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HUMAN RIGHTS LITIGATION AFTER *KIOBEL*

What will change and what will stay the same?

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TOPICS

- The Supreme Court may affirm the Second Circuit decision in *Kiobel v. Royal Dutch Petroleum* that corporations cannot be held liable under the Alien Tort Statute (ATS), and possibly also rule that the ATS cannot be applied extraterritorially.
- But the emerging consensus is that, even without the ATS, plaintiffs will find ways to prosecute their claims.
- Will they turn to foreign or international tribunals?
- Will they find a vehicle for their claims in state or federal court?
- How will the changed landscape affect ethical issues that confront human rights attorneys?

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