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FIRM OVERVIEW



Established in 1989, Messrs. **Cheah Teh Su** is a leading Malaysian law firm offering dispute resolution, commercial and corporate services across a wide range of sectors. Our firm is led by **Teh Meng Teck** and **S. Sivaneindiren**, supported by 14 committed and dedicated partners.

We are reputed for our strength in advocacy, having established a track record of precedent-setting cases and securing successful outcomes involving highly complex disputes, or novel points of law. We are also known for our capital markets expertise as well as our deal-making capabilities in corporate and commercial transactions.

Our firm serves a diverse client base — from ultra-high-net-worth individuals, multinational corporations and financial institutions to public and private-listed companies, SMEs, emerging enterprises and private individuals. Our clientele extends across Southeast Asia and beyond, supported by strong collaborations with foreign advisers to ensure seamless cross-border legal services.

Our longstanding clients look to us as trusted partners to help them navigate the legal challenges they face in the ever-changing economic and global environment.

OUR COMMITMENT

We always go the extra mile, because your interests deserve more than the standard approach.

OUR PARTNERS

Teh Meng Teck

Managing Partner

S. Sivaneindiren

Deputy Managing Partner

Pang Kong Leng

Teh Eng Lay

Peter Justin Skelchy

Nasema Jalaludheen

Puteri Shehnaz Majid

Dianne Ng Shea Li

Ho Yu Jing

Joycelyn Teoh Hooi Cheng

Chok Zhin Theng

Henry Tan Hup Yiak

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Wong Sze Si

Sasha Ravindran

Chong Yeong Yoong

FIRM OVERVIEW

Dispute Resolution

We serve as trusted counsel for a robust portfolio of public-listed and multinational corporations in high-stakes, multi-jurisdictional disputes across all tiers of the superior courts in Malaysia. Our experience includes high-value corporate litigation and shareholders' disputes, commercial and contractual disputes, contentious probate matters, construction law, employment law and industrial relations matters and land acquisition matters.

Our cross-border expertise spans the British Virgin Islands, Singapore, Australia and New Zealand, supported by close collaboration with international and East Malaysian partners.

Corporate & Commercial

We handle the full range of corporate matters — public and private M&A, joint ventures, restructurings and private equity, including cross-border transactions. We also maintain an active capital markets practice advising on IPOs, rights issues, privatizations, takeovers and regularization plans. A defining strength of our integrated practice is our comprehensive advisory for foreign entities seeking to establish or expand their presence in Malaysia.

Our cross-border capability is reinforced through collaboration with law firms and professionals across multiple jurisdictions. Leveraging this global network, we maintain channels for sharing market insights and conducting cross-border due diligence, helping our international clients align local Malaysian regulatory requirements with their broader international commercial objectives.



INDUSTRIES WE SERVE — a select view

♦ Aviation	♦ Construction	♦ Education	♦ Energy	♦ F&B & Retail
♦ Gaming & Leisure	♦ Financial Services	♦ Healthcare	♦ Infrastructure	♦ Logistics
♦ Manufacturing	♦ Oil & Gas	♦ Plantation & Timber	♦ Real Estate	♦ Technology

OUR RECOGNITION

Our firm is recommended as a leading firm in Malaysia for Dispute Resolution by **The Legal 500 Asia Pacific 2026**, with our Managing Partner, **Teh Meng Teck** individually recognised as a **Leading Partner**. Our 2026 **Legal 500 Client Satisfaction Accolade**, placing us in the top 30% ranking of firms nationwide for client satisfaction, affirms our commitment to delivering technically excellent, responsive and strategic services to our clients.

Our Dispute Resolution practice has been ranked by **Chambers & Partners Asia Pacific** for **18 consecutive years**. Our Managing Partner, **Teh Meng Teck** and Deputy Managing Partner, **S. Sivaneindiren** are recognised as ranked litigators by Chambers Asia Pacific 2026. These rankings reflect our consistent excellence and established reputation in the Malaysian legal market.



