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Gia is an associate in the energy practice group in the Washington, DC office. Her energy practice includes the representation of energy industry participants before federal and state agencies charged with jurisdiction over energy markets and their participants. Gia's practice also focuses on general litigation matters and related issues, including experience in environmental, contracts, bankruptcy and real estate issues.

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

Gia has worked on a variety of energy related proceedings, including the representation of energy companies before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit.

Representative matters include:

- Representation of natural gas pipeline company at FERC regarding the interconnection of pipeline gas facilities
- Representation of natural gas gathering companies regarding the jurisdictional status of acquired gathering facilities
- Experience in natural gas storage issues, including issues related to developing new storage projects
- Representation of various energy industry participants relating to their jurisdictional status and the resulting application of federal and/or state regulatory schemes
- Experience in adversary proceedings regarding pipeline demand charges
- Natural gas proceedings regarding rate design and the determination of natural gas gathering rates and the scope and limits to FERC's regulation of natural gas transportation rates and the types of costs FERC will recognize in the derivation of rates

Gia's activities have also focused on issues related to pipeline transportation in the United States and Canada, rate discounting, transfers of energy assets as regulated by FERC and the propriety of claims submitted in bankruptcy proceedings involving energy market participants.

AFFILIATIONS

Member

- District of Columbia Bar
- Maryland State Bar Association

INDUSTRIES

Alternative Energy
Energy
Energy Regulatory
Federal Regulatory
Natural Gas
State Regulatory
Wind Energy

PRACTICES

Energy
Energy Disputes and
Litigation
Litigation
Real Estate Litigation

EDUCATION

JD, 2001, *with honors*,
George Washington
University School of
Law, *The George
Washington Journal of
International Law and
Economics*, Member
BA, 1998, *summa cum
laude*, University of
Maryland

ADMISSIONS

District of Columbia
2002
Maryland 2001
US Court of Appeals for
the DC Circuit

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PRESS RELEASES

- Andrews & Kurth Adds New Associates (December 18, 2001)