</i></p>
12:00-1:00 CDT	Lunch
1:05-1:35 CDT	<p>Overview: Multiemployer Plan Benefit Reduction Applications</p> <p><i>Eric Winwood, Baker Botts, LLP</i></p>
1:40-2:10 CDT	<p>ESOP Litigation Update</p> <p><i>Allison Wilkerson, McDermott, Will and Emory LLP</i></p>
2:15-3:00 CDT	<p>Navigating Qualified Plans in a Post Determination Letter World</p> <p><i>Roberta Watson, The Wagner Law Group, PC</i></p> <p><i>Mark Bodron, Baker Botts, LLP</i></p>

*The names of the speakers and the topics being addressed are subject to change.