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Roberta K. Chevlowe provides advice to employers and boards of trustees of multiemployer benefit plans on a broad range of issues relating to their retirement, health and other employee benefit plans. With nearly three decades of experience practicing in this area, Roberta employs a practical, business minded approach to helping her clients comply with the various requirements imposed by ERISA, the Internal Revenue Code, COBRA, the Affordable Care Act and other federal and state laws affecting employee benefit programs. Roberta's practice also includes advising clients in connection with benefit claim appeals, lawsuits and government audits; drafting plan documents, policies and employee communications materials; and negotiating with plan service providers.

Roberta is best known for her work in the area of COBRA compliance and for advising employers in connection with the benefits they provide to employees' domestic partners and same-sex spouses. She is a co-author of *The COBRA Handbook* and lectures and publishes articles on a variety of employee benefits topics. In addition, Ms. Chevlowe is a member of Proskauer's Health Care Reform Task Force, and she led the Firm's Domestic Partner Benefits Task Force.

Practices

Employee Benefits & Executive Compensation

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Education

Brooklyn Law School, J.D., 1990

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Associate Managing Editor, *Brooklyn Journal of International Law*

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