

## Manufacturing

Manufacturing drives the US economy, and manufacturers of all stripes rely on our Manufacturing team's long-standing experience in the industry.

Our Manufacturing lawyers advise companies of all sizes on the full spectrum of their legal needs, ranging from intellectual property matters and commercial transactions to product liability counseling and litigation. We assist with environmental, health, and safety regulations, compliance and civil litigation, and tackle tough labor and employment problems.

As a manufacturer, your company faces unique risks that other businesses may not deal with. To guard against those risks, you need lawyers who understand what you make, how you make it, and how you sell it. You have intellectual property to protect and employees to manage. You have a plant to run and need capital to run it. You have suppliers, transporters, and distributors to contract with. You have regulations to comply with. Our lawyers can help keep your business running, your products moving, and your revenue flowing.

### Representative Matters

Manufacturers—Defense counsel in Delaware asbestos litigation

Defense of numerous manufacturers in asbestos product and premises liability dockets in the State of Delaware.

Major chemicals firm—Supply agreement arbitration

Confidential Arbitration: US and Finnish chemicals firms arbitrating supply agreement claims following closure and divestment of a manufacturing plant, resulting in a defense award for our client supplier and a denial of the customer's 8-figure breach claims.

Paint manufacturer—False advertising class actions

Counseled in connection with settlement under a "management and company liability" policy for putative class actions alleging false advertising.

Nationwide boiler manufacturer—Defense and indemnity coverage

Secured defense and indemnity coverage under primary liability policies for thousands of asbestos lawsuits by disproving the insurer's late notice defense.

Cement manufacturer—Liability coverage

Advise cement manufacturing company regarding liability coverage for asbestos and silica lawsuits.

Pneumatic tool manufacturer—Complex liability coverage litigation

Litigating complex liability coverage matter arising from asbestos and silica lawsuits relating to the manufacture of pneumatic tools.

### Speaking Engagements

Metal Additive Manufacturing Workshop, University of Connecticut, 4.17.2014