

Webcast: The Continuing Rise of the State AG

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State Attorneys General are playing an increasingly active role in enforcing corporate misconduct, often acting independently or in coordination with federal agencies. Whether as to consumer protection, data privacy, false government claims, antitrust, securities fraud, or environmental, state AGs are leveraging their broad investigative and prosecutorial powers to shape policy and drive high-dollar recoveries. This webcast examines the key areas where state AGs have asserted and will increasingly assert their influence, recent enforcement actions, and what companies should expect—and prepare for—as state-level enforcement continues to expand.

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