

*President's Message*

With this Journal, the Federal Energy Bar Association inaugurates a new publication with the potential for becoming a significant legal periodical in the field of energy law.

More than 1,000 lawyers specializing in all aspects and applications of energy law are members of the FEBA. From this considerable reservoir of talent and experience, we have the resource to produce a continuing flow of scholarly and provocative articles for future editions. Certainly, there is no lack of subject matter; it grows almost exponentially.

The reports of the several FEBA committees have been, to date, the Association's most enduring work. Many lawyers find these excellent annual summaries of administrative, judicial and legislative developments a convenient reference for research in the substantive matters assigned to the committees. We hope that including these reports in the Journal will give them permanence and accessibility in your library.

The authors of the articles in this Journal deserve our thanks for their time and efforts. Also, this first volume of the Association's Journal would not have been possible without the dedication of William A. Mogel, Esquire, Chairman of the Committee on Publications, to the project.

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