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**BRUCE S. KATCHER OF MANKO, GOLD, KATCHER & FOX, LLP
TO SPEAK ON NEW JERSEY'S NEW SITE REMEDIATION REFORM ACT**

Philadelphia, PA (July 20, 2009) – Bruce S. Katcher, a founding partner of Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP (MGKF), an environmental and energy law firm, will present a seminar on New Jersey's New Site Remediation Reform Act on Wednesday, August 5 at the Builders League of South Jersey in Cherry Hill, NJ.

Katcher will provide insight on how the new Site Remediation Reform Act (SRRA), which authorizes private licensed site remediation professionals (LSRPs) to oversee cleanups in lieu of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP), will affect performance of cleanups in New Jersey. While this new process offers the promise of expediting the cleanup process, it also creates new obligations and challenges. Currently, the NJDEP is in the process of developing the program guidelines, and this seminar will offer the most up-to-date information available on how the LSRP program will work.

Katcher is the partner in charge of MGKF's New Jersey practice and concentrates his practice on regulatory compliance and transactional counseling, site remediation, brownfields redevelopment, permitting, renewable energy, green building, and sustainable business practices. He has lectured and written extensively on various environmental law subjects in New Jersey and Pennsylvania, with article topics including the SRRA, New Jersey's natural resource damages program, the Brownfield and Contaminated Site Remediation Act, and regulatory reform programs in New Jersey and at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Katcher has been listed in the *Best Lawyers in America* since 1995. He is also listed in *Chambers USA - America's Leading Lawyers for Business*, and New Jersey's and Pennsylvania's *Super Lawyers*.

Katcher chairs the Chamber of Commerce of Southern New Jersey's Environmental Committee and is a past member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the Chamber. He is also a member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the PENJERDEL Council, where he chairs its Environmental Improvement Committee, and he is an associate member of the New Jersey Licensed Site Remediation Professionals Association. Katcher received his undergraduate degree from the University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School and his law degree from the University of Pennsylvania School of Law.

The seminar on New Jersey's New Site Remediation Reform Act will be held on Wednesday, August 5 at 9:15 a.m. at the Builders League of South Jersey office, 114 Haddontowne Court in Cherry Hill, N.J. For more information visit www.blsj.com or call (856) 616-8460.

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 www.mgkflaw.com or call 484-430-5700 or 856-317-1299.

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