# K&L GATES WASHINGTON, D.C. ASSET MANAGEMENT AND INVESTMENT FUNDS CONFERENCE

November 2, 2023

K&L Gates Office – 1601 K Street, NW

08:30 - 09:00am

## Welcome and Breakfast

Presented by: Robert J. Zutz, Partner and Ndenisarya M. Bregasi, Practice Area Leader - K&L

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09:05 - 09:25am

# State of the Global Asset Management Industry

Presented by Micheal S. Caccese, Firm Chairman and Practice Area Leader - K&L Gates

09:30 -10:50am

# Registered Funds Regulatory Roundup - Preparing for the Changing Environment

Moderator: Fatima S. Sulaiman, Partner - K&L Gates

Speakers: Lance C. Dial, Partner; Kathy Kresch Ingber, Partner; Marguerite W. Laurent, Partner;

Franklin H. Na, Partner; and Keri E. Riemer, Of Counsel - K&L Gates

This session will include:

- ESG Disclosure Standards for Funds and Advisers; ESG Developments in the United States, EU & UK
- Fund Names
- Fund Disclosure Reform/Tailored Shareholder Reports
- Fund Cybersecurity Risk Governance for Funds and Advisers
- Liquidity Rule and Swing Pricing
- Fund Fee and Disclosure Reform

10:50 - 11:00am

#### **Break**

11:00 - 11:45am

# **Registered Fund Product Trends and Developments**

Moderator: Mark C. Amorosi, Practice Area Leader - K&L Gates

Speakers: Richard F. Kerr, Partner; Stacy L. Fuller, Partner; and Jacob M. Derr, Associate - K&L

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This session will include:

- ETFs
- Mutual Fund to ETF Conversions
- ETF Share Classes
- Digital Asset and Cryptocurrency Funds and ETFs
- Alternative Investment Fund Structures, Including Interval Funds and Tender Offer Funds
- Money Market Fund Developments

11:45am - 12:30pm

#### Regulatory Roundup - Rules Impacting Investment Advisers and Private Funds

Moderator: Lance C. Dial, Partner - K&L Gates

Speakers: Mark C. Amorosi, Practice Area Leader; Richard F. Kerr, Partner; and Keri E. Riemer, Of

Counsel - K&L Gates

This session will include:

- New Private Fund Adviser Rules and Form PF Amendments
- Marketing Rule
- Safeguarding Rule
- Outsourcing by Investment Advisers
- Advisers' Use of Al Technologies

#### 12:35 - 1:35pm

#### **Lunch - Trade Association Panel Discussion**

Moderator: Daniel F. C. Crowley, Partner - K&L Gates

Speakers: <u>Kenneth Bentsen Jr.</u>, President and CEO, Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association; <u>Walt Lukken</u>, President and CEO, Futures Industry Association; <u>Rick Redding</u>, CEO, Index Industry Association; <u>Wyatt Stewart</u>, Government Affairs Officer, Financial Services Policy, Investment Company Institute

This session will include:

A Discussion of the Regulatory Challenges Facing the Industry

#### 01:40 - 02:10pm

## Policy Presentation - Washington Update

Moderator: Karishma Shah Page, Partner - K&L Gates

Speakers: Ryan T. Carney, Partner and Jamie L. Jackson, Partner - K&L Gates

This session will include:

2024 Election: Legislative Priorities for the Asset Management Industry

## 2:10 - 2:20pm

#### **Break**

## 2:20 - 03:15pm

# **Enforcement and Examinations**

Moderator: Stephen G. Topetzes, Partner - K&L Gates

Speakers: Meghan E. Flinn, Partner; Cheryl L. Isaac, Partner; and Theodore L. Kornobis, Partner -

K&L Gates

This session will cover:

- SEC Sweep Examination Trends
- Fund and Adviser Enforcement and Litigation Developments
- Crypto Enforcement and Litigation
- Use of Section 9 Disqualifications Against Registered Fund Advisers and Principal Underwriters

# 03:15 - 3:20pm

# **Closing Remarks**