

Please join us for a complimentary seminar presented by Nixon Peabody LLP and Haley & Aldrich, Inc.

Disclosing Environmental Liabilities Under Sarbanes-Oxley:
New Rules of the Road



DETOUR

Conducting business each day requires a virtual roadmap to navigate the complex array of new securities laws, recent SEC and EPA interpretations, guidelines, and developing case law—all of which affect how you do business as a public or private company.

In today's changing regulatory landscape, the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 covers much more than just accounting transparencies. The technical risks and liabilities that result from Sarbanes-Oxley and other recent developments are rapidly expanding into the area of environmental reporting. In fact, the recent demands placed on the SEC to change its regulations on the reporting of environmental issues could have potentially huge ramifications for public and private companies.

How do you make sense of it all?

Attend this complimentary seminar and hear experts in the field forecast the changes coming in the foreseeable future and what they mean for your organization.

- △ Understand the existing legal and regulatory framework for Sarbanes-Oxley-based reporting—and the drivers for change
- △ Identify the emerging standards and guidelines that will apply to environmental reporting
- △ Learn the technical issues surrounding environmental reporting, ranging from under reporting of liability to failure to aggregate liabilities
- △ Gain practical suggestions on how to gather the information needed to make appropriate environmental disclosures

This program offers timely case studies and a panel discussion, following concise legal and technical presentations. Discussion is strongly encouraged throughout. Take advantage of this chance to network and exchange ideas with your colleagues and peers from around Long Island and the New York metropolitan area who are facing the same challenges.

Tuesday, April 12, 2005

Long Island Marriott Hotel & Conference Center

101 James Doolittle Boulevard, Uniondale, New York 11553

Agenda

- 7:30–8:00 AM Registration and Breakfast
- 8:00–8:05 AM Welcome and Introductory Remarks
James C. Hood, Partner, Nixon Peabody LLP
and *Muriel S. Robinette*, PG, Senior Vice President,
Haley & Aldrich, Inc.
- 8:05–8:25 AM Sarbanes-Oxley: How the Act Affects both Public
and Private Companies
Bruce E. Rosenthal, Partner, Nixon Peabody LLP
- 8:25–8:45 AM Drivers for the Environmental Disclosure Changes
at SEC
Jean H. McCreary, Partner, Nixon Peabody LLP
- 8:45–9:05 AM The Impact of SEC Adoption of New Environmental
Disclosure Guidelines
Muriel S. Robinette, PG, Senior Vice President,
Haley & Aldrich, Inc.

9:05–9:25 AM Tools for Environmental Disclosure—What Works
and Who Is Using It?

John A. Rhodes, PE, Senior Vice President, Haley &
Aldrich, Inc.

9:25–10:00 AM Roundtable Panel Discussion

Moderated by *James C. Hood*, Partner,
Nixon Peabody LLP

Presented by

Nixon Peabody LLP

990 Stewart Avenue • Garden City, NY • www.nixonpeabody.com

Haley & Aldrich, Inc.

299 Cherry Hill Road • Parsippany, NJ • www.HaleyAldrich.com

CLE credit for this seminar is available; please inquire when responding.
Nixon Peabody is an accredited provider of CLE in NY, NH, CA and RI.

RSVP by April 1, 2005 to Jeff Scalzi at
516-832-7512 or jscalzi@nixonpeabody.com.



NIXON PEABODY LLP
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

HALEY &
ALDRICH