



## Recent Developments – Part II: *A Deeper Dive into this Year's Developing Trends*

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## Standard of Review for a “Good Faith Purchaser”



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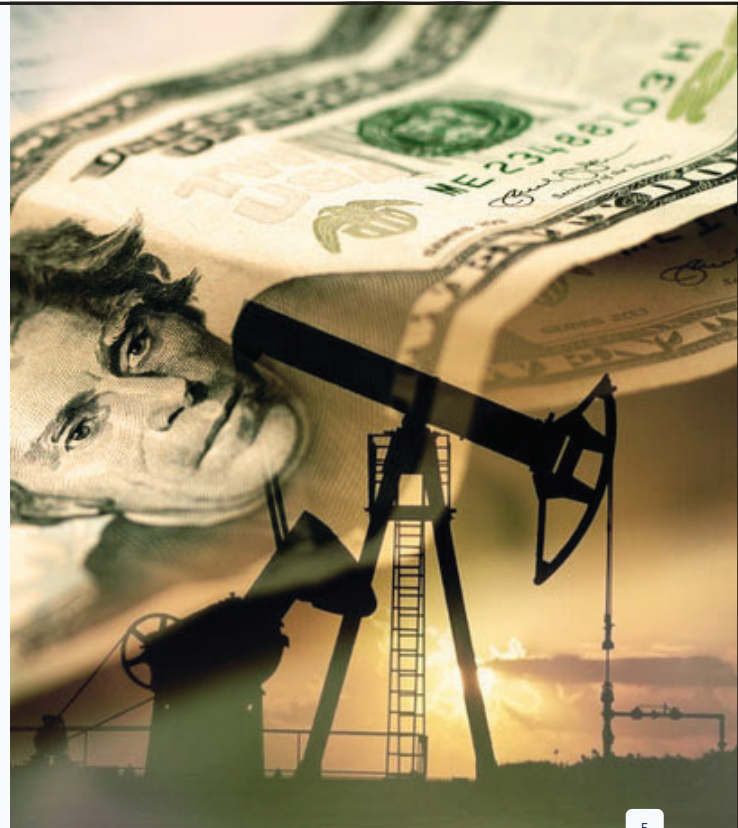
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