

## Overview

Opportunities abound to increase the use of biomass to generate energy and produce other products, replacing energy from nonrenewable sources. Renewable organic matter from forests, wood waste, crops, manure, agricultural activities, and industrial and municipal waste can be used to produce heat and electricity, biofuels and various other products.

With the continuing global focus on addressing climate change and greenhouse gases and in enhancing available energy resources, increasingly there are international, national and local initiatives to find more and better ways to use biomass resources to create energy. At the same time, energy efficiency, waste management, and resource recovery and optimization techniques are being examined and implemented in new projects and initiatives.

At Dentons, we have a team of experienced, innovative lawyers across the globe ready to assist you with your biomass projects. Whether your need involves development, permitting, investing, financing, commercial transactions or legal and regulatory matters, we guide you through the intricacies of this ever-changing and growing industry. Let us help you maximize the opportunities and mitigate the risks in your biomass industry activities.