

Tuesday, September 27, 2005

"Promoting Copyright Infringement - The 'Grokster' decision and the future of digital distribution"

"The United States Supreme Court recently issued a critical decision involving the clash between copyright infringement laws and emerging technologies in MGM v Grokster. This decision will affect every business trial lawyer who either represents technology clients, or who litigates patent infringement cases. Hear a lively discussion about the Grokster decision and its impact on digital distribution and other emerging technologies from our distinguished panel, including those directly involved in the Grokster case and those most deeply affected by the decision."

Panelists:

Kathleen Sullivan

Professor of Constitutional Law; Former Dean of Stanford Law School; Of Counsel, Quinn Emanuel Urquhart Oliver & Hedges, LLP

Fred von Lohmann

Electronic Frontier Foundation, Counsel for Defendant Streamcast (now Morpheus)

Hank Barry,

Hummer Winblad Venture Partners; Former CEO of Napster

Bill Murray

President, William Murray & Associates; Former Executive VP and Chief Operating Officer for the Motion Picture Association

Russell Frackman

Mitchell, Silberberg and Knupp, LLP, Counsel for Plaintiff The Recording Industry Association of America (RIAA)

Michael Weiss

CEO of Defendant StreamCast

Moderator: **Denise Howell**, Reed Smith LLP

LOCATION: The Biltmore Hotel, 506. S. Grand Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90017

TIME: 6 p.m. Wine Tasting 7 p.m. Dinner 7:30 p.m. Program

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