

Yusuf Omar

Associate



Yusuf Omar is an Associate in our Corporate & Commercial practice. Yusuf assists the team with mergers and acquisitions, renewable energy transactions, drafting and reviewing commercial agreements and due diligence investigations.

About Yusuf

Yusuf joined Cliffe Dekker Hofmeyr as a Candidate Attorney in 2021 and was appointed as an Associate in 2023.

Credentials

Education

- LLB, University of South Africa

Experience

- Transactional work

Yusuf has experience in renewable energy transactional work, such as drafting transaction documents, conducting legal due diligence investigations, drafting due diligence reports and assisting with company secretarial work, including the drafting of resolutions and other company constitutional documents.

News

[Can the enforcement of an international arbitral award be stayed pending the finalisation of a separate action instituted in court?](#)

The High Court in *Industrius D.O.O v IDS Industry Service and Plant Construction South Africa (Pty) Ltd JOL 51033 (GJ)* recently dealt with this issue.

[Exemption clauses and liability for damages](#)

Pens are mightier than swords! None more so than the one used to draft exemption clauses, aka "disclaimer clauses". An exemption clause is a contractual modification to the common law rule as to risk; a "shield" if you will, absolving one party, either wholly or partially from an obligation or liability which would or could arise at common law under a contract. Our courts have also demonstrated a willingness to give effect to exemption clauses.

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Expertise

[Corporate & Commercial Law](#)

Location

Johannesburg

Language

English

[POPIA and the disclosure of an employee's vaccination status](#)

The Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 (POPIA) provides for the protection of personal information processed by public and private bodies. Whilst POPIA defines personal information, it also creates another category termed 'special personal information'.

[Extended COVID-19 TERS relief](#)

After much anticipation, the Minister of Labour and Employment has now gazetted Directions on the extension of the COVID-19 TERS benefits. Whilst dated 26 February 2021, the Directions were gazetted on 3 March 2021.

[Extended COVID-19 TERS benefits and tool kit for a TERS audit](#)

Since the President's announcement at the State of the Nation Address, that the COVID-19 TERS would be extended until 5 March 2021, the social partners at NEDLAC have been working to finalise the details and importantly, the sectors which will receive the extended benefits. The Unemployment Insurance Fund (UIF) has recently, released a statement with further details of the extension.

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