

## Caroline Cease

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**Areas of Focus**

Government Controversies  
and Public Policy Litigation

Technology

AI Task Force

State Attorneys General

Critical and Emerging  
Technologies



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### Overview

**Caroline Cease advises clients navigating complex, high-stakes matters at the intersection of law, policy, and business strategy—particularly in the technology sector. She ensures legal approaches align with commercial realities and long-term objectives.**

Caroline's practice focuses on three core areas:

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- Defending clients in sensitive federal and state investigations, with a particular emphasis on matters brought by State Attorneys General.
- Conducting high-stakes vetting for senior executive and board appointments, identifying potential sensitivities and conflicts of interest.
- Advising on AI compliance as companies navigate evolving regulatory frameworks.

Her broader technology practice encompasses Section 230 and First Amendment issues, where platform liability and content moderation questions demand both legal precision and policy awareness.

Caroline is also deeply committed to civil rights and criminal defense work, with particular focus on qualified immunity and constitutional limits on government power.

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## **Credentials**

### **Admissions**

- District of Columbia, 2020
- Alabama, 2016

### **Education**

- University of Alabama School of Law, JD, *summa cum laude*; Order of the Coif; Hugo L. Black Scholar Award, 2015
- University of South Carolina, BA, *magna cum laude*, 2012

### **Clerkships**

- Hon. Peter W. Hall, US Court of Appeals, Second Circuit, 2017-2018
- Hon. Ed Carnes, US Court of Appeals, Eleventh Circuit, 2016-2017
- Hon. L. Scott Coogler, US District Court, Northern District of Alabama, 2015-2016

## **Service / Recognition**

### **Awards**

- *Best Lawyers in America*, Ones to Watch, Appellate Practice, 2024, 2026
- Capital Pro Bono Honor Roll, 2024-2025; High Honor Roll, 2022