

Government Advocacy and Public Policy

Our Government Advocacy & Public Policy team advances the goals of corporations, associations, governments, and other organizations by understanding their interests, applying practical governmental and political experience and leveraging bipartisan relationships to ensure clients maximize their exposure and influence in Washington. Our lobbying practice efficiently leverages the deep-seated industry and technical experience held by the 1000+ lawyers across the firm to provide government advocacy plans that are tailored to each client's objectives. Our team includes well-known figures in public policy advocacy, each with decades of experience at the highest reaches of government, including practice chair Tom Spulak, Gov. Robert Ehrlich, Ambassador Lloyd Hand, Rep. Ander Crenshaw, Rep. Michael Andrews, Rep. Kendrick Meek, J.C. Boggs, Steve Kupka, and George Crawford. We also work closely with the firm's pre-eminent Congressional investigations team known for its representation of global brands as these corporations respond to high-profile and high-stakes Congressional investigations. Led by Ted Hester, Eleanor Hill, and Dan Donovan, the team effectively guides clients through the unique Congressional investigations experience while minimizing the legal and public relations risk these inquiries often pose.

Our team also provides counseling and representation on executive and congressional ethics as well as election law at the state and federal levels. Team members draw upon their extensive experience with highly technical congressional procedures which can be an invaluable factor in clients' legislative victories.

Cases & Deals

February 29, 2016

King & Spalding Wins Federal Jury Trial in Key Off-Label

Capability Lawyers



Thomas J. Spulak
Washington, D.C.



Theodore M. Hester (Ted)
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Lloyd N. Hand
Washington, D.C.

Recognition

Ranked #1 among 50
leading lobbying practices
NLJ "INFLUENCE 50"

"The team is dynamic and
multi-talented."
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They bring "value" and
"strong advocacy abilities to

Marketing Case on Behalf of Vascular Solutions Inc.

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Insights

CLIENT ALERT

January 8, 2019

New House Democratic Majority Proposes Aggressive Antitrust Scrutiny

ARTICLE

December 7, 2018

House Problem Solvers May Not Solve The Problem

CLIENT ALERT

October 31, 2018

Congress and Cryptocurrency: The Elephant in the Room

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Events

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

March 14, 2019

Tom Spulak to Speak at PREA Defined Contribution Plans Affinity Group Annual Spring Conference

WEBINAR

January 23, 2019

King & Spalding e-Learn: Washington Insight: How Will the New House Democratic Majority Affect Your Interests?

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT

December 11, 2018

Wintta Woldemariam to Speak at ABA Washington Health Law Summit

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News

IN THE NEWS

May 3, 2019

Tom Spulak explains why President Trump has decided to take his fight with Congress to court

IN THE NEWS

April 26, 2019

Tom Spulak discusses how the Mueller Report unveiled a need for changes to election law

IN THE NEWS

April 25, 2019

Tom Spulak comments on a House rule that allows government officials to have personal counsel accompany them in depositions but broadly shuts agency lawyers out of the room

every engagement."

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