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Chris Hamilton to Co-Host Firm-Sponsored Maritime Focused ABA TIPS CLE

Spencer Fane is pleased to support the ABA's Tort Trial and Insurance Practice (TIPS) Admiralty and Maritime Committee for its inaugural Member Benefit Regional Meeting & CLE, taking place January 30 in Tampa, Florida. In addition to co-hosting the event, attorney Chris Hamilton – the Committee's Chair-Elect for 2026-2027 – will moderate one of the first panels: "Legal and Business Interests of Port Tampa Bay".

Coinciding with Tampa's iconic Gasparilla Pirate Fest on January 31, the program will feature a full afternoon of dynamic programming from leading voices in maritime law and industry, provide exceptional networking opportunities, and top off the weekend with festive activities, including the firm-sponsored Gasparilla Invasion Brunch at the Westin Tampa Waterside.

Chris recently joined Spencer Fane's Litigation and Dispute Resolution team, bringing a unique perspective and proven leadership to his practice by combining more than a decade of high-level litigation experience along with recently serving as deputy general counsel and operations executive for a national private holding company. An accomplished litigator at his core, Chris represents clients in complex business, transportation, maritime, environmental, and real property matters before state and federal trial and appellate courts, as well as the Florida Division of Administrative Hearings.

Don't miss this exciting opportunity to learn, connect, and celebrate with industry leaders – register here.