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Urvashi Misra has over 9 years of experience and specialises in dispute resolution, governance, regulatory and securities law. She advises and represents multinational clients in domestic/cross-border disputes in various courts, regulatory bodies, tribunals as well as a variety of arbitral forums in international and domestic arbitrations.

Experience

- Counsel (2024 – Present)

Key Practice Areas

- Dispute Resolution (Litigation and Arbitration)
- Governance
- Regulatory and Securities

Recent Work Highlights

- PE fund in proceedings against Oppression and Mismanagement/ Unfair prejudice initiated against the Chairman, other shareholders, Director, Company Secretary, Chief Financial officer and other related entities of the Chairman and other shareholders, before the National Company Law Tribunal.
- SPV of a listed infrastructure company in an ongoing arbitration against the NHAI involving claims of approximately USD 315 million. The dispute relates to the construction of an arterial highway in Gujarat and deals with various complex commercial issues.
- Listed entity in the investigation and consequent proceedings initiated by the Securities and Exchange Board of India against the company, its promoter and key managerial personnel.
- Entity based out of the Republic of Benin in defending a suit filed by its Indian customer before the Delhi High Court to injunct foreign entity from proceeding with arbitration proceedings instituted in the Republic of Benin.
- Leading manufacturer of explosives in India in proceedings under Section 241-242 of the Companies Act, 2013 instituted by its minority shareholders from the promoter group, holding 29.28% shares. The petition raises allegations of unfair prejudice, oppression, and mismanagement against the client, its Board, and KMPs before the National Company Law Tribunal.
- SPV of a listed infrastructure company, in arbitral proceedings against the Public Works Department, Government of Haryana, wherein an award of approximately USD 80 million was passed in favour the client. The dispute related to the construction of an arterial highway in Haryana and dealt with various complex commercial issues, including in relation to computation of damages, interpretation of critical terms of a concession agreement and connected contractual undertakings.

Memberships

- Advocate, Bar Council of Maharashtra & Goa (2014)

Professional Qualifications

- BSL LLB, ILS Law College (2014)

Recent Notable Publications

- *Co-authored an article titled "Is the Derivative action regime in India a historical relic?": Kluwer Business Law Review, Vol 44, Issue no. 5*
 - *Co-authored an article titled "Calcutta High Court on Jurisdiction in Shareholder Disputes under Companies Act: An Aberration?": IndiaCorpLaw Blog*
 - *Co-authored an article titled "Tribunal Secretaries: Aids to Mutually Appointed Arbitrator(s) or Inclusion of An Unappointed Arbitrator": American Review of International Arbitration Blog*
 - *Co-authored an article titled "Company's Interest vs Duty to Protect the Environment – A Director's Balancing Act": IndiaCorpLaw Blog*
 - *Co-authored an article titled "SEBI moves to Crowdfund Information to Augment Recovery of Penalties": Chambers & Partners*
 - *Co-authored an article titled "Interim Measures in Oppression & Mismanagement Proceedings: The Encroachment of Third-Party Rights": IndiaCorpLaw Blog*
 - *Co-authored an article titled "Anupam Mittal v Westbridge Ventures II Investment Holdings – a Missed Opportunity?": Oxford Business Law Blog*
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