

Kenneth Fraser SC

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Overview

Kenneth Fraser SC is a Partner and the Head of Litigation department in Dentons Hamilton Harrison & Mathews. He specialises in commercial litigation, in particular banking and insurance in the High Court, Court of Appeal and Supreme Court.

He was appointed Senior Counsel on 11th December 2012.

Experience

- Mr. Fraser has been lead counsel in several landmark cases

Recognition

- *Chambers and Partners* 2018: 'Peers agree that Ken Fraser SC is "without doubt a top-tier lawyer." He remains a prominent expert in disputes relating to tax, debt recovery and receiverships, and acts for a number of leading banks. He also represents several energy companies and public utilities in significant litigation matters and constitutional petitions, and is noted by sources for his meticulous approach.'
- *Legal 500* 2018: 'The seasoned Kenneth Fraser SC has a great reputation.'

Honors and Awards

- Senior Counsel, 2012

In the Media

- Bankers challenge new tax on transactions

Insights

- Chapter on Law and Practice in Kenya in *Chambers Global Practice Guide on Litigation*, 2017 and 2019

Activities and Affiliations

- Member, Bar – Bench Committee of the Court of Appeal
- Member, Bar – Bench Committee of the Commercial Division of High Court

Presentations

- Training on Case Management, September 29, 2016 and November 27, 2019

Memberships

- Member, Law Society of Kenya, 1970
- Member, Institute of Certified Public Secretaries
- Member, London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA)
- Member, American Bar Association

Prior and Present Employment

- Head of Litigation, Dentons Hamilton, Harrison & Mathews (formerly Hamilton, Harrison & Mathews), 1985–present
- Senior Partner, Hamilton, Harrison & Mathews, 2002–2017
- Partner, Hamilton, Harrison & Mathews, 1980
- Advocate, Hamilton, Harrison & Mathews, 1970

Areas of focus

Practices

- Arbitration
- Banking and Finance
- Competition, Antitrust and Consumer Protection
- Litigation and Dispute Resolution
- Employment, Employee Benefits and Immigration
- Regulatory Advice and Compliance

Industry sectors

- Aviation
- Insurance

Region

- Africa

Education

- Prince of Wales School in Nairobi, 1966

Admissions and qualifications

- Barrister, Inner Temple, 1969
- Advocate, High Court of Kenya, 1970