

Ken Yeadon Discusses the Impact of the SCOTUS Escobar Ruling, Two Years On

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Hinshaw partner Ken Yeadon—former Assistant U.S. Attorney and a former U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) enforcement attorney—spoke with *Law360* about the impact of the SCOTUS decision in *Universal Health Services v. Escobar* on the False Claims Act (FCA) in an article titled “Attys Reflect on Escobar’s FCA Impact 2 Years Later.” The article features attorney analysis regarding the impact of the *Escobar* decision.

Yeadon said that, “One of the benefits of *Escobar* for defendants is the emphasis, yet again, that the FCA requires a false claim. Plaintiffs will not satisfy the requirement of a ‘false claim’ by arguing that a claim that is not false on its face is nonetheless still false because the claim misrepresents whether the defendant was legally entitled to a Medicare payment.”

Read “[Attys Reflect on Escobar’s FCA Impact 2 Years Later](#),” on the *Law360* website (*subscription may be required*)

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