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## Richmond Williams Joins the Environmental and Energy Law Firm of Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP



Williams

Philadelphia, PA (March 1, 2023) – Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP (MGKF), an environmental, energy, land use law and litigation firm, is pleased to announce that Rich Williams joins the firm as Senior Counsel after retiring from his position as Chief Counsel for Environmental Remediation and Real Estate at Ashland Inc. He has extensive experience negotiating complex environmental transactions as well as resolving multi-party environmental litigation and complex commercial claims. Rich's responsibilities included real estate and corporate transactions, corporate governance, commercial matters, defense of environmental enforcement actions and regulatory counseling. He is a certified mediator in the Delaware Superior Court and has significant experience with alternative dispute resolution.

Prior to his position at Ashland, Rich was the Chief Counsel for Safety, Health and Regulatory Affairs at Hercules Incorporated, worked as Deputy Attorney General and head of the Environmental Section of the Delaware Attorney General's Office and worked in private practice. Rich is admitted in Delaware.

Over the years, Rich's volunteer efforts have included developing and moderating continuing education seminars on professional responsibility, service as Special Prosecutor for the Delaware Office of Disciplinary Counsel and service on the Delaware Board on Professional Responsibility. He is active on various State Bar Association Committees and a member of Wilmington Rotary. Rich has been a Board Member of the Delaware Nature Society, the Delmarva Boy Scout Council and other non-profits.

MGKF concentrates its practice in environmental, energy, litigation, safety and land use law. We proudly celebrate more than 30 years of representing clients ranging from Fortune 100 corporations to small, privately held enterprises, both in the Mid-Atlantic region and on a national basis. MGKF is also honored to be the top-rated law firm, since 2011, in the Top Workplaces surveys by the Philadelphia Inquirer, Daily News and Philly.com. Offices are located at: Three Bala Plaza East, Suite 700, Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania; 535 Route 38, Suite 145A, Cherry Hill, New Jersey; 5 Penn Plaza, 23rd Floor, New York, NY 10001; and 500 Ala Moana Blvd., Suite 7400, Honolulu, HI. For additional information, visit <a href="https://www.mankogold.com">www.mankogold.com</a> or call 484-430-5700; 856-317-1299; 212-835-1558; or 808-892-4334.

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