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Jenner & Block Partner Rachel K. Alpert and Associate Grace C. Signorelli-Cassady discuss the Uyghur Forced Labor Prevention Act in a recent *Law360* article. In the piece, they explain the presumption prohibiting entry of all items from Xinjiang and what companies can expect from the US strategy to prevent items produced using forced labor in China from being imported.

They also detail steps companies can take to prepare for the enactment of the Uyghur Forced Labor Prevention Act:

- Check suppliers for Xinjiang forced-labor warning signs.
- Comply with U.S. sanctions, export controls, and CBP and Labor Department guidance.
- Document the origin and method of production at each step in the supply chain.
- Institute explicit policies against forced labor and track implementation.
- Conduct comprehensive external audits — but know their limits.

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