

Environmental and Land Use Representative Matters

Hazardous Materials

- Inorganic Chemical Manufacturer located in Pennsylvania. K&L Gates advises this client on the requirements of the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act and U.S. DOT's regulations applicable to client's products. We have reviewed client's products and identified proper shipping names and packaging requirements.
- Chemical Manufacturer, Pennsylvania, 2003. K&L Gates represented this client in an EPA Region III enforcement action under the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act. EPA alleged certain violations of the chemical inventory reporting requirements. K&L Gates was able to promptly resolve this matter for the client by negotiating a consent agreement with a significant reduction in the proposed penalty.
- Industrial Client, Pennsylvania, 2002. K&L Gates advised a chemical manufacturer on the compliance requirements of the General Duty Clause under the Clean Air Act Section 113(r), including hazards assessment and release prevention, and assisted the client in preparing for an audit of its production facility by the U.S. EPA.
- ***In Re Doctors Research Group***, FIFRA 01-2003-00 (2003). K&L Gates is representing a medical device manufacturer in enforcement action alleging that FDA-approved antimicrobial medical device is required to be registered as a pesticide under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.
- Biotech Company. K&L Gates is representing the company in an EPA enforcement action relating to allegations of falsifying laboratory studies in connection with FIFRA registrations.