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MEAL FUNCTIONS

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AUDIOCASSETTES

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Sleeping rooms are available just two blocks from The Four Seasons Hotel at THE RADISSON HOTEL AND SUITES. A special block of rooms has been reserved at the rate of $119.00 for single or double occupancy. The hotel will release all unused rooms on the CUTOFF DATE OF FEBRUARY 15, 2000. You must make your reservation before this date in order to get the special rate. Self-parking for guests is $6.00 in the attached garage. Parking is based on availability.

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FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 17, 2000
Presiding Officer: Mike Tolleson, Austin
3:15 p.m. LITERARY BOOK DEALS——(0.50 hour)
3:30 p.m. BREAK
3:45 p.m. SAMPLING FROM A TO Z——(1.50 hours)
This panel will give an overview of all elements involved in "sampling" in the recording industry. Specifically, the panel will discuss the legal concepts which give rise to the need to clear samples; the basic definition of "sampling" in both musical compositions and sound recordings; the procedure involved in clearing samples; and the basic provisions contained in sample agreements.

SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 18, 2000
Presiding Officer: Steven Winogradsky, North Hollywood, California
9:00 a.m. ETHICS: AVOIDING AND DEFENDING MALPRACTICE CLAIMS AGAINST ENTERTAINMENT LAWYERS——(0.75 hour ethics/PR credit)
A discussion of the substantive provisions in actor’s agreements for motion pictures and television, with particular emphasis on subsequent Regulations issued by the Comptroller’s Office, its impact/business manager, talent agent) and discuss related conflicts and ethical issues.

SUNDAY MORNING, MARCH 19, 2000
Presiding Officer: Don Stoff, New York, New York
10:30 a.m. BREAK
10:45 a.m. REPRESENTING MINORS IN THE ENTERTAINMENT WORLD——(0.25 hour)
An exploration of the various contractual, statutory (including probate, guardianship and tax) and practical considerations and issues involved in representing minors vi-a-vis the entertainment industry in Texas and other selected states.

PUBLIC SESSIONS:

3:15 p.m. LITERARY BOOK DEALS——(0.50 hour)

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