



Justin Minnaar

Associate - Corporate/Mergers & Acquisitions

Qualifications: LLB - University of Cape Town

JUSTIN is an Associate in MBA's corporate and commercial department with 3 years post qualification experience. Justin's expertise includes drafting and negotiating key agreements, conducting due diligence investigations, implementing group restructures, preparing legal opinions, advising on exchange control issues, and ensuring businesses' compliance with various regulatory requirements.

Professional Journey:

Justin served his articles at an international law firm in Sandton and was later promoted to Associate in 2020. He held that position until September 2023, specializing in inbound and outbound mergers and acquisitions, corporate governance advisory, conducting due diligence investigations, corporate reorganizations and general corporate and commercial law.

Areas of Interest and Expertise:

- Mergers and Acquisitions
- Corporate Governance
- Due Diligence Investigations
- Corporate Reorganizations

Experience Highlights:

- Assisted the Google South African entities with ongoing company secretarial and corporate maintenance matters, as well as various commercial transactions.
- Assisted the Mercedes-Benz Group with the sale of five of its businesses in the Gauteng-North area to Motus Group Limited.
- Advised Kantar, a multinational data analytics and brand consulting company, on the carveout of its businesses in Ghana, Nigeria and Singapore.
- Acted for Adidas in the expansion of its global e-commerce business into several African countries where it currently has no legal or operational presence.
- Acted for Aveng Africa (Pty) Ltd in its disposal of several of its non-core businesses.

- Assisted Bidvest Protea Coin (Pty) Ltd with an empowerment transaction in the mining security sector, through the introduction of a broad-based black economic empowerment partner(s), including the submission thereof for registration as a “Major B-BBEE Transaction” with the B-BBEE Commission.
- Acted for Impala Platinum Holdings Limited in its significant investment into the AP Ventures Fund II, a hydrogen focused venture capital investment fund operating out of the United Kingdom.
- Advised Impala Platinum Holdings Limited in their acquisition of a significant stake in Royal Bafokeng Platinum Limited, a South African based mid-tier platinum group metals producer.

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