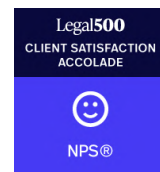
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Client Satisfaction Accolade

Our clients are at the heart of everything we do
— a principle that has shaped our reputation
for excellence across more than three decades
of practice.

CLIENT TESTIMONIALS

In Our Clients' Words

Collated independently by Legal 500 & Chambers Asia Pacific.

"The team is very professional, detailed, thorough, practical and strategic in their approach which suit the clients' needs and situation."

"Cheah Teh Su's ability to navigate challenging legal landscapes and deliver tailored solutions sets them apart in the industry."

"Apart from having in-depth experience and expertise in the industry, they are very committed and extremely responsive."

"I think Cheah Teh Su are at the top of their line of business. I feel good when cases are handled by them."

"If other firms give 100% of their efforts to our matters, Cheah Teh Su gives 150%."

"Cheah Teh Su has a long-standing reputation as a leading law firm in dispute resolution."

"Exemplary dedication to its engagements and profession. Good attention to detail and always willing to go the extra mile."

"One of the more competent and strategic teams around."

"The Team are excellent at assessing the needs of the client and the demands of any particular case and working accordingly."

"This is a litigation powerhouse with clever strategic partners, a good capable bench of dedicated associates with an incredibly strong work ethic. They are good to work with."

"The experience and strategic thinking of Teh Meng Teck is impressive, and his experience is second to none. The team is courteous respectful and pleasant to work with and after over 10 years working with these lawyers, I have only positive platitudes for the team and firm."

"For complex assignments, they are able to assemble highly effective teams of individual lawyers who have particular skill sets and competencies which, when combined, deliver high quality legal solutions."

"Full commitment. Vast experience across various industries and have in depth reach to case studies to support arguments. Very clear on approach and commendable client engagements."

"Constant engagement with us and very structured approach. We clearly understand facts and progress. Very strong in documenting and structuring legal dispute resolution matters."

"Very broad range of specialties and very capable lawyers."

"I find Cheah Teh & Su a breath of fresh air as they have a pragmatic and commercial approach to dispute resolution. They will definitely leave no stone unturned."

"CTS have been quite flexible with us during these hard time. They have a strong network of partners that they can appropriately call upon if required."

"I would say the most important thing as individuals is that they spent time to create a good working relationship with our organization."

"High integrity, hardworking and thorough."

"Good in communication and teamwork."

"The firm is solution-driven, professional and on the ball."

"They are competent, customer focused, experienced, always go for justice and are very professional."

PRACTICE AREAS

Administrative & Public Law

We advise and represent individuals and private corporations in challenging administrative decisions of public authorities and statutory bodies. We are also experienced in Disciplinary Proceedings before various regulatory statutory bodies, including the Board of Architects Malaysia and the Advocates & Solicitors Disciplinary Board. Our team understands that these disputes often intersect with high-stakes commercial interests and public policy and are adept at navigating the legal complexities and political sensitivities required to achieve favorable outcomes for our clients.

Arbitration

Our Arbitration Practice has experience in complex international and domestic disputes involving complex contractual and technical issues. Our lawyers have acted in disputes relating to commercial agreements, construction and infrastructure projects, and offshore engineering. Recognising the procedural demands and complexities that may arise throughout the arbitration proceedings, our team supports clients through every stage, from initial risk assessment and pre-dispute advisory to advocacy during hearings.

We represent clients in arbitration proceedings conducted under the auspices of Asian International Arbitration Centre (AIAC), Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC), and the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) and regularly appear before all tiers of the Malaysian courts in arbitration-related and post-arbitration applications. This includes anti-arbitration injunctions, seeking and resisting interim measures, the enforcement or setting aside of domestic and foreign arbitral awards, stay of proceedings pending reference to arbitration and challenges to jurisdiction.

