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Future-Proofing Production Facilities

When disaster strikes, preparedness can mean the difference between recovery and long-term liability. In *Future-Proofing Production Facilities*, Frost Brown Todd attorneys [Steve Crawford](#) and [Kyle Johnson](#) highlight the urgency of industrial crisis response, guiding manufacturers through planning for the unthinkable—explosions, fires, and chemical releases.

Crawford and Johnson walk through each phase of crisis management, from initial response to regulatory investigation. They emphasize the factors that separate a rapid recovery from prolonged consequences: strong safety protocols, comprehensive employee training, and thorough documentation.

Speakers explain Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) inspection procedures, Chemical Safety Board investigations, and root cause analyses, all within the broader context of protecting legal privilege and safeguarding the firm's reputation. Their key message is clear: effective crisis management begins long before a crisis occurs.

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