



Spotlight On Justice



ASBESTOS LITIGATION DOES NOT COST JOBS



The asbestos industry engaged in a 50-year conspiracy to cover-up the link between asbestos and disease, causing millions of deaths. Some equate their actions to mass murder.

Congress responded by giving the asbestos industry special legal protections.

In 1994, Congress passed a special bankruptcy law, allowing companies to set up trusts to compensate victims and families. This allowed companies to stay healthy and profitable while preserving jobs and pensions.

For more, see FAQ: Asbestos, the Awful Truth, <https://centerjd.org/content/faq-asbestos-%E2%80%93-awful-truth>

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