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Why Are My Legal Bills So High?

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This webinar will give two different perspectives on legal bills: why is litigation so expensive? Are all of these tasks really necessary? Is there anything I can do to keep my costs down? This presentation, which takes a point/counterpoint format, will touch on the tension between the need for a vigorous defense and the goal of keeping costs in check.

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