

# PFAS Update

Regulation, Litigation, and Liability in 2022

Firm Event

October 13, 2022 from 10:00 am to 5:30 pm (EDT)

Houston



Kelley Drye attorneys and guest speakers discussed the latest developments on the impacts, regulation, and litigation surrounding one of the most impactful emerging contaminants in a generation: per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS).

The full-day program presented a series of panels featuring experts and practitioners from government, outside counsel, and a variety of technical fields who discussed the most pertinent federal and state regulations, litigation issues, and liability developments involving these “forever” chemicals.

Topics, moderators and panelists:

**The State of the Science** - **Curt Marshall** (moderator), **Mark Benotti**, NewFields, **Frances Nilsen**, North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality, and **Gloria Post**, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (panelists)

**State PFAS Regulation** - **Lana Rowenko** (moderator), **Joe Green**, and **Maria Pimenta** (panelists)

**Federal Actions Under the Biden Administration** - **Bill Jackson** (moderator), **Steve Humphreys**, **Nancy Yanochik**, and **Lauren Shah** (panelists)

**Addressing PFAS from Industrial Discharger Sites** - **David Reap** (moderator), **David Zalman**, **Melissa Byroade**, and **Dan Hirschman**, North Carolina Department of Justice (panelists)

**Aqueous Film-Forming Foam MDL** - **John Gilmour**, **Andrew Homer** and **David Reap** (panelists)

**Damages and Remediation** - **Ken Corley** (moderator), **Bill Jackson**, **Anthony Brown**, Aquilogic, and **Michael Donlan**, Industrial Economics, Inc. (panelists)

Special guest Rob Bilott was a lunch presentation speaker.

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