



## **The National Law Journal Quotes Partner Richard P. Beem on Chicago Attorneys' Efforts to Seek a More Predictable Patent System**

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In this Law.com article, staff reporter Lynne Marek details Chicago attorneys' efforts to seek a more predictable patent system by drafting a set of local patent rules - aimed at increasing predictability - that could be in use as soon as 2009 in U.S. District Court for Northern Illinois. Partner and patent litigator Richard Beem said that such rules might slow the process and add costs.

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