

SOUL MEMBER COMMITMENT AND PROFILE



Company Name or Individual	Deneys Reitz Attorneys
Contact Person & Designation	Bridget King, Associate (Banking and Finance)
Company Description	Attorneys
Partner Network	<p>Bridget has acted for borrowers and lenders with regards to drafting and advising on various credit facilities; a R500 million Revolving Credit Facility on behalf of Citibank N.A. South Africa Branch; a R1.6 billion Dual Tranche Facility for Anglo Platinum Limited and a R700 million Loan and Overnight Facility for Anglo Platinum Limited.</p> <p>Her clients include major financial institutions (including foreign banks and institutions) who require assistance with establishing a presence in South Africa, obtaining Financial Services Board registration or Banks Act registration.</p>
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Experience	<p>Before joining Deneys Reitz as a Candidate Attorney in 2004, Bridget King worked in Retail Foreign Exchange at Investec Bank Limited. Bridget was appointed as an Associate in January 2006. She obtained a BCom Law degree (ranked first) in 2001 and an LLB (Cum Laude) (ranked in the top three) in 2003. Bridget has been working in the highly regarded Banking and Finance division since July 2005. She completed her Registered Persons Exams (Equities) in 2007. Last year Bridget worked for 6 months in the Sydney office of Mallesons Stephen Jacques in their banking and finance department.</p> <p>Bridget's areas of practice include financial markets regulation, banking and banking regulation, the regulation of stock exchanges, exchange control, derivatives and finance.</p> <p>Bridget advises ISDA Inc, HSBC Limited, Citibank and JPMorgan in respect of the enforceability of collateral arrangements under the ISDA Master Agreement and the Collateral Security Documents in terms of South African law. She also provides advice to the Bond Market Association and the International Capital Markets Association and other institutions on the enforceability of the GMRA and GMSLA Master Agreements. Bridget assists corporate and banking clients with the negotiation and execution of ISDA Master Agreements, Schedules and Credit Support Documents</p> <p>Bridget regularly advises local and international private equity funds on the regulatory, Collective Investment Schemes Control Act and Financial Advisory and Intermediary Services Act implications of doing business in South Africa.</p> <p>Bridget has worked extensively with the National Credit Act, and was involved in redrafting the retail banking agreements for Standard Bank and First National Bank.</p> <p>Bridget assisted Barclays Bank Plc with the sale of their South African business to Absa Bank Limited (R578 million) as part of Barclays' acquisition of a controlling interest in Absa Bank Limited.</p> <p>Bridget advises Barclays Bank Plc with regard to their local Representative Offices and subsidiaries in South Africa.</p> <p>Bridget acted for the consortium of international and local clients who won the tender to design and build the new electronic toll road for the Gauteng Freeway Improvement Project for SANRAL, and she drafted and advised on the Joint Venture and Co-Operations Agreements, the FIDIC Conditions of Contract, the Subcontracts and Interface Agreements and other ancillary matters.</p> <p>Whilst in Australia, Bridget assisted Deutsche Bank Australia in connection with two large facilities for Babcock and Brown and assisted in drafting the Facility Agreements, Prime Brokerage Agreements, ISDA Schedules and Master Netting Agreements.</p> <p>Bridget assisted ASX (Australian Securities Exchange) with the indemnity agreement for services provided by ASX Operations Limited.</p> <p>Bridget has presented numerous seminars and workshops on the 2008 Companies Act for various banks and other clients, and has written articles on Basel II, the National Credit Act and the Consumer Protection Act.</p> <p>Bridget holds a B Com (Law) degree and LLB (Cum Laude) and RPE (Equities).</p>
Commitment Description	Legal services provided to the Soul Foundation on a pro bono basis since 2006.