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## Editor's Introduction

Welcome to ONE-J, Oklahoma College of Law's Oil, Natural Resources, and Energy Journal. This edition is a bit unconventional due to the global impact of Covid-19. Many of the articles that we initially hoped would be completed were unable to be finished due to the concerns and uncertainty that this pandemic has created. Despite these adverse circumstances, ONE-J is proud to present two articles, one by Laura Napoli Coordes, and the other co-authored by Eduardo Guedes Pereira, Cătălin-Gabriel Stănescu, Wan Mohd Zulhafiz, Felipe Rodrigues Caldas Feres, Waniss Almashri Otman, Yanal Abul Failat, and Aaron Koenck.

Because this is my first edition to publish as the journal's Editor-In-Chief, I would like to thank everyone who contributed to this edition by offering support and encouragement in a time of change and adversity for the journal. It has been a difficult process; however, I would like to thank Veronica Threadgill and Jamie Crandal for their time, patience, and help with the transition of new members into their newly-elected positions. Moreover, I would like to thank Mr. Michael Waters for always being ready to answer questions and to help with the production of this journal. Without these people, this edition would not have been possible.

Finally, I would like to thank the reader for taking the time to incorporate our journal into any research project, study, or academic endeavor that you are choosing to embark upon. Our goal is to provide the best, most accurate and helpful articles in the fields of Oil and Gas, Energy, and Natural Resource law that are available to promote a greater understanding for these fields. All of these areas have become increasingly more important due to the global pandemic, and any research into these fields to promote progress, growth, and development will surely help our country to bounce back economically through jobs and other employment opportunities.

ONE-J is very proud to present these articles to you, and we hope that you enjoy them. As the new Editor-In-Chief of ONE-J, it is a bit surreal to take the reins of this journal in the midst of a global crisis. However, I hope that the reader will understand why this edition is a bit shorter and unconventional. It is my goal to make this journal the best it can be. I am confident that the quality of the articles written by Prof. Coordes and Mr. Pereira et al. reflect our commitment to the study of law in the areas ONE-J covers.

Thank you,  
Jake Ware  
Editor-in-Chief

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