

J.S. Held Expands African Market Strategic Advisory with the Acquisition of Africa Matters Limited

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The addition of Africa Matters Limited expands J.S. Held's Global Investigations Practice in Africa. With offices in London and Kampala (Uganda), Africa Matters Limited provides business intelligence, stakeholder engagement, and sustainability consulting to companies considering investment in and conducting business across the African continent.

Global consulting firm J.S. Held announces today that it has acquired Africa Matters Limited, an Africa-focused strategic advisory firm providing business intelligence, stakeholder engagement, and sustainability consulting services. With offices in London and Kampala, Uganda, this acquisition strengthens J.S. Held's reach in Africa. Africa Matters Limited advises investors as they grow and expand across the African continent. The firm also helps clients and host governments find common ground and points of alignment on investment and trade issues.

"The acquisition of Africa Matters Limited expands J.S. Held's Global Investigations Practice and our wider business, further strengthening our expertise in risk consulting," said Philip Worman, Senior Managing Director in the London office of J.S. Held. "Africa Matters Limited has deep expertise and experience in Africa, strengthening our ability to help clients enter these fast-growing and complex markets."

Ross Alexander, Executive Chairman, shares, "Africa Matters Limited's extensive public and private sector networks across the continent, developed over 26 years, allow us to deliver proprietary analysis, gain access and influence, and achieve impact for clients seeking to maximize opportunities and mitigate risk. Our global client list in energy, mining, and financial services, among others, includes those with a long-established presence in Africa as well as those making their first investments in the continent."

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