



The Complete Solution for Enforcement and Manipulation Cases

CFTC and FERC

An insider's perspective from a former director of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission's (CFTC) Enforcement Division, as well as former CFTC and Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) lawyers.



Antitrust

Integrated antitrust counsel, including criminal and civil investigations, enforcement proceedings and litigation.



Class Actions and MDL

Consistent success in class certification defense and in multi-district litigation (MDL) with first-chair trial lawyers, 12 of whom are Fellows of the American College of Trial Lawyers.



Federal and State Litigation

A record of success across the U.S.; significant jury, bench trial and arbitration experience; and deep litigation experience in federal and state appellate courts.



U.S. Enforcement

Enforcement acumen delivered by a distinguished team that includes many former officials from the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Federal Trade Commission (FTC), and Federal Communications Commission (FCC), including a former Deputy Attorney General, two former FTC General Counsels, and a former FCC Senior Legal Advisor.



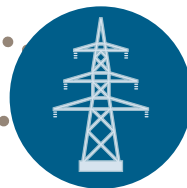
EPA

Proven leadership in handling virtually every environmental enforcement challenge, including complex air, water, waste, climate change and compliance matters; experience from former U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) officials, including a former Chief of the Environmental Enforcement Section.



Commodities

Decades of experience in the commodities industry, including domestic and international energy, agriculture, metals, foreign currency and interest-rate markets.



Appellate

Unparalleled Supreme Court and federal appellate experience from lawyers who have briefed more than 225 cases on the merits and argued 121 Supreme Court cases and more than 620 cases in federal appellate courts.



Our Energy Capabilities

We harness the breadth of our experience to help clients navigate the complexities of the energy landscape. Our practice touches every aspect of energy sector operations, affording us a holistic perspective that differentiates us among law firms.

We offer clients cohesive, cost-effective solutions for high-risk enforcement matters. Sidley's manipulation defense team regularly represents clients before the CFTC, FERC, EPA, FTC, FCC, Congressional Committees and in investigations performed by foreign regulators. We also advise on enforcement issues before the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) and certain state utilities commissions. Our lawyers represent clients across the full spectrum of regulatory issues, including:

- Fraud
- Manipulation
- Self-reports
- Spoofing
- False reporting
- Internal investigations
- Wash trading
- Algorithmic and high-frequency trading

About the Firm

Sidley Austin LLP is a premier law firm with a practice highly attuned to the ever-changing international landscape. The firm advises clients around the globe, with more than 2,000 lawyers in 20 offices worldwide. Sidley maintains a commitment to providing quality legal services and to offering advice in litigation, transactional and regulatory matters spanning virtually every area of law. The firm's lawyers have wide-reaching legal backgrounds and are dedicated to teamwork, collaboration and superior client service.



A deep bench of former government officials offering energy regulatory and enforcement insight.



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