PIERPOINT LAW
ADVOCATES LLP

Legal Solutions That Last

# Firm Profile

# Who We Are

PierPoint Law Advocates LLP is a distinguished Ugandan law firm founded on the principle of stability amid Legal uncertainty. Our name, "**PierPoint**" draws inspiration from the concept of a pier; a strong platform built on firm pillars extending from the shore into open waters, often serving as a landing site or harbour for vessels.

Just as a pier provides safe docking, guidance, and support for ships navigating unpredictable tides, PierPoint Law Advocates LLP **"(PPL)"** serves as a reliable legal harbour for clients facing complex legal challenges. We stand as a firm foundation steady, structured, and unyielding helping individual clients, businesses, and institutions anchor their interests; and chart clear paths forward through Uganda's ever-evolving legal landscape.

Our approach blends traditional legal integrity with modern strategic thinking, ensuring that every client finds in us not just advocates, but partners committed to providing clarity, confidence, and legal solutions that last in every matter we handle.

At PPL, we don't just practice law but rather embody the spirit of the pier: strong in principle, firm in purpose, and extending unwavering support to those we serve.

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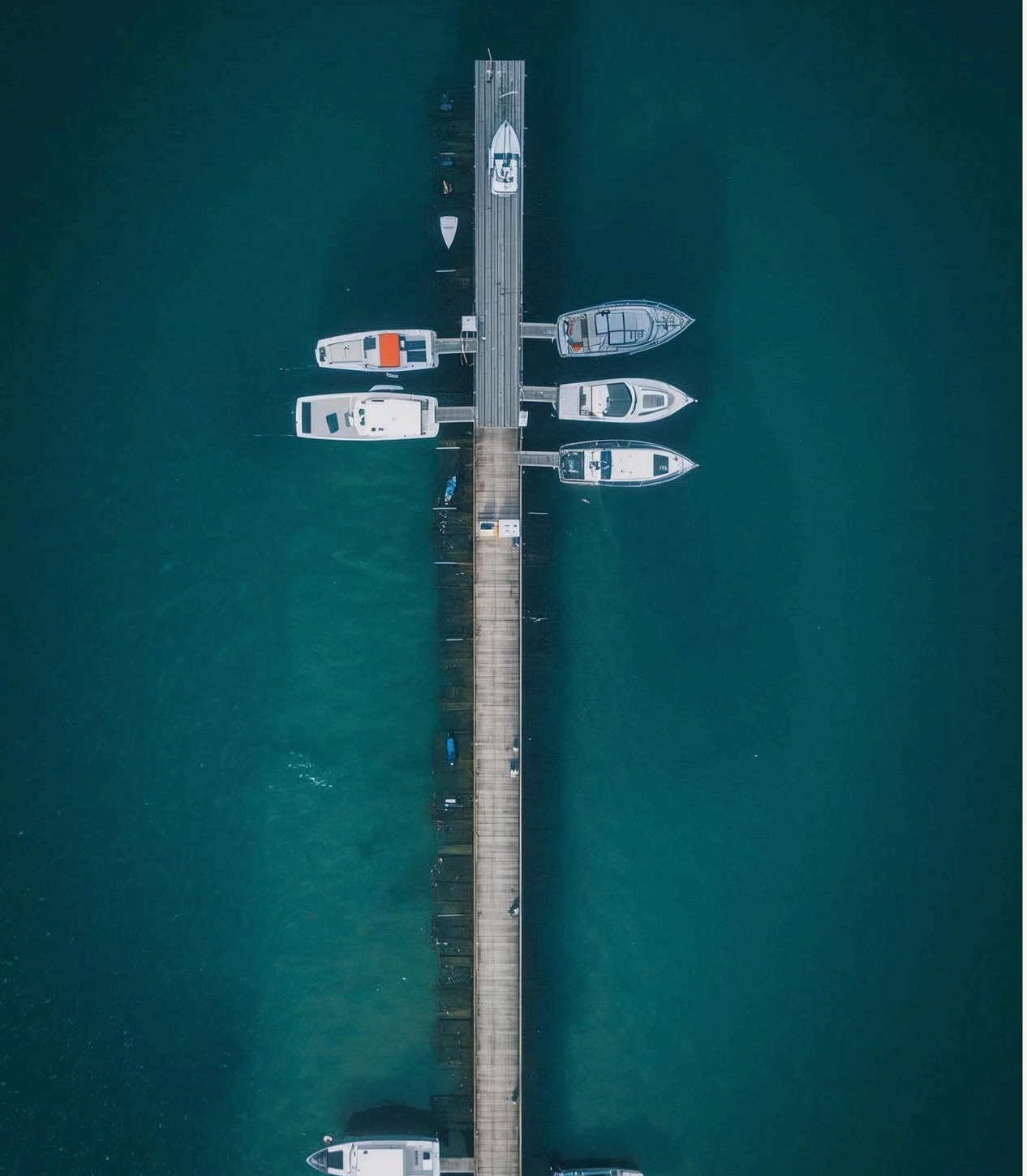
# About Our **Firm**

Founded with a vision to provide customer-focused, results-driven, ethical and lasting legal solutions, PPL continues to establish itself as a respected and trusted name across diverse areas of legal practice. We believe that the law should neither intimidate nor overwhelm, but rather empower and protect those it serves. Guided by this belief, we stand as a trusted pier extending strength, support, and direction to our clients in every legal matter.

