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Víctor provides his clients with thorough, efficient, and detail-oriented representation on critical transactional matters in the infrastructure space.

OVERVIEW

Víctor is an associate in the firm's Energy Transactional and Telecommunications practice groups. He represents clients on a variety of transactional, regulatory, and corporate matters in the communications and electric utility infrastructure industries.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

- Represented a Southeastern renewable energy company in joint negotiations with a wind turbine supplier and EPC contractor for the construction and repowering of an approximately 200 MW wind turbine farm, including the negotiation of other ancillary documentation.
- Represented an electric utility company in negotiating a first-of-its-kind Battery Energy Storage System program in the jurisdiction with several generators.
- Represented a Southwestern public utility company in the negotiation of an EPC agreement relating to the construction, integration, and servicing of an approximately 400 MW battery energy storage system.
- Represented a Southwestern public utility company in the negotiation of a long-term services agreement for a battery energy storage facility with a capacity of 220 MW.
- Represented clients obtaining Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and similar telecommunications licenses in several states throughout the U.S.
- Advised clients regarding compliance with various FCC, state, and local telecommunications laws and regulations, including the transfer of control of FCC licenses.
- Represented Kloeckner Metals Corporation in its \$340 million acquisition of National Material of Mexico, a leading independent service center and materials supplier serving automotive and industrial end markets across North America.
- Represented a national fiber-optics company in a complex transaction, including the divestiture of an operating business and lease of multiple fiber-optic assets.
- Represented communications companies in the acquisition and leasing of multistate fiber-optic networks.
- Advised clients in the registration of submarine cables with the FCC and conduct "Team Telecom" review.

- Advised a leading manufacturer of automotive components on FCC licensing issues arising in connection with the use of radar-based sensors inside vehicles.
- Advised telecommunications clients on both federal and state Universal Service Fund issues.
- Represented a national electric utility company in construction arbitration disputes.
- Drafted design and construction agreements for commercial real estate projects throughout the U.S.

TOP AREAS OF FOCUS

- Construction
- Energy
- Government + Regulatory
- Telecommunications + Infrastructure

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Vice president, Georgia Hispanic Bar Association

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

EDUCATION

- Vanderbilt University Law School, J.D., 2020
- University of Florida, B.A., *cum laude*, 2016

BAR ADMISSIONS

- Georgia

COURT ADMISSIONS

- Supreme Court of Georgia
- Court of Appeals of Georgia

LANGUAGES

- Spanish

PUBLICATIONS

- Co-author, "Oklahoma Passes FCC-Like Maximum Pole Attachment Rate for Rural Electric Coops," *Troutman Pepper*, May 4, 2022.
- Co-author, "FCC Notice of Inquiry: The Role of Receiver Performance in Promoting More Efficient Spectrum Use," *Troutman Pepper*, April 27, 2022.
- Co-author, "FCC Mulls Cost Sharing Rules for Pole Replacements," *Troutman Pepper*, March 21, 2022.
- Co-author, "FCC Further Restricts Exclusivity of Communications Providers in Multitenant Environments," *Troutman Pepper*, February 24, 2022.