

Recent transactions

Interconnector (UK) Ltd

Acting for an international consortium of energy companies in connection with £400m Bacton Zeebrugge gas interconnector project.

Republic of Armenia

Advising the government of Armenia on the development of the country's electronic communications laws and liberalisation of the Armenian telecom market.

Gazprom

Establishment of UK operation and providing corporate and commercial advice.

Avocet Mining

Advised long-standing client Avocet Mining PLC on the \$55 million disposal by this AIM listed company of its gold mining interests in Tajikistan to Xin Jian Zijin Mining Company.

Gallagher Holdings Limited

Legal advisers to Gallagher Holdings Limited in relation to a £300m stake in Corus Group Plc.

Red and White Holdings Limited

Advising this client on its 25% stake in Arsenal FC.

Amur Minerals Corporation

Advisers to Amur Minerals Corporation on its £30m flotation on AIM.

JSC "KazMunaiGas EP"

Advising this client on general corporate matters and issues related to its listing on the Main Market of the London Stock Exchange.

Standard Bank

We acted for the Standard Bank London in connection with a series of pre-export financings to facilitate gold production in Kyrgyzstan.

Anglo Siberian Oil Company plc

Legal advisers to Anglo Siberian Oil Company plc on the £46.3m cash offer by Rosneft Investments Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of OJSC Oil Company Rosneft.

Alberry Limited

Legal Advisers to Alberry Limited in relation to the US\$50m deal with AIM listed Regal Petroleum Plc.

Gallagher Holdings Limited

Advising on the acquisition and subsequent disposal of a A\$400 million stake in Mount Gibson Iron Limited.

JSC KazMunaiGas Exploration Production

Advising this client on an acquisition of 50% in Magistau Investment B.V. (parent company of JSC Mangistaumunaigas). Total deal value US\$1.66 billion.

Russian investment company

Advising a Russian investment company in relation to a bid for off-shore oil & gas exploration licence in Ukraine.

Ukrainian business group

Advising a large Ukrainian business group on the share purchase of Studio 1+1 and Kino television channels in Ukraine from Central European Media Enterprises for \$308 million cash consideration.

CIS company

Advising a CIS based company in the purchase of 50% interest in joint venture holding JSC Mangistau Munai Gas. Enterprise value \$1.6 billion.

Corporate governance

Advising a minority shareholder on corporate governance and shareholder activism in relation to the operations and management of a FTSE 250 company.