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## DENVER PARTNER CHANTELL TAYLOR APPOINTED TO COLORADO SECRETARY OF STATE'S WORKING GROUP ON LOBBYING

**DENVER (August 30, 2019)** – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Denver partner <u>Chantell Taylor</u> was recently appointed to Colorado Secretary of State Jena Griswold's Working Group on Lobbying. The advisory group is comprised of interested stakeholders who exchange ideas and make recommendations regarding upgrades to the electronic lobbyist filing system and lobbyist transparency regulations.

The Lobbyist Transparency Act, passed by the Colorado Legislature in 2019, requires the Colorado Secretary of State to assemble a Working Group on Lobbying made up of representatives of organizations that advocate for government transparency.



Chantell L. Taylor

"Over the course of my career I have worked as a lobbyist, and retained and tracked lobbyists, so I understand firsthand how important it is to have a system that is both transparent and efficient to navigate," said Taylor. "I look forward to collaborating with the Secretary of State, her staff and other stakeholders to make recommendations designed to achieve those goals."

Taylor focuses her legal practice in regulatory and government affairs with an emphasis on public policy, election law, ethics and government regulations at local, state and federal levels. She advises candidates, consultants, lobbyists, political action committees, municipalities and corporations across various industries, trade associations and other tax-exempt organizations. Taylor has a particular industry focus on energy and cannabis.

In addition to her legal career, Taylor is active in the Denver community. She is the founding president of Women's Energy Network of Colorado and currently sits on the board of the Colorado Women's Chamber of Commerce and Opera Colorado.

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