Appeals

Our appellate practice is anchored by our Senior Partners, Teh Meng Teck, S. Sivaneindiren, Pang Kong Leng and Teh Eng Lay, with individual expertise ranging from 25 to over 35 years in litigation. They regularly advocate for our clients in high-stake appeals at the Court of Appeal and Federal Court to achieve major victories. Highly regarded within the legal fraternity as experienced and knowledgeable counsel, they have a long and successful track record of handling complex and landmark disputes.

Banking & Finance Litigation

Financial disputes and defaults often expose directors and stakeholders to significant liability and operational risk. Our Banking & Finance Litigation practice has considerable expertise in these high-stakes scenarios, having represented major financial institutions, corporate borrowers and corporations in complex financial services and securities disputes. Our expertise includes conventional and Islamic banking disputes, investment disputes and the enforcement of financing agreements and securities. Additionally, we often defend financial institutions against legal claims, ensuring that their commercial interests and reputation remain protected.

PRACTICE AREAS

Capital Markets

Our Capital Markets Practice brings deep, industry-specific experience across diverse business verticals, including semiconductor, engineering services, manufacturing, retail and food and beverage business, logistics, financial technology, construction and property development.

We possess extensive experience in equity capital markets, having advised on numerous initial public offerings (IPOs) across Malaysia, Hong Kong, USA and China, as well as private placements and secondary public offerings. Beyond listings, we advise on fund-raising exercises involving corporate securities (shares, warrants, options, preference shares) and hybrid securities such as loan stocks. Our expertise extends to corporate restructuring, compliance with continuing listing requirements, privatisations, mandatory and voluntary takeovers, and capital reduction. We act for principal advisers, lead arrangers/managers, underwriters, investors, trustees, guarantors, financial advisers as well as corporate issuers and sponsors. We provide our clients with end-to-end guidance on eligibility criteria, listing rules and the regulatory review process.

Corporate & Commercial

Our Corporate & Commercial Practice serves as a trusted adviser to businesses at every stage of their lifecycle, providing clear and commercially grounded counsel across the full spectrum of company law. We assist clients with incorporations, the structuring of foreign direct investments, and the establishment of local branches and subsidiaries, while advising on directors' responsibilities and corporate governance obligations under the Companies Act, 2016. Our transactional expertise spans the drafting and reviewing of Shareholders' Agreements, Joint Venture Agreements, Share Sale Agreements, and Subscription Agreements, as well as advisory on agency, distribution, and franchising arrangements to support business expansion. We also advise on industry-specific regulations and manage regulatory submissions, including Stamp Duty Exemption Applications. By integrating legal rigor with a practical appreciation of our clients' commercial objectives, we ensure that their operations are built on a foundation of legal certainty and strategic confidence.

Civil & Commercial Litigation

Our recognition as a litigation powerhouse is one that we are proud of. Our highly regarded team of litigators handles commercial and civil disputes, including complex contractual disputes involving deceit, fraud, conspiracy and recovery actions for margin trading losses. Our civil litigators also possess extensive experience in tortious actions, ranging from defamation, trespass, negligence to claims for monies had and received.

Our practice extends beyond the Malaysian courts. Our lawyers have been exposed to litigation at high levels abroad, including the Privy Council in the UK, and the High Court and Court of Appeal in both the British Virgin Islands and Singapore. We act for a vast range of clients from the complex, high-stakes disputes which has a commercial, corporate or finance vein running through it, to the smaller, but nonetheless important cases. Our clients value our ability to handle any commercial and civil dispute and to deliver unparalleled service in terms of quality and efficiency.

Corporate Litigation & Shareholders' Disputes

We have a team of lawyers with an exclusive focus on contentious corporate law disputes – they are among the most common disputes we handle. We specialise in high-stakes shareholder and partnership disputes, including oppression and statutory derivative actions and directors' duty disputes involving breach of director and fiduciary duties. Our expertise extends to corporate governance related disputes such as take-over bids and buyout procedures. Our team has acted for ultra-high-net-worth individuals and private and public corporations in resolving boardroom tussles and advising on rights and remedies.

