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# Troutman Taps New Leader for Gov't Contracts Group

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Michael Barnicle, a partner and leader in Troutman Pepper Locke's Government Contracts Practice Group, was featured and quoted in the May 30, 2025 *Law360* article, "[Troutman Taps New Leader for Gov't Contracts Group](#)."

"Troutman is a major player in various markets that are traditionally underserved by government contract lawyers that somewhat tend to be localized in Washington, D.C.," Barnicle said. "Their offices are lining up where you don't ordinarily see government contracts lawyers."

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"Most lawyers would have walked away from it," Barnicle said. "No only do we get into the issues but when we have conviction we stay with it."

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"With a very simple fix, we were able to save them \$60 million and avoid litigation," Barnicle said. "We suggested more of a day-to-day practical solution that had not only a large impact, but a large impact that would be going forward into the future."

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