

Cape

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Appointment of judges

Judges Gayaat Salie-Hlophe and Katherine Savage were appointed as judges in the Western Cape Division of the High Court with effect from 1 January 2015. We hope to include profiles on them in the next issue of *Advocate*.

New members of the Cape Bar

Since December last year 29 new members have joined the Cape Bar; they are: Adrian Christians, Ashleigh Christians, Sam Dzakwa, Johan Engelbrecht, Richard Fitzgerald, Fritz Ferreira, Joan Hamman-Ungerer, Dave Houze, Porchia Long, Sheldon Magardie, Tembelani Mayosi, Samkelo Mbali, Noxolo Mbangeni, Sivuyile Mbobo, Ross McKernan, Pasika Mhlana, Mandlakazi Ngumbela, Anda Njeza, Mandla Nyathi, Sean Rapaport, Fergus Reid, Tanya Rudman, Claire Small, Allen Titus, Cedric van Zyl, Darron West, Joseph Whitaker, Jean Wilke, and Jennifer Williams. **A**



Leeuwen Chambers: On 1 June 2015 eighteen members of the Cape Bar moved into the historic Rembrandt House (and adjacent building) located in lower Keerom Street. Rembrandt House, which is situated across the road from the High Court, was declared a national monument in 1976. The buildings are now named *Leeuwen Chambers*. They are best known for their previous occupant, the Five Flies restaurant. A cobbled courtyard – with a glassed-over water well – lies at the heart of the buildings. Other special features include the marble staircase and wooden floors. Members are housed on all three floors, including in the attic area.



Council by candlelight: Undeterred by unexpected load-shedding, on 26 March 2015 committed members of the Cape Bar Council met to attend to Council business by the warm glow of candlelight – and iPhone.