

ABA Section of Litigation publishes article by Partner Mark Rooney

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On November 27, the American Bar Association (ABA) Section of Litigation, Consumer Litigation Committee, published Partner Mark Rooney's article, "The Many Ways to Extend a Limitations Period."

In the article, Mark discusses some key definitions and distinctions relevant to the many doctrines that may extend a limitations period, including the statutory discovery rule, common-law discovery rule, equitable estoppel and equitable tolling. He notes that application of these different doctrines is often fact-specific, and there are exceptions to these general rules.

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