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## RELATED PRACTICES

- Bankruptcy
- Business Litigation
- Energy & Environmental

## EDUCATION

- University of Houston Law Center, Master of Laws in Energy, Environment, and Natural Resources Law
- South Texas College of Law, Juris Doctor
- University of South Carolina, Master of Arts in Government
- University of South Carolina, Bachelor of Arts in Political Science

## MARY W. KOKS

Shareholder

### OVERVIEW

Mary has more than 26 years of experience in a practice focusing on environmental compliance and litigation. Her experience includes:

- Representation of potentially responsible parties in environmental lawsuits including bankruptcy matters, toxic tort and property claims, and petitions brought under various environmental acts.
- Representation of clients in administrative and civil enforcement cases before the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) and State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH).
- Assisting and advising clients on environmental aspects in real estate related transactions as well as interpretation of federal and state environmental regulations, supervision of environmental compliance audits and the Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) plans.

### MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

- Houston Bar Association, Environmental Law Section, Former Chair
- Spondylitis Association of America, Member and Volunteer
- State Bar of Texas, Environmental and Natural Resources Section, Chair, 2008-2009
- Texas Board of Legal Specialization, Business Bankruptcy
- University of St. Thomas — Center for Irish Studies, Board Member, 2008-2009

### AWARDS & HONORS

- AV® Peer Rating, Martindale-Hubbell
- Best Lawyers in America in Environmental Law, Woodward/White, Inc., 2007-2009
- Best Lawyers in Texas in Environmental Law, *Texas Lawyer*, 2006-2009
- Super Lawyers, Key Professional Media, Inc., 2008

### ADMISSIONS

- Texas
- United States District Courts for the Eastern, Northern, Southern and Western Districts of Texas
- United States Supreme Court

### ARTICLES & SPEECHES

- April 1, 2005 — Bankruptcy Impacts on Environmental Claims