



Partner Channing Martin Discusses ExxonMobil Verdict in Wall Street Journal

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Channing J. Martin, Chair of the Petroleum Refining and Marketing Group, was quoted in the *Wall Street Journal* in an article about a \$1.5 billion verdict against ExxonMobil. A Maryland jury made the award to plaintiffs who claimed a variety of injuries stemming from a leak of more than 26,000 gallons of gasoline from an underground storage tank. Saying he was surprised by the size of the verdict, Martin said, "This is not a situation where you have illnesses reported throughout the community. The release was detected 37 days after it happened."

Read the full article [here](#).

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