

Representative Legal Matters

Mike van Rensburg

- Advised Xstrata South Africa (Pty) Ltd in relation to its acquisition of Eland Platinum Holdings Limited and subsequent restructuring of the business and assets of Eland Platinum (Pty) Ltd into an unincorporated joint venture with Xstrata.
- Advised ArcelorMittal South Africa Limited in relation to its 26% Black Economic Empowerment transaction with the Ayigobi BEE Consortium (aborted).
- Advised ArcelorMittal South Africa on its ZAR 800 m acquisition of 100% of the issued share capital of Imperial Crown Trading 289 Limited.
- Advised Glencore Operations South Africa (formerly Xstrata South Africa) on its sale to JSE listed Wescoal Holdings Limited, of certain coal mining assets and associated land.
- Acted for Viettel Global Investments JSC in relation to its acquisition from Bitmap Pte. Ltd. of a 65% interest in Epoch and Golden Ocean (Tanzania) Limited, a mobile operator in Tanzania.
- Acted as South African counsel to Diageo plc in its acquisition from Pestello Investments Inc, of United National Breweries, a South African sorghum beer manufacturer and distributor.
- Advised Diageo plc on its acquisition of 100% of the quotas in Lusomoc Limitada in Mozambique.
- Represented Equinix Inc. in its proposed acquisition of Teraco Data Environments.
- Advised Daily Mail Group Events International on all aspects of its acquisition of 100% of the shares in Exhibition Management Services (Pty) Ltd.
- Advised China Investment Corporation on the c ZAR 8 billion merger between Shanduka Group (Pty) Ltd and Pembani Group (Pty) Ltd.
- Advised China Investment Corporation on its c. ZAR 400 million divestment from Shaduka Gold.
- Represented Hewlett Packard in its disposal of real estate property in Cape Town housing a dormant ink manufacturing and warehousing facility, including advising on legacy water contamination issues.
- Advised Caterpillar Inc. on all aspects of its parts warehouse and distribution facility development project in South Africa.
- Acted for CBRE Ltd on its acquisition of a 70% interest in Johnson Controls Facilities Management.
- Advised Nokia Solutions and Networks South Africa on all aspects of its 30.1% Black Economic Empowerment transaction with Sekunjalo Investment Holdings.