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Aastha Kataky-Alvarez

ASSOCIATE

EXPERIENCE

Aastha counsels and defends product manufacturers, developers, property owners and other businesses in toxic tort and environmental litigation and regulatory matters. She is involved in all stages of litigation, including pre-suit case assessment, drafting motions, pleadings and briefs, conducting legal research, preparing for and participating in depositions, and assisting with trials and appeals. Drawing on her experience handling residential and commercial tax appeals, as well as land use and zoning matters, Aastha translates complex legal and regulatory requirements into practical, business-focused guidance that helps clients make informed decisions and achieve their objectives.

Prior to entering private practice, Aastha served as a Law Clerk to the Hon. Christine M. Nugent of the New Jersey Tax Court in Newark, where she assisted the court in resolving complex substantive and procedural tax matters and litigation, contributing to the legal analysis underlying the court's decisions.

PRACTICES

Toxic Tort

Environmental Law

BACKGROUND

ADMISSIONS

- New Jersey

EDUCATION

- Albany Law School of Union University, J.D., 2023
 - *Albany Law Journal of Science and Technology*, Associate Editor
 - Donna Jo Morse Client Counseling and Negotiations Mood Court Competition, Chair
 - Government Law Fellowship Program, Co-Chair
 - Asian Pacific American Law Student Association
 - John Dugan Prize for Tax Law, Tax Policy and Government Finance, Recipient
- Binghamton University, SUNY, B.A., 2018

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- New Jersey State Bar Association

LANGUAGES

- Hindi
- Urdu
- Bengali
- Assamese