Our firm embodies more than legal representation; it reflects the dedication of each PPL team member to deliver clarity, confidence, and protection through exceptional counsel. Whether serving individuals, businesses, or institutions, we strive to build enduring partnerships founded on trust, foresight, and a deep commitment to our clients' success.



# Why **PierPoint Law**

We deliver exceptional, ethical, and forward-thinking legal services designed to protect our clients' rights and interests in an ever-evolving and complex legal landscape.

Our flexible approach promotes seamless collaboration within our team, combining individual expertise and collective strengths to provide innovative, client-centered solutions.

Through an agile and high-performance culture, PPL consistently drives innovation for our clients placing their interests at the heart of our practice, by embracing technology guided by PPL's deep expertise.

# Our **Values** and **Ethos**

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## Integrity and Ethics:

We maintain an ethical and professional approach as the core of our Firm. Adherence to being grounded in honesty, humility, uprightness and trustworthiness as we service our clients is a PPL non negotiable.

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## Excellence:

We intentionally employ utmost proficiency and meticulousness whilst servicing our clients as one of PPL's distinct service delivery traits. Our overarching aim is for each individual team member of PPL to be outstanding and exceptionally good as a bare minimum.

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## Client-focused:

At PPL, our clients' interests are at the heart of the Firm's job execution. We place premium client experience at the heart of our operations maintaining an unbreakable allegiance to our clients at all times.

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## Long-term Commitment:

We devote utmost responsibility and precision to fulfilling our obligations and timelines while handling our clients' matters. Our constant obligation is to attain the most practical and robust solutions to our clients' legal challenges in every circumstance for the long haul.

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## Mission-led Teamwork:

We harness and leverage the divergent individual strengths and capabilities of our team. As a team we apply mutual respect and work together to continually achieve our shared objective; “top most execution” for our clients!

# Areas of **Practice**

## Mergers & Acquisitions, Corporate law and Commercial Advisory

We guide businesses through complex commercial transactions, ensuring compliance, efficiency, and strategic growth. Our team provides expert counsel in mergers, acquisitions, and investment structures that safeguard our clients' interests.

## Tax & Investment Advisory

Our tax, business and investment advisory services help clients minimize risk and optimize operations within Uganda's regulatory framework. We provide practical solutions on corporate governance, restructuring, and compliance to enhance business sustainability.

# Areas of **Practice**

## Energy, Extractives & Natural Resources

We support clients engaged in sectors of: energy, extractive, and climate-related sectors with comprehensive legal guidance. Our team advises on regulatory & compliance aspects, project financing, and sustainable investment in emerging areas of natural resource utilization & green economies.

## Intellectual Property and Technology, Media & Telecommuncations

We protect the interests and enforce the creative and commercial rights of innovators, creative artists, Tech companies & startups, telecoms and media houses. From securing various IP rights to advising on licensing and regulation in the TMT space, we ensure that intellectual assets are secured and compliance is adhered to.

# Areas of **Practice**

## Construction, Infrastructure & Project Finance

From concept to completion, we structure, negotiate, and manage contracts for construction and infrastructure projects. We ensure that each stage meets legal, financial, and environmental requirements while protecting client interests.

## Banking and Finance

We offer legal expertise in banking law & litigation loan structuring, securities, compliance, and financial transactions. Our guidance helps financial institutions and borrowers achieve their goals while managing legal and regulatory risks.

# Areas of **Practice**

## Dispute Resolution

We deliver strategic, practical, and cost-effective dispute resolution through arbitration, mediation, and litigation. Our focus is on securing timely & Lasting outcomes that preserve relationships and business continuity.

## Family Law, Wills & Estate Planning

We provide compassionate and confidential legal support in family, matrimonial, and succession matters. Our services ensure that clients' personal and financial interests are protected for present peace and future security.

# Our **People**

Our strength lies in our people. PPL is powered by a team of accomplished Partners and Associates with deep expertise across multiple areas of law. Each member combines technical proficiency, experience, and dedication to client service. Every PPL lawyer is driven by the same vision to provide steady legal guidance and achieve exceptional results for our clients.

