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"Insurance and Investment Management M&A" - September 2007

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"Guide to TTAB Practice, Vols. 1 and 2" - November 2007

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Why A Fiduciary Duty Shift To Credit

ors Of Insolvent Business Entities Is Incorrect As A Matter Of Theory And Practice

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High Court To Rule On Territorial Reach Of Patents

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