PRACTICE AREAS

Construction & Infrastructure

Our Construction and Infrastructure team has experience across the full lifecycle of a project, handling both contentious and non-contentious work. We advise clients on all aspects of construction and infrastructure, from inception to completion. This involves drafting and reviewing contract and project documents, and the management of ongoing projects pending legal proceedings. On the contentious front, we handle a diverse range of disputes, involving delay and disruption claims, defects claims, payment and valuation claims and disputes concerning performance bonds and other guarantees. We act for clients across the full spectrum of resolution options from adjudication (CIPAA) and mediation to arbitration and litigation. We have acted for employers, contractors, sub-contractors, property developers, construction companies, and government-linked companies.

Intellectual Property

Our Intellectual Property Practice covers contentious and non-contentious IP work. We assist clients with the registration of trademarks, patents, and copyright. On the contentious front, we have experience handling disputes involving trademark infringement and passing off, patent infringement, and the breach of confidential information. Our clients range from multinationals to small business enterprises and individuals across a wide spectrum of sectors.

Employment Law & Industrial Relations

Drawing on the firm's combined expertise in corporate and dispute resolution practices, our Employment Law Practice is uniquely positioned to provide comprehensive advisory and contentious services covering the full spectrum of employment and industrial relations matters.

On the advisory front, we assist clients on a myriad of employment matters, including termination and dismissal of employees, disciplinary proceedings and domestic inquiries, severance agreements, employment contracts and manuals and handbooks and policies. On the contentious front, our team regularly handles a wide range of employment disputes, including unfair and wrongful dismissals, enforcement of confidentiality clauses, employee misconduct investigations, and breaches of fiduciary duties. We represent clients before the Industrial Court and other Malaysian courts in matters arising from industrial relations disputes.

Land Acquisition & Land Law

Our Land Acquisition & Land Law practice area is distinguished by a deep familiarity with the complexities of compulsory land acquisition and the protection of landownership against fraud. We represent landowners and developers in high-stakes land acquisition and land reference proceedings, involving complex issues of law on injurious affection and determination of market value. In addition to acquisition matters, our lawyers are well-positioned to handle complex land fraud cases involving forgery, fraudulent transfers and land title disputes. Our practice encompasses the full spectrum of the National Land Code and the Land Acquisition Act, 1960, including issues of Indefeasibility of Title and the restoration of alienated land. We also frequently handle intricate strata management conflicts and advise on the rights and liabilities of developers, Management Bodies (JMB/MC), and proprietors. We work closely with land offices and regulatory authorities to ensure every matter is handled with precision and in our clients' best interests.

PRACTICE AREAS

Mergers & Acquisitions

Our Mergers & Acquisitions Practice delivers end-to-end advisory for complex domestic and cross-border transactions, leveraging our experience in navigating both local and international regulatory frameworks. We guide clients through the entire lifecycle of a deal, from initial structuring and legal due diligence to negotiation and post-completion support. We represent a diverse clientele of established multinational corporations and public-listed companies in executing complex domestic and cross-border transactions, takeovers, and privatizations across key sectors such as consumer markets, construction, education, F&B, infrastructure and resources, logistics, manufacturing, retail and technology.

Restructuring, Insolvency & Bankruptcy

Leveraging our firm's core expertise in corporate litigation, our Restructuring, Insolvency & Bankruptcy practice provides a decisive advantage to stakeholders navigating financial distress. We don't just manage insolvency matters but litigate the underlying disputes that drive it. We act and advise on all aspects of insolvency and restructuring from voluntary and compulsory winding up, just and equitable winding up, schemes of arrangements to corporate rescue mechanisms. This includes corporate voluntary arrangements (CVA) and judicial management. Beyond corporate matters, we frequently act for individuals in contested bankruptcy matters such as opposing bankruptcy orders and managing individual voluntary arrangements. Our team acts for banks, corporate lenders, companies, financial institutions, insolvency practitioners, judicial managers and liquidators, applying a deep understanding of corporate structure and company law to resolve highly contested matters and deliver the best legal and commercial solutions.

