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- Nuclear Energy
- Commercial transactions



Ruthanne Neely has over 25 years of experience in the nuclear power industry, primarily in the areas of nuclear industry strategic fuel consulting, corporate counsel matters, and legal transactional matters, such as multifaceted fuel purchasing contracts.

Ruthanne has consulted with key industry firms on front-end nuclear fuel contracts and fuel purchasing strategies. She has developed significant studies on international nuclear industry markets and on U.S. government nuclear energy policies that impact the industry. She supports a global client base with substantial international experience.

### Representative Experience

- Advisor to U.S. nuclear utility during a complex deal for purchasing enrichment services involving the U.S. Department of Energy, producers, and other U.S. government entities.
- Part of a due diligence team conducting legal review of all nuclear fuel contracts of an M&A target company on behalf of a buyer.
- Significant experience in reviewing, developing, and advising clients on negotiating complex nuclear fuel contracts, including, swaps, loans, and alternative fuels.
- Consultant/advisor to U.S. nuclear utilities in their adoption of the use of intricate uranium futures contracts as part of a comprehensive fuel purchasing strategy.
- Developed customized set of spot and term uranium sales and purchase agreements for a major industry uranium producer.
- Supported international client during an M&A process acquiring the equity interests in a U.S. business to prepare and submit U.S. government Foreign Ownership, Control and Influence applications and documents.
- General Counsel and enrichment consultant for over nine years for prominent nuclear fuel consulting firm.
- Director of marketing and strategic planning for a major industry enrichment services company.

#### **Education**

J.D., American University, Washington College of Law, magna cum laude, order of the coif, editor WCL Law Review

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M.B.A., New York University, Leonard N. Stern School of Business

B.A., Rutgers University, Douglass College

### **Bar Admissions**

District of Columbia Maryland

### Courts

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