

## **ENVIRONMENTAL**

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#### **OVERVIEW**

The attorneys at Hermes, Netburn, O'Connor & Spearing are known for their skilled handling of environmental regulatory and permitting matters in connection with hazardous materials and contaminated properties.

Hermes, Netburn, O'Connor & Spearing P.C. offers a full range of environmental legal services representing clients in federal and state Superfund Enforcement claims as well as private environmental response cost recovery actions. Our lawyers advise clients in a wide range of environmental regulatory and permitting matters and in connection with the redevelopment of contaminated properties. Our team also represents and advises environmental engineers and other environmental professionals in connection with claims and liabilities arising out of their professional services. Additionally, our lawyers have many years of experience handling personal injury cases involving exposures to products alleged to be hazardous.

Environmental laws, with their complex regulatory compliance requirements and often strict, retroactive and joint and several liability provisions, present many challenges to our business clients. An unexpected environmental issue can create uncertainty and concern. Whether dealing with litigation decisions in a cost recovery suit or personal injury matter, formulating regulatory compliance strategies or performing a cleanup with defined or limited resources, we work with our clients to develop and implement strategies that fit their business needs and safeguard their assets.

At Hermes, Netburn, O'Connor & Spearing, P.C., we understand that in any environmental case, a grasp of the science as well as the law is crucial to obtaining the best and most cost-effective results. As a result, we seek out and retain the best experts in the field to ensure our team has the best grasp on the very technical issues involved in these cases. This preparedness can make a tremendous difference in achieving the best possible outcome for our clients.