Real Estate, Commercial & Conveyancing

Experienced in both property and corporate law, our team delivers tailored solutions for the successful execution of structured real estate transactions. We navigate the diverse state land regulations across Malaysia and the intricacies of the National Land Code to ensure complex acquisitions, divestments, and large-scale residential and commercial developments are managed with precision. Our service extends to the structuring, drafting, and negotiation of Sale and Purchase Agreements and Joint Development Agreements (JDA), supported by real estate due diligence and risk assessment. Our experience in advising international clients ensures that regulatory challenges involving foreign ownership and private investment structures are effectively navigated. We collaborate with reputable tax and finance advisory firms to provide the comprehensive support essential for sophisticated transactions, from cross-border joint ventures to the management of complex leasehold structures and commercial tenancies. Our team provides a seamless experience in handling essential regulatory and conveyancing matters, including applications for state consent, the removal of title restrictions, stamp duty management, and the perfection of transfers and charges to ensure the efficient closure of every matter.

Wills, Probate & Estate Planning

Our diversified practice provides advisory and litigation services for probate, trust and estate matters within Malaysia and across foreign jurisdictions. We represent executors, administrators, trustees, beneficiaries, and high-net-worth individuals, ensuring their interests are protected in both domestic and cross-border contexts.

We provide full-spectrum services in the administration of estates, including applications for grants of probates, letters of administration, and the resealing of foreign grants of probate. Our team is particularly well-equipped to handle complex, contentious probate and estate disputes. Leveraging this extensive experience, our lawyers are well positioned to craft comprehensive estate plans and wills designed to safeguard family legacies and meet each client's unique goals. Our services extend to the creation and management of trust structures for the holding, management and distribution of assets.

OUR PARTNERS



Teh Meng Teck

Managing Partner • Dispute Resolution



Teh Meng Teck is the Managing Partner of CTS, which he co-founded in 1989. He has been in practice for over 35 years as a leading commercial litigator across all tiers of the Malaysian superior courts. He specialises in commercial and corporate litigation and shareholders' disputes, regularly acting for public listed companies, private entities and ultra-high-net-worth individuals in Malaysia and abroad.

Notably, he is the lead instructing solicitor and strategist in a multi-jurisdiction shareholders' dispute spanning more than 60 suits and appeals before the Federal Court, the Privy Council, the Singapore Court of Appeal, and the Court of Appeal of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court. His broader practice covers financial services litigation (conventional and Islamic debt recovery, guarantees and loan recall disputes), corporate and individual insolvency, and contentious probate.

Teh Meng Teck is listed as a Legal 500 (Asia Pacific 2026) Leading Partner and a ranked Dispute Resolution litigator by Chambers & Partners Asia Pacific (2026). He has been consistently named amongst Malaysia's Top 100 Lawyers - The A List by Asia Business Law Journal's A-List Report (2020, 2021, 2022, 2024, 2025, and 2026), a testament to his commitment to excellence in his legal practice.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court of the Republic of Singapore (2001)
- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (1985)
- LLM London School of Economics & Political Science, University of London, United Kingdom (1984)
- Barrister-at-Law (Gray's Inn) (1983)
- BA Law (Hons), Manchester Metropolitan University, United Kingdom (1982)



S. Sivaneindiren

Deputy Managing Partner • Dispute Resolution



Siva was called to the Malaysian Bar in 1991 and his legal career began with CTS. He is currently the firm's Deputy Managing Partner. Recognised as a leading advocate, Siva is a ranked litigator for Dispute Resolution in Chambers Asia Pacific 2026.

