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Environmental Law
in the Trump Administration

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Why You Should Attend:

Please join our Program Chair, ***Beth S. Ginsberg,*** *a partner with Stoel Rives LLP, along with the outstanding faculty she has assembled. These topics will be covered:*

- *Priorities of the New Administration*
- *Can Trump Dismantle the EPA as Promised?*
- *The Department of Interior/Commerce in the Trump Era*
- *The New Administration's Impact on Government Trust Responsibilities to Tribes*
- *Trump's Response (or Lack Thereof) to Climate Change*
- *How Will States and NGOs React?*

Available Via:

Live Webcast

Program Chair:
Beth S. Ginsberg
Stoel Rives LLP

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Attorneys/Legal Staff
Government Regulators
Consultants & Engineers
Developers & Land Owners
Tribal Officials
Conservationists
Environmental Representatives

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9:00 Introduction and Overview

Beth S. Ginsberg, Program Chair
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9:10 Priorities of the New Administration

- What Will the New Administration Mean for Particular Industry Groups?
- Will the Petroleum and Fossil Fuel Industry Get "Most Favored Industry" Status?
- Will the NEPA be Amended or Substantially Reformed?
- What Will the Administration Ask Congress to do in the First 90-120 Days to Overhaul Obama's Policies and Rulemaking?
- How Will the New Supreme Court Appointment Impact Trump's Direction?

Beth S. Ginsberg, Moderator
L. John Iani
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William J. Moltz
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10:15 *Break*

10:30 Can Trump Dismantle the EPA as Promised?

- If Not, What Will Administrator Pruett do to Obama's EPA Legacy?
- What Will Happen to the Clean Power Plan?
- What Will Happen to the WOTUS Rule?
- Other Significant EPA Rules and Policies, Including Enforcement Trends?

Beth S. Ginsberg, Moderator
Matthew Cohen
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Ankur K. Tohan
K&L Gates LLP
James A. Tupper, Jr.
Tupper Mack Wells PLLC

11:30 The Department of Interior/ Commerce in the Trump Era

- ESA Issues - Increase in Delistings?
- ESA Statutory Reform?
- ESA Exemptions (Federal Columbia River Power System?)
- Increased Coal and Fossil Fuel Leasing
- Increased Offshore Energy Exploration?

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Molly A. Lawrence
Van Ness Feldman LLP
Ankur K. Tohan
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12:30 *Midday Break*

1:45 The New Administration's Impact on Government Trust Responsibilities to Tribes

- Corps Issues and How They Relate to Tribal Interests in the Pacific Northwest and Elsewhere
- Standing Rock Pipeline Matter; GPT Coal Terminal Permit Decision

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Tristan S. Brown
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Brian C. Gruber
Ziontz Chestnut

2:45 *Break*

3:00 Trump's Response (or Lack Thereof) to Climate Change

- Will the Paris Accord Survive?
- Purging in the Department of Energy
- Reaction of the International Community
- Reaction of the Industry: Will It Stay the Course in Investing in Clean Energy Solutions?

Beth S. Ginsberg, Moderator
Karen M. McGaffey
Perkins Coie LLP
Timothy L. McMahan
Stoel Rives LLP; Portland, OR

4:00 How Will States and NGOs React?

- Stepped Up Litigation by Environmental and Wildlife Activists
- State Legislation
- Aggressive State Regulation/Enforcement?

Beth S. Ginsberg, Moderator
Patti Goldman, Managing Attorney
Earthjustice
Jason T. Morgan
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5:00 Adjourn