

Cosmetics Law Committee Mission

The purpose of the Cosmetics Law Committee is, in part, to keep the cosmetic and personal care industry and legal practitioners up to date and provide practical advice concerning issues that are of interest to the industry. Such issues involve the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's regulation of cosmetics and colors, including products such as makeup that are both cosmetics and drugs, as well as other personal care products that may be regulated by other FDA centers but are principally used for cosmetic reasons, such as certain hair removal and microdermabrasion devices. The Committee will interact with the Food and Drug Administration, the Consumer Protection Agency, the Federal Trade Commission, and state agencies as appropriate and consider relevant regulatory and legislative developments for comment or rulemaking initiation. The Committee will also follow the recent trends in on involving consumer class actions, labeling claims, among others.

The Committee will also seek to engage members in programming and activities to contribute to the development of sound laws, policies, and regulations concerning the cosmetic and personal care industry. These activities will provide members with opportunities to network with colleagues on the committee and with relevant external organizations and individuals.