
Thursday, October 13, 1988

8:00 a.m. Registration

8:30 a.m. Business meeting

9:45 a.m. Break

10:00 a.m. ANNUAL REVIEW OF AGRICULTURAL
LAW: 1988

Moderator: Mark L. Baldwin
Farmland Industries, Inc.
Kansas City, Mo.

Uniform Commercial Code: Current
Developments Affecting Agriculture
Professor Keith G. Meyer
University of Kansas School of Law
Lawrence, Ks.

Agricultural Cooperatives: Recent
Litigation
James R. Baarda
United States Department of Agriculture
Burke, Va.

Groundwater Quality Regulation:
Implications for Agriculture
Professor Terence J. Centner
University of Georgia
Athens, Ga.

Farmland Preservation Law: Current
Directions
Professor Sarah Redfield
Franklin Pierce Law Center
Concord, NH

Regulating Agricultural Research:
The Emerging Legal Context
Professor James B. Wadley
Washburn University School of Law
Topeka, Ks.

National Center for Agricultural Law
Research and Information:
1988 and Beyond
Professor Allen C. Hoberg
University of Arkansas School of Law
Fayetteville, Ar.

12:00 p.m. LUNCHEON (included in tuition)

AGRICULTURAL TRADE AND
THE AMERICAN FARMER

Jim Nichols
Commissioner of Agriculture
State of Minnesota

1:30 p.m. INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL
TRADE: ITS IMPACT ON AMERICAN
AGRICULTURE

Moderator: Professor Larry A. Bakken
Hamline University Law School
St. Paul, Mn.

Overview and Background

Leo V. Mayer
United States Department of Agriculture
Washington, D. C.

The United States View

Richard E. Goldberg
United States Department of Agriculture
Washington, D. C.

2:45 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. The Canadian View

Sherwin Lyman
General Counsel, Agriculture
Ottawa, Ontario

The European Community View

Derwent Renshaw
Delegation of European Community
Washington, D. C.

Legal Issues in Agricultural Trade
Agreements

Daniel E. Brinza
United States Department of Agriculture
Washington, D. C.

5:00 p.m. Adjournment

5:30-7:00 p.m.

RECEPTION

Hosted by Gage & Tucker, Kansas City, Mo.

Friday, October 14, 1988

7:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. *Concurrent Sessions A, B & C*

A. FARM PROGRAM PARTICIPATION:
CURRENT ISSUES

Moderator: Professor Neil A. Hamilton
Drake University Law School
Des Moines, Ia.

Payment Limitations - ASCS Appeals

Larry A. Todd
Kelley, Scritsmier, Moore & Bryne, P.C.
North Platte, Ne.

Payment Limitations and Sodbuster
Regulations

Philip Ridenour
Ridenour & Knobbe
Cimarron, Ks.

Conservation Reserve Program and
ASCS Appeals

Dean C. Mohr
Shearer, Hintze & Templer
West Des Moines, Ia.

Payment Limitations & ASCS Appeals
William C. Bridgforth
Ramsey, Cox, Lile, Bridgforth, Gilbert, Harrelson
& Starling
Pine Bluff, Ar.

Program Administration and Appeals
Thomas V. Conway
United States Department of Agriculture
Washington, D. C.

B. AGRICULTURE AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Moderator: Professor Gerald Torres
University of Minnesota Law School
Minneapolis, Mn.

Introduction: Understanding the Practical and Theoretical Environmental Implications of Agricultural Law and Policy

Professor Gerald Torres

Fine Tuning the Conservation Programs: Making them Better Through Enforcement and Amendment
Professor Linda A. Malone
College of William and Mary
Marshall-Wythe School of Law
Williamsburg, Va.

Using the Tax Code to Encourage Agricultural Resource Conservation

F. Kaid Benfield

Justin Ward

Natural Resources Defense Council, Inc.
Washington, D. C.

Groundwater Protection: The Impact of Agricultural Price Policy

Professor Gerald Torres

University of Kansas School of Law
Lawrence, Ks.

Understanding the Environmental Consequences of Federal Marketing Orders and Commodity Payments

Professor John H. Davidson, Jr.

University of South Dakota School of Law
Vermillion, SD

10:15 a.m. Break

C. BUSINESS AND ESTATE PLANNING UNDER THE NEW PASSIVE ACTIVITY RULES

Moderator: Karin Bruce Littlejohn

Littlejohn & Dummit

Winston-Salem, NC

Where Have All the Tax Shelters Gone?

Clark S. Willingham

Brice & Mankoff

Dallas, Tx.

Impact of Passive Loss Rules on Transfer Tax Planning

Richard L. Dees

McDermott, Will & Emery

Chicago

Section 2023A: Special Use Valuation

Robert Bellatti

Bellatti & Barton

Springfield, Il.

12:00 p.m. LUNCHEON (included in tuition)

PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Philip E. Harris

President

American Agricultural Law Association

1:30 p.m. **AGRICULTURAL FINANCING AND CREDIT**

Moderator: David A. Lander

Thompson & Mitchell

St. Louis, Mo.

The Future of Agricultural Credit

Professor Neil E. Harl

Iowa State University

Ames, Ia

Les Horsager

Prudential Insurance Company of America

Newark, NJ

Borrower's Rights Under the Agricultural Credit Act of 1987

Ted E. Deaner

O'Brien, Ehrick, Wolf, Deaner & Downing

Rochester, Mn.

2:45 p.m. Break

James Massey

Farmers' Legal Action Group

St. Paul, Mn.

Dale Reesman

Williams, Reesman & Tate

Booneville, Mo.

Robert Purcell

United States Department of Agriculture

Kansas City, Mo.

4:30 p.m. Adjournment