He regularly acts for prominent clients in complex corporate and commercial litigation including shareholders' disputes, employment disputes, banking and finance litigation, as well as corporate restructuring and insolvency matters. A seasoned litigator, Siva regularly appears in the High Court for hearings and trials and in the Court of Appeal and Federal Court for high value-appeals. He also has extensive experience acting for clients in international and domestic arbitration proceedings, as well as disciplinary proceedings conducted by various professional bodies.

Siva has acted as counsel in several high-profile matters including representing the Malaysian Bar in the judicial review challenging the decision of the Attorney General of Malaysia to grant Ahmad Zahid Hamidi a discharge not amounting to an acquittal (DNAA). He also acted for the State Finance Officer of the State of Pahang in proceedings before the High Court, Court of Appeal and Federal Court.

Siva advises a multinational fast-food franchise corporate on the franchise disputes in Malaysia. He is also the contributor to the first edition of the Malaysian White Book.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (1991)
- Certificate in Legal Practice (1990)
- LLB (Hons), University of London (1989)

OUR PARTNERS



Pang Kong Leng

Partner · Dispute Resolution

KL Pang is a seasoned litigation lawyer with vast courtroom experience at superior courts spanning over 30 years. He specialises in complex, multi-party, and high-stakes corporate disputes – providing skilled legal representation and strategic out-of-court solutions. His areas of expertise also encompass commercial disputes, tortious claims, land fraud, and land acquisition cases involving multi-million dollar claims. His practice spans domestic and cross-border litigation and arbitration, and he has extensive experience collaborating with forensic experts, accountants, tax advisors, foreign counsel, valuers, etc. He is a prolific legal author and speaker, having written the Legal Guide to Civil Appeals Malaysia (CCH Asia Pte Ltd, 2005) and co-authored The Law on Land Acquisition (2018) and The Law on Land Acquisition (2nd edition, 2025). He is also a contributor to Benchmarking The Law. He has delivered numerous lectures and talks on land law, civil procedure, and property rights.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (1996)
- LLB (Hons), University of Malaya (1995)



Teh Eng Lay

Partner · Dispute Resolution

Teh Eng Lay is a litigator. Called to the Malaysian Bar in 2001, he has conducted matters at all levels of the court system as well as arbitration. He also advises a conglomerate in commercial and corporate matters. His areas of expertise includes commercial and corporate disputes, tortious claims, land development and planning disputes, land transactions and land related disputes, construction arbitrations and adjudications, licensing disputes, and public law disputes. He is a contributor to the Malaysian chapters of International Arbitration 2024 (21st edition) and Global Legal Insights – Employment & Labour Law (1st edition).

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2001)
- Certificate in Legal Practice (2000)
- LLB (Hons), University of London (1999)

OUR PARTNERS



Peter Justin Skelchy

Partner • Dispute Resolution

Peter Skelchy is an accomplished advocate with over 26 years of experience in high value complex commercial, corporate and civil disputes. Within that time, he has appeared in all the divisions of the High Court in Malaya, the Industrial Court, the Court of Appeal and the Federal Court. The cases he has handled have been reported in the Malaysian Law Journals and even referred to in judgments in the United Kingdom. He has acted for state governments, public listed entities, financial institutions and high-net-worth individuals. Known for his exceptional attention to detail and strategic thinking, he has a reputation for working hard to achieve his clients' objectives.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2000)
- Certificate in Legal Practice (1999)
- BA Laws (Hons), University of Leeds (1997)



Nasema Jalaludheen

Partner • Dispute Resolution

Having been in active practice since 1998, Nasema is not one to shy away from adversity. Her practice areas cover a wide variety of complex corporate, commercial and civil litigation matters, arbitration and mediation. These include tortious claims, administrative proceedings, land law, intellectual property related matters, lender liability litigation, banking litigation, matters concerning estate and actions involving creditors rights. She has also prosecuted claims based on banker's liability against negligence. In recent days she has also rendered advice on tenancies, production rights and employment matters. She welcomes instructions outside these practice areas. She has experience in collaborating with accountants, foreign counsel, architects, quantity surveyors and foreign experts on analytics and computation of damages.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (1998)
- Certificate in Legal Practice (1997)
- LLB (Hons), University of London (1996)

