



AREAS OF FOCUS

Practices

Energy
International Arbitration
Hydrogen

Nuclear Energy
Regulatory
Fusion Energy

With over 10 years of experience in the nuclear power industry, Anne Leidich represents domestic generators of nuclear power, advanced reactor startups, and vendors of nuclear power plant components in transactional, litigation and regulatory matters.

In her seven years at Pillsbury, Anne has represented energy clients in a variety of different matters, including international arbitration and litigation before the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and Atomic Safety and Licensing Boards. In addition to litigation and arbitration, Anne provides advice on the application of nuclear export control laws and on the decommissioning of nuclear power plants. Anne also assists in significant nuclear industry transactions, including large scale due diligence and the negotiation of complex commercial contracts. Anne has a degree in Nuclear Engineering from Purdue University and worked for Westinghouse Electric Company prior to attending law school.

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Represented vendor of nuclear plant components in multi-billion-dollar international arbitration regarding a breach of contract dispute that led to permanent closure of a nuclear power plant.

- Represented Florida Power & Light Co. in proceedings before the NRC to obtain a license to construct and operate a new nuclear power plant in Florida.
- Represented two companies in their mandatory hearings before the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to obtain licenses to construct and operate new nuclear power plants.
- Represented winning bidder (an asset management company) in its acquisition of Westinghouse Electric Company's nuclear business.
- Represented private equity firm in its acquisition of a Waste Control Specialists, a nuclear waste disposal facility.
- Representing various entities in acquisitions or transactions regarding decommissioning of nuclear power plants, including strategic advice and in license transfer proceedings.
- Advises companies on the application of 10 CFR Part 810.
- Represented client Holtec International's efforts to license a first-of-a kind interim spent nuclear fuel storage facility in New Mexico.

PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- "High Assay LEU" *Nuclear Plant Journal* (September-October, 2018) Volume 36 No. 5
- Capital Pro Bono High Honor Roll (2018)
- **Publications**
 - "Considerations for Bringing New Suppliers into the Nuclear Supply Chain," *ANS Transactions*, June 2020, Vol. 122 No.1. Co-author.
 - "DOE Proposes Procedures for the Imposition of Civil Penalties for Violations of Part 810," *Pratt's Energy Law Report*, January 2020, Vol. 20, No.1. Co-author.
- **Honors & Awards**
 - Recognized in *Chambers USA*, Energy: Nuclear Nationwide (2022)

EDUCATION

J.D., The George Washington University Law School, 2012

B.S., Nuclear Engineering, Purdue University, 2007

ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia

Maryland

COURTS

U.S. Court of Appeals for the DC Circuit