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## CANADA REGIONAL MEETING – Toronto, Ontario Tuesday, June 4, 2024

### PROGRAM AGENDA

<b><u>TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 2024</u></b>		
Join us Thursday for an afternoon of programming, followed by a cocktail reception and an optional dinner. <i>All dinner costs will be the attendee's responsibility.</i>		
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	<b>Programming Series</b>  Location: Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP Bay Adelaide Centre 333 Bay Street, Suite 2400 Toronto, Ontario M5H 2T6	
2:00 p.m.	<b>Welcome and Opening</b>	Michele Smith, <i>IADC President, MehaffyWeber, Houston, TX USA</i>
	<b>Opioid Litigation – The Mother of All Class Actions: An Update</b>	Peter Pliszka, <i>Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP, Toronto, ON Canada</i>
	<b>Class Actions – Cross-Canada Check-Up</b>	Alexandra Mitretodis, <i>Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP, Vancouver, BC Canada</i> Cheryl Woodin, <i>Bennett Jones LLP, Toronto, ON Canada</i>
	<b>Private Justice – Commercial Arbitration in the Post-COVID Era of Judicial Backlog</b>	Junior Sirivar, <i>McCarthy Tetrault LLP, Toronto, ON Canada</i>
	<b>"I'll Be Back": AI Litigation and Regulation Update</b>	Grant Worden, <i>Torys LLP, Toronto, ON Canada</i>
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	<b>Cocktail Reception</b>	
6:00 p.m.	<b>Optional Dinner after the programming.</b>  <i>Cost of dinner will be the attendee's responsibility.</i>  Location: <i>TBD</i>	