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Principal

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### **Alex has more than a decade of experience helping clients respond to extended producer responsibility mandates.**

When governments consider new extended producer responsibility (EPR) laws, Alex helps clients respond. Before the laws or regulations are adopted, he advocates on behalf of client interests. Once mandates pass, Alex counsels industry groups on the formation and governance of producer responsibility organizations and counsels individual companies on the impact of these laws on their operations. Alex routinely represents clients implementing EPR laws on issues like preparing stewardship plans, understanding the environmental, health, and safety requirements applicable to program operations, and implementing plans through contracts and other required regulatory submissions. His experience includes working with clients in battery, medical device, pharmaceutical, and other industries on EPR mandates and practical compliance solutions.

Alex also represents clients seeking government authorizations for project or product development in other contexts, including under waste programs, Pennsylvania environmental laws, and the federal Endangered Species Act (ESA). This representation includes planning, permitting, and implementation efforts, as well as related advocacy.

Representative experience includes:

- Advising on the formation and implementation of product stewardship organizations and related product stewardship programs, including negotiating stewardship program approval with government agencies.
- Representing clients in EPR legislative and regulatory efforts, including drafting EPR legislation and regulations.
- Counseling clients on the application of EPR laws to their products and operations.
- Analyzing the management of various pharmaceutical products and medical devices under hazardous waste, medical waste, solid waste, and controlled substance requirements.
- Drafting and negotiating contracts for medical or other waste management and disposal services.
- Advising on compliance with various Pennsylvania environmental laws, including hazardous and solid waste requirements.

- Representing a coalition of energy companies on the development of a habitat conservation plan under the ESA and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA).
- Advocating in ESA species listing actions.
- Member of a B&D team that secured a favorable award in Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) data compensation dispute.

*Alex is located near Harrisburg, PA, and practices out of our Washington, DC office.*

## Education

- Gettysburg College (B.S., *magna cum laude*, 2010)
  - Environmental Studies, Political Science
- College of William and Mary (J.D., *summa cum laude*, 2013)
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## Bar Admissions

- District of Columbia
- Pennsylvania

## Court Admissions

- U.S. Court of Federal Claims

## Professional Affiliations

- Pennsylvania Bar Association, Environmental and Energy Law Section

## Honors & Awards

- "Best Lawyers: Ones To Watch," a Best Lawyers® publication, recognition in Environmental Law (2021-2025)

## Publications

January 30, 2025

### **Massachusetts Forms an EPR Commission for Packaging and Other Products**

Beveridge & Diamond

January 24, 2024

### **New Jersey Adopts EPR for EV and Hybrid Car Batteries**

Beveridge & Diamond

February 14, 2023

**FWS Revising ESA Permit Regulations to Improve Efficiency**

Beveridge & Diamond

March 28, 2022

**FWS Proposes Uplisting Northern Long-Eared Bat to Endangered Status**

Beveridge & Diamond

November 3, 2021

**Biden Administration to Revoke Trump-Era ESA Regulations Focused on Habitat**

Beveridge & Diamond

October 6, 2021

**Incidental Take of Migratory Birds Once Again a Federal Crime; FWS Considering New Permitting Program**

Beveridge & Diamond

June 15, 2021

**Here We Go Again: Services to Re-Revise Endangered Species Act Regulations**

Beveridge & Diamond

May 10, 2021

**Department of the Interior Seeks to Withdraw Migratory Bird Treaty Act Liability Rule**

Beveridge & Diamond

March 9, 2021

**Migratory Bird Treaty Act Liability Rule Looks to Be Short-Lived**

Beveridge & Diamond

January 8, 2021

**Migratory Bird Treaty Act Liability Rule Finally Is Here, But For How Long?**

Beveridge & Diamond

February 4, 2020

**Government Proposes to Codify Limits on Migratory Bird Treaty Act Liability**

Beveridge & Diamond

September 13, 2019

**New Regulations Reform Implementation of Endangered Species Act**

Beveridge & Diamond

April 15, 2019

**FWS Takes a Mulligan on Greater Sage-Grouse Listing**

Beveridge & Diamond

April 12, 2018

**New White House Guidance and Multi-Agency MOU Continue Push to Expedite Environmental Reviews and Permitting for Major Infrastructure**

Beveridge & Diamond

September 10, 2015

**EPA Proposes New Rules for Pharmaceutical Wastes That Qualify as RCRA Hazardous Wastes**

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