

MICHAEL MELOY AND BART CASSIDY OF MANKO, GOLD, KATCHER & FOX, LLP TO SPEAK AT PA CHAMBER KEY ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE

Philadelphia, PA (September 29, 2009) – Michael Meloy and Bart Cassidy, partners with Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP (MGKF), an environmental, energy and land use law firm, will speak at the Pennsylvania Chamber of Business and Industry's Key Environmental Issues Compliance Conference: Water Management, Residual Waste, Climate Change Update, and Clean Air Permitting, to be held on Thursday, October 15 in Scranton, Pa., Thursday, October 22 in Camp Hill, Pa.; and Thursday, October 29 in King of Prussia, Pa.

Meloy and his co-presenter will speak on "Understanding Residual Waste Regulations," which will cover the definition of waste; recycling exclusions and exemptions; residual waste generator requirements; permitting requirements; storage and transportation requirements; the clean fill policy; and other issues such as waste oil, disposal of electronic waste, Marcellus shale drilling activities; and anticipated regulatory changes including new coal ash requirements.

Cassidy and his co-presenter will address attendees on "Understanding Federal Air Regulations and Air Permitting Requirements," which will include Title V, New Source Review (NSR) and state permit requirements; developing compliance plans for Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT) Standards; understanding the complexities of air permitting; PM 2.5 update, including recent federal regulation; the importance of Emission Reduction Credits and creditable emission reductions (internal reductions); climate change/greenhouse gas emissions and air quality regulatory considerations associated with current economic conditions; and other topics.

At MGKF, Meloy assist clients in connection with a broad spectrum of environmental litigation, regulatory and transactional issues, including shaping and complying with environmental regulatory requirements. He serves on the Pennsylvania Cleanup Standards Scientific Advisory Board and the Delaware Basin Regional Water Resources Committee. Meloy chairs the Solid Waste Advisory Committee for the Pennsylvania Chamber of Business and Industry and chaired the Agricultural Law Committee of the Pennsylvania Bar Association. He is also a member of the Advisory Council of the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering at the University of Delaware.

Cassidy brings a legal and engineering background to MGKF, where he assists clients with a broad range of environmental issues, including air and water quality control, waste management, storage tank issues and business and real estate transactions. Cassidy represents clients in responding to agency enforcement actions and in litigation of environmental matters before state and federal administrative and judicial tribunals. Cassidy also serves as an adjunct professor at the Drexel Law School. In addition to being a member of the bar in several jurisdictions, Cassidy is also a licensed Professional Engineer.

The Pennsylvania Chamber of Business and Industry's Key Environmental Issues Compliance Conference: Water Management, Residual Waste, Climate Change Update, and Clean Air Permitting will be held on Thursday, October 15 at the Hilton Scranton & Convention Center in Scranton, Pa., Thursday, October 22 at the Radisson Penn Harris Hotel & Convention Center in Camp Hill, Pa.; and Thursday, October 29 at the Crowne Plaza Valley Forge in King of Prussia, Pa. For registration and information, please visit **www.pachamber.org**.

MGKF concentrates its practice in environmental, energy, and land use law and litigation. It represents clients ranging from Fortune 100 corporations to small, privately held enterprises, both in the Mid-Atlantic region and on a national basis. MGKF's offices are located at 401 City Avenue, Suite 500, Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania and 535 Route 38, Suite 145A, Cherry Hill, New Jersey. For additional information, visit <u>www.mgkflaw.com</u> or call 484-430-5700 or 856-317-1299.

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