

## Robert Botha

**Professions:** 

Legal

## Experience:

Articled Clerk -

Weavind & Weavind Attorneys

| Director, Litigation Dept.                                                                                               | 1992 -                |
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| at Dykes Daly Attorneys                                                                                                  | 1994                  |
| Professional Assistant: Litigation & Commercial (Head of Company Law Department Weavind & Weavind Attorneys              | 1995 <b>-</b><br>1997 |
| Legal Manager - Deloitte Legal Delivered Legal services to large corporate clients across a wide range of industries and | 1998 <b>-</b><br>2001 |

Head: Corporate Commercial Law Division

focused largely on Labour / Employment law and

Anglo Platinum

related disciplines.

Managed the Legal organization for Anglo Platinum promoted from Senior Legal Manager — ensuring the best legal services for the Group. Served on various HR, Business Strategy, Wage & Bargaining Council committees & task teams;

Note: during the period successfully managed several major strikes; was involved in disciplinary enquiries of senior officials; and was a pivotal in several BEE transactions.

Head of Legal Kumba Iron Ore Headed Kumba's Legal Department Managing all associated strategy, planning, and resources. Played the lead in assembling legal teams in the defence of company interests and in ensuring Kumba was compliant with relevant legislation; and in providing the Board, Exco and management with astute legal advisory services. Note: in 2012 Kumba Legal merged with Anglo American's Group Legal.

Deputy Head of Legal, SA Anglo American plc Group Legal Department Manage Anglo American's in-house legal operations — along with the Head of Legal and the Executive Committee — acting to defend legal rights and advance the interests of the corporation, its employees, shareholders, and other stakeholders; Legal Accountabilities: Legal Risk Management; Governance; Strategic Support; Compliance Support; Management of Law Firms; Provision of Legal Advisory Services; Management of Legal Costs; Knowledge Sharing; Securing of Rights; Management Accountabilities: Department Strategy, Planning, General Management, Talent Management, People Development, Professional Development, Tracking Achievement of Milestones, Business Targets; Constitutional Court Case: Appointed to spearhead the team that successfully defended the case to protect 22% of the Company's mining right and allocation thereof to a 3rd party; This was the biggest commercial mining law case in SA history, it spanned 5 years and played out in the High Court and then Constitutional Court; Successful Arbitration in West Africa: Part of the team in an international

arbitration. The successful outcome resulted in a claw back of several billion Rand for the company; Managed a complex multi-disciplinary team comprising corporate finance, communication, government relations, merchant banks and geological experts; Headed the Legal Negotiations Team in the retrenchment of 14, 000 employees at Anglo Platinum. Negotiated with several union leaderships and Government. Results included7 000 jobs being saved with no forced retrenchments necessary; Managed 'Military Style' Strike & 'Highjack' of R1bn in Equipment: Managed a strike at Sishen Mine and defended the company's legal position in the Labour Court. Employees had 'highjacked' RI billion in heavy machinery & vehicles - military style - resulting in temporary closure of the mine. The matter was successfully navigated and

Business Development and Client Relationship Consultant Hogan Lovells SA

quickly resolved through negotiations, strategic thinking,

Primarily responsible for managing client relationships; 2015 -Developed LPO and LPM service delivery models; 2017

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Director - Inmiso Consulting (Pty) Ltd Managing strategy and day to day operations of the company; Legal Project Manager on relocation project for Kumba Iron Ore Limited; Developing legal service delivery models for clients; Integrating legal project management and legal process outsourcing models in delivering legal

2017 -

present -

## Affiliation/Rank

services.

and legal processes.

Admitted Attorney of the High Court of South Africa

## Qualifications

1991 University of Pretoria B.Com (Law)

1994 University of Pretoria B.Proc

1999 University of Johannesburg

Advanced Diploma in Labour Law

2007 Stellenbosch University Management Development Programme

2008 -2012

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2012 -2015