



Representative Legal Matters

Michelle Porter-Wright

- Represented a South African Independent Power Producer (IPP) on a ZAR 500 million claim against a power utility. *
- Represented a South African EPC contractor on a ZAR 350 million final accounting dispute with its joint venture partner, relating to the construction of a mining processing plant in South Africa. *
- Represented a listed Saudi Arabian development company on infrastructure regulatory frameworks. *
- Represented an EPC contractor on a USD 450 million dispute with a supplier of equipment and plant on a distressed power plant project in South Asia. *
- Represented a listed South African contractor on various disputes, including an international arbitration, arising from the turnkey construction of a power plant in Ghana. *
- Represented an international industrial and turnkey contractor on various substantial adjudication and arbitration claims arising from its work in designing, manufacturing, erecting and commissioning certain mechanical and ancillary works at a South African power station. *
- Represented an international EPC contractor in relation to various disputes and an arbitration arising from its construction of a copper mine in Zambia. *
- Represented a sub-Saharan African sovereign in a series of hospital PPP disputes valued at USD 150-250 million against its South African-based operator. *
- Represented a South African EPC contractor as claimant in a USD 60 million arbitration against its international design partner arising from a Ghanaian combined cycle power plant project. *
- Represented a Japanese oil major in a USD 80 million ICC arbitration seated in Singapore against its EPC contractor following a distressed LNG construction project off the coast of Australia. *
- Represented a listed South African EPC contractor on a ZAR 1.7 billion dispute in an ICC arbitration before a three-member London-seated tribunal. *
- Represented a listed South African mining company on a series of disputes arising from the expansion of its Zimbabwean platinum mining operations, including several multijurisdictional arbitrations. *
- Represented a listed South African shaft sinking contractor in a substantial South African-seated arbitration against a Chinese mine owner in respect of a mining expansion project. *

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- Represented a listed South African building contractor in arbitration proceedings related to the Cape Town International Convention Centre (CTICC) construction project. *
- Represented a major contract miner in substantial arbitration proceedings against a large South African petrochemical company relating to the construction and expansion of its flagship coal mine. *
- Represented an international mechanical contractor in major DAB proceedings against South Africa's power utility concerning FIDIC Yellow Book contracts for boiler works at two air-cooled coal-fired power stations, with claims valued at USD 220-250 million. *
- Represented a joint venture contractor in nine concurrent DAB proceedings against a South African power utility relating to civil works at a mega coal-fired power station project. *
- Represented a mine owner in significant disputes against a South African mining contractor relating to delayed underground developments at a Botswana copper project. *
- Represented a major mining house in significant disputes against its EPC contractor and IPP relating to two adjacent solar wheeling projects. *

** Experience obtained prior to joining Baker McKenzie*