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# Webcast: Carbon Markets and the Voluntary Market

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This webcast provides an overview of the current voluntary carbon offset market. We provide practical advice about how to access and participate in that market, and finally, we flag some litigation risks and concerns to be considered by those participating in the market.

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