

BIOGRAPHY

Mark E. Measer

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EXPERTISE

- Litigation Support
- Lead, co-ordinate, conduct complex white collar investigations
- Respond to, document and evaluate environmental incidents and events related to federal environmental statutes
- Maritime pollution laws and investigate incidents of maritime pollution
- Conduct corporate internal investigations
- Locate and interview witnesses and former employees
- Assist counsel in identifying relevant witnesses to depose
- Assist the litigation team with their responses to receipt of requests for information, subpoenas and executions of search warrants
- Evaluate regulatory inspection results
- Audit existing environmental compliance plans and environmental management systems
- Investigate toxic tort claims
- Train workers on environmental compliance issues
- Conflict resolution through mediation

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Mark E. Measer is a co-founder of the Burnside Environmental Group, LLC, a consulting firm consisting of former U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service enforcement officials.

Mr. Measer provides support to legal counsel and their clients with responsive, cost effective, and efficient pre-litigation assistance. Services include documenting scenes, identifying and locating relevant documents and witnesses, reviewing government actions and evidence, conducting corporate internal investigations and assisting the litigation team with their responses to receipt of requests for information, subpoenas and executions of search warrants.

Mr. Measer was a highly successful United States law enforcement officer with extensive domestic and international managerial, investigative and training experience in environmental crime, narcotics and foreign counter intelligence. Mr. Measer spent his professional career in

federal law enforcement, serving with the Environmental Protection Agency – Criminal Investigation Division (EPA-CID), INTERPOL General Secretariat, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

During his nineteen year career with EPA-CID he served as a Special Agent, Resident Agent in Charge, Assistant Special Agent in Charge, Special Agent in Charge and Associate Director. Mr. Measer successfully investigated complex environmental violations involving businesses, state agencies and maritime vessels. His duties with EPA-CID required an extensive knowledge of the Federal Criminal Codes, knowledge of Agency programs, mission and operations as well as an in-depth knowledge of, and ability to interpret all federal environmental statutes and regulations. Mr. Measer acquired an extensive experience with the criminal investigative process, and also the federal rules of evidence and procedures.

While serving with EPA-CID he was detailed to the INTERPOL General Secretariat in Lyon, France, where he headed INTERPOL's pollution crime program, having responsibility for coordinating international investigations, training and liaison. In that capacity he produced an INTERPOL guide to investigating illegal oil pollution from vessels; INTERPOL's first investigative guide.

Prior to joining the Environmental Protection Agency, Mr. Measer served for six years as a Special Agent with the DEA, where he conducted complex investigations resulting in the indictment and conviction of fifty significant traffickers involved in multi-state and international narcotic activity, performed numerous successful undercover and surveillance assignments and planned and led raids, seizures and arrests. During his years as a federal investigator, Mr. Measer wrote numerous criminal complaints and search warrants, presented information to the Federal Grand Jury, prepared cases for trial and testified at trial.

Mr. Measer has conducted corporate internal investigations, assisted counsel during meetings with government prosecutors, helped formulate response strategies and reviewed and assessed the government's investigation, evidence in matters throughout the United States. Mr. Measer is a certified mediator and sits on the Board of Directors for the Kitsap County Dispute Resolution Center.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Political Science

State University of New York at Oswego

CERTIFICATIONS

OSHA 40-hour HAZWOPER Certification

U. S. Government, Transportation Worker Identification Card (TWIC)