



Tessa Laws

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ABOUT

Tessa is a corporate and business lawyer. Having qualified at Rosenblatt Solicitors, Tessa became a partner there and the head of the corporate department at Rosenblatt for three years, where she developed a renewables practice and started the Japan desk.

In 2010, she left to set up her own practice, newlawslegal.

In 2018, newlawslegal merged with Acuity Law and Tessa is now a partner in the London office.

Tessa has a strong track record in advising solar developers in the UK and the teams behind creative businesses. She has served on a couple of AIM listed company boards and was a member of the Quoted Companies Alliance for many years.

EXPERTISE

- Corporate deals and transactions – mergers, acquisitions and disposals
- Private equity funded transactions and PE backed buy and build strategies
- EIS and VCT structures and investments
- Management buyouts and buyins
- Shareholder arrangements
- Engineering and procurement contracts
- Operating and maintenance arrangements
- Bond structures

WORK

- Advising Porta Communications plc on its reverse takeover and admission to AIM
- Advising a beauty manufacturing company on its refinancing and negotiation with HSBC
- Advising a shareholder in a 50:50 owned wine business on his messy commercial 'divorce' from the remaining shareholder
- Advising the two sellers of Once Chocolate Communications Limited on their sale to Allison & Partners, a US based global communications agency
- Advising a Cyprus based landowner on his fundraising with a private equity house to jointly developing Cyprus' first wind farm; introducing the funder to the developer
- Advising the management team of Lion Television in its sale to All3Media – one of the first independent tv production company exits