## DLA Piper Adds Energy Attorney Andrea Chambers to Firm's DC Office

**DLA Piper** announced that **Andrea Chambers**, who has more than 20 years of experience working with energy-sector clients, has joined the firm's Finance practice as a partner in Washington, DC.

Chambers has extensive experience on matters before the Federal Energy Regulation Commission (FERC) and has advised clients regarding wholesale electric energy markets, natural gas pipelines, electric transmission facilities, storage infrastructure, and ratemaking and tariffs.

"Andrea is highly regarded within the FERC community and is well known for her ability to provide strong regulatory advice," said Joseph Tato, global co-chair of DLA Piper's Energy sector. "Her knowledge of FERC regulatory and administrative matters will benefit clients as they continue to grapple with regulatory compliance in an evolving energy sector."

## The firm's release continues:

Chambers follows other recent additions to the firm's Finance practice, including Timothy Moran, Vanessa Richelle Wilson and Gregory Smith, who are based in the Washington office. The partners focus on project development and financing matters, as well as energy and M&A, in the United States and internationally. They are part of a strategic initiative by DLA Piper, together with recently hired New York-based partners Charles Carroll and Philip Corsello, to expand its offerings as one of the top global law firms in those sectors.

"We've brought in some strong talent covering a variety of areas to our Finance team in Washington and across the firm this year," said Mary Gately, managing partner of DLA Piper's Washington, DC, office. "Andrea adds to that with her strong experience with interstate pipeline projects and geothermal and wind developers, as well as her success in litigation before FERC and appellate courts nationwide."

Chambers is a member of the Energy Bar Association, the Women's Energy Network and the Women's Council of Energy and the Environment, and has received the FERC Certificate for Outstanding Performance. She earned her J.D. from American University, Washington College of Law, and her B.A. from Georgetown University.