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On behalf of the Cuban American Bar Association (CABA), it is my distinct honor and pleasure to welcome you to our Annual Judicial Luncheon.

This luncheon is one of CABA's most important events and reflects our longstanding commitment to the administration of justice, civic engagement, and the rule of law. It provides a unique forum for members of the bench, the bar, judicial candidates, and the broader legal community to come together in a spirit of mutual respect, professionalism, and thoughtful dialogue.

As in election years past, judicial candidates will provide a brief opening statement and have graciously agreed to participate in a short question-and-answer session. In addition to the candidate program, closing remarks will be given by Deputy Chief Judge Gina Beovides. We are grateful to each of them for sharing their time and perspectives with us. Their willingness to engage directly with the legal community underscores the importance of transparency, independence, and public service within our judiciary. Events such as this one promote informed participation in our democracy and reinforce public confidence in the judicial process.

CABA remains dedicated to fostering professional excellence, advancing justice, and strengthening the ties between the judiciary and the communities we serve. We are proud to convene this gathering and sincerely thank our sponsors, volunteers, and attendees for their continued support and engagement.

We hope you find today's program informative, meaningful, and reflective of CABA's mission and values. And hopefully you enjoy it and the wind-down reception immediately following the program. Thank you for joining us, and we look forward to an engaging and memorable event.

Warm regards,



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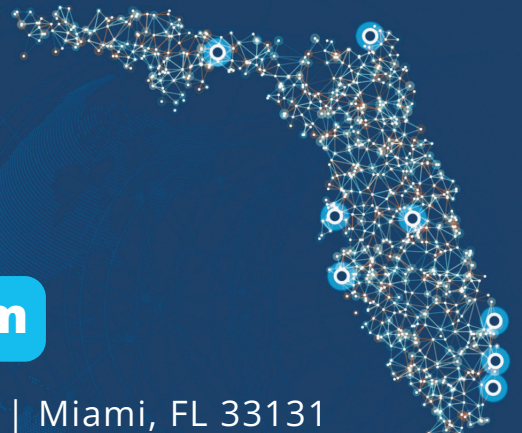
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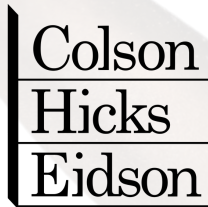
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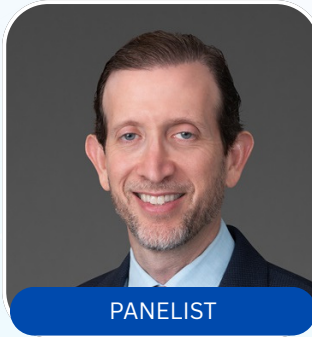
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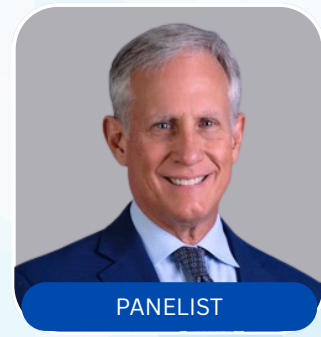
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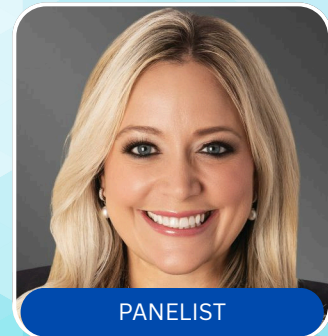
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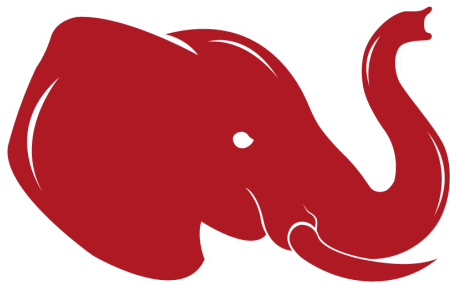
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