Course Announcement:

Ethics in Tax: Standards for Tax Advice

1. Course Name, Date, Location:

Ethics in Tax: Standards for Tax Advice; November 21, 2024; New York, NY

- 2. **Smart Learning Objectives:** After attending this session, participants should be able to: -Have a working knowledge of:
 - The primary sources of ethical standards for tax and a high-level understanding of what each
 contains, including for preparers: Circular 230; ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct;
 ABA Ethical Opinions; Civil Penalty Standards; AICPA Standards for Tax Services; National
 Association of Enrolled Agents Code of Ethics; and Tax Executive Institute Standards of
 Conduct; and for Taxpayers: Civil and Criminal Penalty Standards.
 - The three pillars of Circular 230 and a tax advisor's role as planner, preparer and/or representative.
 - The standards for taking tax positions; and for amending a client's returns.
- 3. **Target Audience:** This course was designed for Senior Associates and above in the Tax practice; as well as various personal wealth planners.
- 4. Course Description: This course provides an overview of the primary sources of ethical standards for tax and a high-level understanding of what each contains, including for preparers: Circular 230; ABA Model Rules of Professional Conduct; ABA Ethical Opinions; Civil Penalty Standards; AICPA Standards for Tax Services; National Association of Enrolled Agents Code of Ethics; and Tax Executive Institute Standards of Conduct; and for Taxpayers: Civil and Criminal Penalty Standards.

Inclusive in that will be a discussion of the three pillars of Circular 230: Competence; Diligence as to Accuracy; and Standards for Tax Positions; as well as a tax adviser's role as planner, preparer and/or representative. In addition, the hierarchy of standards will be reviewed; as well as whether or not there is any obligation to amend a return, and a representative's obligations if they have knowledge of a client's omission.

- 5. NASBA Delivery Method: The NASBA Delivery Method for this CPE Course is Group Live.
- 6. **Estimated CPE Credit and Fields of Study:** 1 CPE Credit; **Field of Study:** Code 81-Taxes-Technical; Personal Income Taxation

7. Prerequisites: None

8. Advance Preparation: There is no advance preparation for this course.

9. Course Knowledge Level: Overview

10. KPMG Accommodations Statement (KPMG Policy)-This statement must be included

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11. Course Registration Requirements:

Training being held at the Committee of Banking Institutions on Taxation (CBIT) Fall Tax Day in NYC. Registration can be completed on-line at "CBIT-USA.org" or in person on the day of the event.

- 12. Refund/ Cancellation Policy: \$75 Registration fee refunded at least 3 days before the event.
- 13. **Complaint Resolution Policy:** Any questions or issues with this course may be emailed to Michael Macero at mmacero@kpmg.com
- 14. Official NASBA CPE sponsor statement (NASBA CPE policy) this statement must be included without any modification.

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