

## Samantha Horsfield

Associate

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### Biography

Samantha Horsfield focuses on mining law with special emphasis on health and safety in the mining sector. She has assisted in various investigations and inquiries conducted in terms of health and safety legislation.

In addition, Samantha assists mining companies in respect of compliance with environmental laws, the Mine Health and Safety Act and the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, in particular relating to the jurisdiction of the Department of Mineral Resources over mining areas to enforce environmental compliance.

### Representative experience

Assisting mining companies in respect of employment issues related to the mining industry and in particular relating to health and safety breaches and discipline.

Drafting applications in terms of section 79 of the Mine Health and Safety Act to seek exemption from the provisions of the Act.

Assisting mining companies to review and appeal stoppage orders issued by the Department of Mineral Resources under the Mine Health and Safety Act.

Assisting with and drafting appeals in terms of section 96 of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act.



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### Languages

English

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### Practices

Infrastructure, Energy, Resources,  
and Projects

Litigation Services

Employment

Corporate and Shareholder  
Litigation

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### Industries

Energy and Natural Resources

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## Latest thinking and events

- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - Guidelines issued by the Chief Inspector of Mines for the compilation of a mandatory Code of Practice on mitigation and management of the COVID-19 outbreak
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - COVID-19 - NUMSA v SAA – The death knell to successful business rescue?
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - COVID-19 SA – AMCU Judgment and the effect on all mines
- News
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  - What "Alert Level 4" means for mining operations
- Hogan Lovells Publications
  - South Africa | A reprieve for the Mining Industry - mining operations may start to operate at 50% capacity, subject to strict conditions

## Areas of focus

Mining and Resources: Mining

IERP Dispute Resolution

Environmental Litigation

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## Education and admissions

### Education

LL.B., University of Pretoria, (cum laude), 2014

BCom (Law), University of Pretoria, 2012

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### Memberships

Golden Key International Honours Society

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### Court admissions

South Africa

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