## Timothy N. Akampurira

Managing Partner

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## George Ocen

Associate

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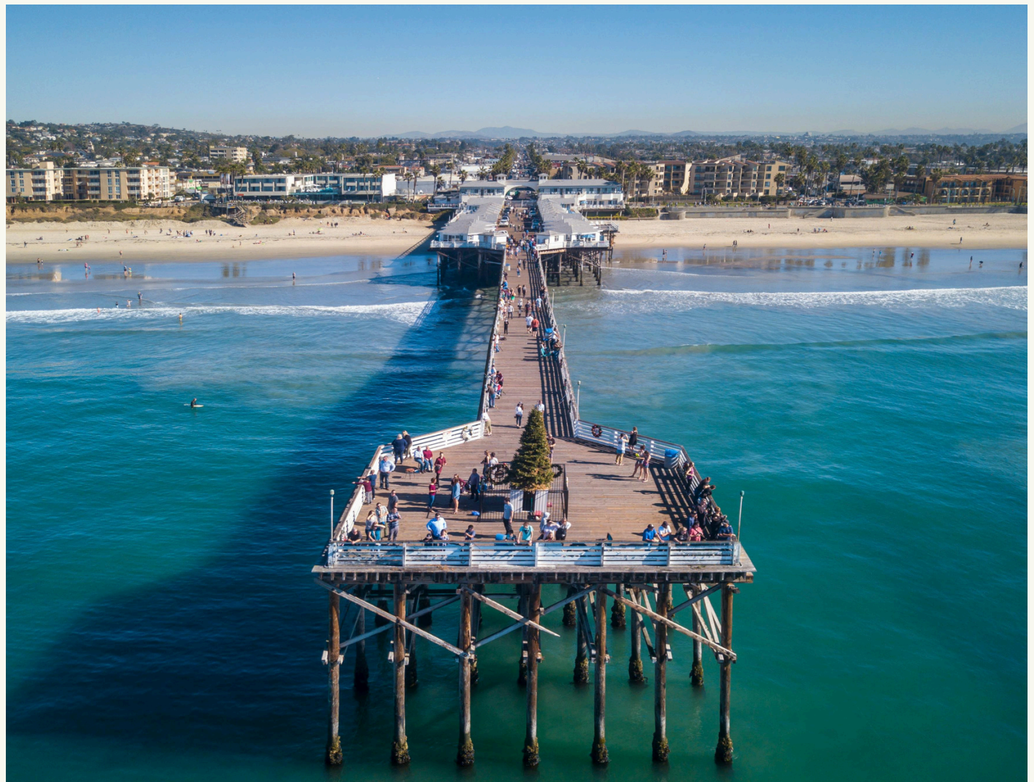
# Our **Thinking**

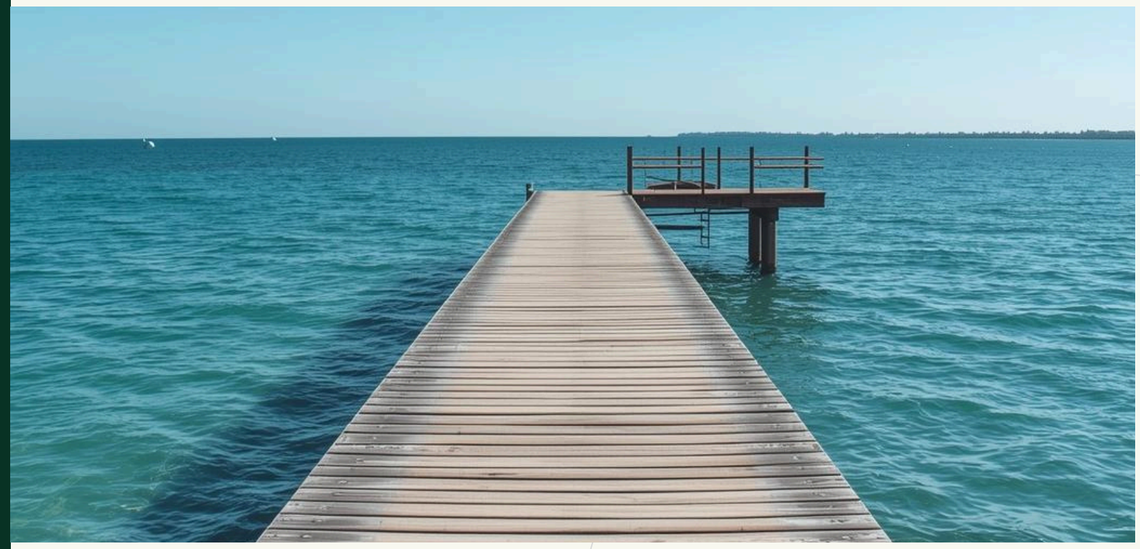
At PierPoint Law Advocates LLP, we believe that thought leadership is integral to progress. Through our PPL Insights, Legal Opinions, and Publications, we share knowledge and analysis on evolving legal frameworks, business regulations, and case law updates.



**We regularly publish:**

- Commentaries
- Articles
- Case summaries

# Our **Commitment**



At PierPoint Law Advocates LLP, our commitment is simple yet profound to be your legal pier. We extend the strength, structure, and guidance that allow our clients to remain confident in the  legal tide of challenge and opportunity.

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