

John Cloherty Authors Chapter in MCLE’s “Federal Civil Litigation in the First Circuit”

Pierce Davis & Perritano litigation partner, John J. Cloherty III, authored Chapter 12 on “Damages Actions Under Section 1983” in *Federal Civil Litigation in the First Circuit*. Published by the Massachusetts Continuing Legal Education (MCLE) in July 2017, the book provides insight into the many aspects of federal civil practice.

Chapter 12 - Damages Actions Under Section 1983 includes:

- Basic Requirements
- Procedural Issues
- Types of Claims
- Damages
- Immunity

You may see the full outline of Chapter 12 and the entire book on the MCLE website.

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