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Bar Admission

British Columbia 2016

Law School

University of British Columbia

Practices

Mergers & Acquisitions
Corporate Governance
Public Companies

Industries

Global Metals & Mining

Ainslie Hurd is an associate in our Business Law Group in Vancouver. She maintains a general corporate and commercial practice, including mergers and acquisitions, securities law, corporate finance and corporate governance, with a primary focus on the mining sector.

Representative Transactions

- Counsel to SSR Mining in its definitive agreement with Alacer Gold for a C\$2.41 billion at-market merger of equals to form a combined company worth C\$5.6 billion
- Counsel to Newcrest Mining on its US\$460 million acquisition of gold prepay and silver stream facilities and offtake on Lundin Gold's Fruta del Norte gold mine in Ecuador from Orion and Blackstone
- Counsel to Newcrest Mining in its US\$804 million acquisition of a 70% joint venture interest in the Red Chris copper and gold mine in British Columbia from Imperial Metals
- Counsel to Skeena Resources Limited on an option agreement with Hochschild Mining Holdings Limited to earn a 60% undivided interest in Skeena's Snip Gold Project and C\$6.76 million equity investment from Hochschild
- Counsel to Vale on its US\$690 million cobalt streaming transaction with Wheaton Precious Metals and Cobalt 27
- Counsel to Newcrest Mining on its US\$250 million strategic investment to acquire 27% of the shares of TSX-listed Lundin Gold which operates the Fruta del Norte gold mine in Ecuador
- Counsel to Glencore on establishment of a 50/50 BaseCore royalty and streaming joint venture with Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan and the transfer to BaseCore of Glencore's \$300 million base metals royalty portfolio
- Counsel to Goldcorp Inc. on its acquisition of a 50% interest in the Cerro Casale project from Kinross Gold Corporation and Barrick Gold Corporation and the formation of a 50/50 joint venture with Barrick over the Cerro Casale, Quebrada Seca and Caspiche projects in Chile's Maricunga district
- Counsel to Goldcorp Inc. in the US\$450 million sale of its Los Filos Mine in Mexico to Leagold Mining Corporation

Ainslie joined the firm as a summer student in 2014. She obtained her Bachelor of Music in 2011 and her JD in 2015, both from the University of British Columbia.

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Ainslie was called to the bar in British Columbia in 2016. She is a member of the Law Society of British Columbia and the Canadian Bar Association.

Recent Experience

- **Zijin Mining acquires shares of Continental Gold in all-cash transaction**
March 05, 2020
- **American Metals & Coal International and Riverstone Holdings purchase 90% interest in Ridley Terminal Inc. for C\$350M**
December 20, 2019
- **Newcrest Mining acquires a 70% joint venture interest in Red Chris copper and gold mine in British Columbia from Imperial Metals for US\$804M**
August 15, 2019
- **CST Canada Coal Limited acquires Grande Cache Coal mine for US\$430M**
July 18, 2018

Recent Insights

- **Canadian Power – Key Developments in 2019, Trends to Watch for in 2020: British Columbia - Overview**
January 30, 2020
- **Industry Insights: McCarthy Tétrault's fifth edition of Canadian Power**
January 30, 2020
- **Tougher Requirements for Metal Mines – Metal Mining Effluent Regulations Amended**
May 31, 2018
- **BC Hydro Freezes Issuance of New EPAs; SOP and Micro-SOP to Remain On Hold Pending Completion of Review**
March 26, 2018