OUR PARTNERS



Puteri Shehnaz Majid

Partner • Dispute Resolution

Shehnaz read law at the London School of Economics and Political Science under a full scholarship from the LSE. She has been a Partner of the firm since 2013. Highly regarded for both her courtroom advocacy and her legal drafting skills, she brings over two decades of experience to her practice, acting as lead counsel in trials and applications before the High Court, as well as appeals before the appellate courts. Her practice spans the full spectrum — from non-contentious advisory work and pre-dispute management to the hands-on conduct of legal and arbitral proceedings — and she leads the firm's Construction Practice Group. Shehnaz is a member of the faculty of trainers for the Bar Council's Advocacy Training Course (ATC) and has been invited to train in East Malaysia, Singapore, Hong Kong, South Africa and Zimbabwe under the auspices of the International Advocacy Training Council (IATC). She speaks English, Bahasa Malaysia, French, German, and Thai.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2003)
- LLB (Hons), The London School of Economics and Political Science (2001)



Dianne Ng Shea Li

Partner • Dispute Resolution

Dianne Ng is a litigation lawyer with more than 18 years of experience in dispute resolution and advisory work, with a principal focus on banking and finance litigation, corporate and personal insolvency, civil and commercial disputes, corporate litigation, shareholders' disputes, and employment-related matters. She regularly advises and represents financial institutions and commercial entities in complex contentious matters, including the enforcement of security documentation and issues arising from financial fraud. Dianne has appeared at all levels of the superior courts, as well as in the industrial courts, and is experienced in managing matters involving both high-value and multi-party disputes. In addition to her litigation practice, she is also a registered trademark agent.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2007)
- Certificate in Legal Practice (2006)
- LLB (Hons), University of London (2005)

OUR PARTNERS



Ho Yu Jing

Partner · Corporate & Commercial · China Desk

Yu Jing's practice focuses on M&As and public market-driven mandates. He is also regularly involved in capital markets transactions, providing a solid foundation for the firm's high-level corporate advisory across both private and public deal environments. He has represented a diverse clientele in executing complex domestic and cross-border transactions, takeovers, and privatizations. His capital markets expertise includes initial public offerings on Bursa Malaysia and foreign stock exchanges, as well as secondary offerings such as bonus issues, placements, rights issues, and other corporate exercises involving Malaysian listed companies. His corporate & commercial service include assisting clients with incorporations, the structuring of foreign direct investments, and the establishment of local branches and subsidiaries. Yu Jing leads the China Desk services.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2016)
- Barrister-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn) (2015)
- LLB (Hons), University of the West of England, United Kingdom (2014)



Joycelyn Teoh Hooi Cheng

Partner · Dispute Resolution · China Desk

Joycelyn's work spans civil and commercial litigation, corporate and shareholders' disputes, insolvency and restructuring, employment and industrial relations, and contentious probate and estate planning. She is known for breaking down complex facts into clear options, giving frank risk assessments, and mapping out step-by-step action plans so clients always know what will happen next and why. Joycelyn has also acted in a range of high-value and high-profile matters, including disputes involving alleged breaches of directors' duties, fraud and conspiracy to defraud, derivative actions and oppression suits, committal proceedings, and applications involving inspection of company records and banking documents.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Chartered Secretary and Chartered Governance Professional, a member of The Malaysian Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators (MAICSA) (2023)
- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2010)
- LLB (Hons), University of Northumbria in Newcastle Upon Tyne, United Kingdom (2008)

