

Litigation Support

Litigation support services caters towards lawyers and law firms involved in legal cases or procedures on behalf of African clients or against entities on the continent. Some typical avenues of such support include:

- **Researching facts and claims:** In legal cases and situations, claims have to be examined in detail in order to know what the real facts are and what is untrue. Investigative expertise can help uncover the facts behind claims and equally uncover new ones which are bound to assist with whatever legal approach is being employed.
- **Asset tracing and searches:** For certain financial judgements to have any value, there must be something to hold on to. In an increasingly connected global landscape, a wine farm may be hidden in South Africa, a mining concession in Liberia or a hotel in Kenya. We help our legal clients confirm who owns what not just for financial cases but also in other circumstances where such information might be required.
- **Sourcing and vetting of expert witnesses:** When witnesses are required in court, you need to ensure that they are not associated with any contentious issues that may throw your case out the door. Also important is finding the right expert witnesses to explain the circumstances of a case in a relatable manner to the local audience.
- **Interfacing with local authorities:** When operating locally it is essential to interface with local legal and law enforcement authorities in order to ensure compliance with local legislation and regulations as well any other issues that might impede a client's activities.
- **Legal strategy advisory:** What works in New York or London might not necessarily work in Lagos or Nairobi. Strategy advisory in legal circumstances involves looking at the approach of our legal clients and counselling them on the best possible approach to deal with a situation from a local perspective.

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