

Profile



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Service lines

- Corporate Advisory
- Litigation & Arbitration
- Shipping

Education

- LL.B, University of Mumbai
- B.Com, University of Mumbai
- Solicitor, Bombay Incorporated Law Society
- Solicitor, Supreme Court of England & Wales

Professional memberships

- The Bar Council of Maharashtra and Goa
- The Bombay Incorporated Law Society
- The Law Society, UK

Languages

- English
- Gujarati
- Hindi
- Marathi

Nirav is a Solicitor by qualification and specializes in matters relating to Corporate commercial advisory and documentation, litigation and arbitration and Shipping.

Specific expertise

• **Corporate Advisory and Documentation**

- Advising and assisting clients in structuring, documenting commercial transactions, more particularly those relating to mergers and acquisitions, strategic alliances, joint ventures, private equity investments, takeover of listed company, debt finance and debt restructuring of various companies in India and other similar transactions.
- Conducting legal due diligence of public listed and private companies in diversified fields, to identify and determine possible legal exposures and other contingencies.
- Rendering general corporate advisory services to clients in connection with a host of corporate laws.

• **Litigation and Arbitration**

- Planning and advising clients on strategies to be adopted for the purposes of litigation and arbitration.
- Drafting and settling pleadings in diverse matters relating to commercial litigation, company matters, property matters, arbitration, etc.
- Advising and representing leading real estate developers in Mumbai in litigation and in arbitrations.
- Advising and representing a leading engineering company in India in various Indian and international arbitrations.

• **Shipping**

- Advising shipowners, charterers, cargo owners, protection and indemnity clubs and insurers on legal issues in areas such as arrest and release of ships and enforcement of maritime lien / maritime claim in India.
- Advising clients on various shipping disputes including laytime and demurrage disputes, disputes arising out of charterparty / bills of lading and cargo damage, claims arising out of mis-delivery / non-delivery of cargo including claims arising out of damage / contamination of cargo.