OUR PARTNERS



Chok Zhin Theng

Partner • Dispute Resolution

Chok Zhin Theng is a Partner at Cheah Teh Su with more than 13 years of experience in dispute resolution. He has a broad litigation practice, with an emphasis on disputes involving corporate and commercial law, land law, contracts, torts, administration of estates, strata management, and compulsory land acquisition. He regularly advises on high-value and complex disputes, including matters requiring crisis management, and is experienced at all levels of the superior courts. He adopts a meticulous, responsive, and pragmatic approach to his practice, with clients describing him as “excellent”, “sharp”, and “dedicated”. Beyond practice, Chok has contributed to discussions on corporate governance and directors’ duties, shareholders’ disputes, property and strata law, and civil procedure through journal articles and conference talks.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2013)
- Certificate in Legal Practice (2011)
- LLB (Hons), University of London (2010)



Henry Tan Hup Yiak

Partner • Corporate & Commercial • China Desk

Henry has extensive experience in various capital market and corporate exercises, including initial public offerings (IPOs), mergers and acquisitions, takeovers, rights issues, bonus issues, share options, placement exercises and regularisation plans. Having advised on more than 10 IPOs, Henry is highly regarded for guiding Malaysian-based and international entities through successful listings on Bursa Malaysia, the HKEX, and the NYSE. Notably, his global reach includes advising companies on their proposed listings on the NASDAQ, demonstrating a deep proficiency in the high-disclosure environment of the US capital markets. Additionally, he has advised Mainland China and Hong Kong companies on legal issues relating to corporate finance and securities transactions, as well as rendered general corporate advice pertaining to their subsidiaries and shareholders in Malaysia. Due to his deep familiarity with the capital market and corporate frameworks, Henry is regularly engaged as an adviser by corporations and is frequently invited as a guest speaker to share his insights on Malaysia’s corporate and capital market landscape.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2017)
- LLB (Hons), University of Sultan Zainal Abidin (2016)

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Bong Lep Siong

Partner • Dispute Resolution • China Desk

Bong's practice focuses on employment law and industrial relations, and he frequently appears before the Industrial and Labour Courts as lead counsel for a wide range of employers. Bong also provides legal advice on redundancy, mutual separation agreements, disciplinary action against employees and compliance with the provisions of the Employment Act, 1955. Beyond employment and industrial relations, Bong's expertise extends to shareholders' disputes, commercial litigation, corporate and personal insolvency, probate and administration of estates and enforcement of foreign judgments, where he has extensive courtroom experience before both the subordinate and superior courts.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2007)
- LLB (Hons), National University of Malaysia (UKM) (2006)



Wong Sze Si

Partner • Dispute Resolution

Sze Si has a strong commercial litigation practice and substantial experience in complex corporate disputes. Her practice encompasses shareholders' disputes, corporate and commercial litigation, general litigation and financial services litigation. She has acted in a broad range of matters involving shareholder conflicts, contractual disputes, personal and corporate insolvency and general advisory work. Since 2015, she has served as instructing solicitor to law firms in Singapore, Hong Kong, England, and the British Virgin Islands in a multi-jurisdictional shareholders' dispute, including appeals before the Privy Council, the Singapore Court of Appeal and the Court of Appeal of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2009)
- Barrister-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn) (2007)
- LLB (Hons), University of Manchester, United Kingdom (2006)

OUR PARTNERS



Sasha Ravindran

Partner · Dispute Resolution

Sasha is a Partner in the Firm with more than 16 years of litigation experience. She advises and represents clients across a broad range of contentious matters, including complex commercial disputes, shareholders' disputes, directors' duties, personal and corporate insolvency, corporate rescue mechanisms, contractual and tortious disputes, and committal proceedings.

Her experience also extends beyond Malaysia. As part of the team of instructing solicitors, Sasha was actively involved in, and attended, trial before the High Court of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court in the British Virgin Islands, the subsequent appeal before the Court of Appeal of the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court, and the final appeal before the Privy Council.

In addition to her legal qualifications, Sasha is a member of the Malaysian Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators (MAICSA), bringing an added layer of governance and corporate insight to her practice.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Advocate and Solicitor, High Court in Malaya (2010)
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