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Peckar & Abramson partner Adrian L. Bastianelli, III Serves on Expert Panel at the 2017 AAA Construction Conference

New York, NY- June 23, 2017 — Peckar & Abramson, P.C. (P&A) Washington, DC-based Partner Adrian L. Bastianelli, III was among the presenters at the 2017 American Arbitration Association® (AAA) Construction Conference held in New York City on June 22. As a member of the conference's opening panel of leading industry experts, Mr. Bastianelli offered strategic insights on how to approach arbitration arising from complex construction projects.

The session, entitled "How to Effectively Deal with the 300 Change Order Dispute – Who Controls the Process?", addressed a range of methods that allow arbiters to successfully navigate multifaceted construction arbitrations. Topics included how to maintain control of the arbitration process, preparing for a prehearing conference, managing joinders, the importance of the statement of claims and defenses, streamlining the hearing, and much more.

Hosted at the New York Law School in Manhattan, this year's conference focused on managing risk and controlling the arbitration process for large-scale construction projects. Attendees heard from multiple speakers and panelists on a range of relevant topics, including global construction disputes, changes to the 2017 AIA documents, and minimizing the risk of ethical dilemmas in arbitration.

About Adrian L. Bastianelli, III

Mr. Bastianelli a partner at Peckar & Abramson's Washington, D.C. office, focuses his practice on construction claims and litigation, with an emphasis on government construction contracts. He represents all sectors of the construction industry, including general contractors, subcontractors, owners, design professionals, and sureties. Mr. Bastianelli also has an active alternative dispute resolution (ADR) practice, and has served as an arbitrator, a mediator, and a DRB member on hundreds of construction disputes.

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