

DISPUTE RESOLUTION CASES

Project Client: Construction & Civil Engineering Senior Staff Association

Project Description: The Firm is currently engaged by the Construction & Civil Engineering Senior Staff Association to represent it before the Industrial Arbitration Panel on two separate matters for Implementation of a Memorandum of Agreement between the Client and Stabilini Vissioni Limited.

Project Client: Cummins Power Generation Nigeria Limited

Project Description: Cummins Power Generation Nigeria Limited is co-shareholder in two JV electricity generating companies. Over the past year, the Client has been involved in a series of disputes with its JV partners arising from and related to the composition of the board of directors of the JV Company, interpretation and enforcement of the articles of association of the JV Company and a proposed shareholder buyout. These disputes and unresolved negotiations have led to the Client's JV partner instituting several legal actions in various courts across Nigeria. The firm is legal counsel to the Client in all these legal actions.

Project Client: Tower Power Utility Limited

Project Client: Members of the Dispute Resolution team are presently advising and representing Tower Power Utility Limited, an Independent Power Producer, in a suit instituted on behalf of the Client against a first tier commercial bank in respect of the bank's unlawful attempt to call in a loan facility of \$2,500,000,000 earlier granted to the Client. We are, in this claim, requesting for an order of the court declaring that no material adverse change has occurred under the loan agreements that warrants the Bank's attempt to take over the assets of the Client. The firm is also advising and representing the Client in respect of a legal suit instituted against the Client's bankers for its refusal and/or failure to change the signatories mandate on the Client's Disbursement Accounts 1 & 2 and its Operations Account despite repeated demands by the Client.

Project Client: Zenith Bank PLC

Project Description: The firm is advising and representing Zenith Bank PLC in an appeal matter currently at the Court of Appeal Lagos arising from a garnishee proceedings wherein the court of first instance, the High Court of Lagos State, wrongfully ordered the Bank to pay sums in excess of N30,000,000.00 to a Judgment Creditor in satisfaction of a judgment debt when there was clear evidence that the judgment debtors did not have that amount in their accounts with the Bank. On behalf of the Client, the Firm has secured an order for stay of execution from the lower court and has now filed and entered an appeal against the judgment at the appellate court.

Project Client: Espro Asphalt Production Company Limited

Project Description: The Claimants alleges that Espro Asphalt Production Company Limited, our client, and one other are in breach of a Technical Services Agreement entered into by the parties and under which the Claimant leased its quarrying licence to our Client in exchange for annual rent. We are contesting the jurisdiction of the court to adjudicate over the dispute.

Project Client: MTN Communications Nigeria Limited

Project Description: We are representing MTN Communications Nigeria Limited ("MTN") in an ongoing suit filed against by a Claimant who alleges that his accounts, maintained with one of the new generation banks, was fraudulently debited without his consent. We have raised an objection to question the jurisdiction of the court to adjudicate over the matter as it pertains to MTN.

Project Client: Law Union & Rock Insurance Plc.

Project Description: We are currently providing legal representations to the Client in respect of several disputes arising out of the Client's vast real estate portfolios.

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