

Employment Law Issues in the Credit Crunch— A US:UK Perspective

Arnold & Porter LLP, BABCNE, and UTKI are pleased to invite you to a complimentary seminar on Employment Law Issues during these difficult times. The aim is to alert you to key issues and recent developments in these areas and provide plenty of practical tips for the busy HR professional, in-house lawyer, or senior executive. If you are not in the HR field yourself, but have colleagues in your organization who may be interested, please share this invitation with them.

Date: November 17, 2008
Time: 8:00 – 11:30 a.m.
Where: Newton Marriott Hotel
2345 Commonwealth Avenue
Newton, MA 02466

Speakers:

Henry Clinton-Davis, Partner, Head of UK Employment Team, Arnold & Porter (UK) LLP
Matthew Keiser, Counsel, Head of US Employment Team, Arnold & Porter LLP

Program:

- 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.** Registration and Breakfast
- 8:30 – 8:40 a.m.** Introduction by Arnold & Porter, BABCNE, and UTKI
- 8:40 – 9:20 a.m.** “UK/EU Employment Issues in the Credit Crunch”
- Downsizing
 - Consultation issues
 - Avoiding claims
 - Traps when outsourcing
 - Employment issues when vendors change
 - Varying employment contracts
- 9:20 – 9:50 a.m.** “US Employment Issues in the Credit Crunch”
- Conducting reductions in force
 - Voluntary retirement programs
 - Complying with the WARN Act
 - Modifying existing employment arrangements
- 9:50 – 10:05 a.m.** Questions
- 10:05 – 10:30 a.m.** Networking Time

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