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Eswar joined Chambers in 2023 following successful completion of his pupillage. He is building a practice in all of Chambers' areas of expertise, and has particular interest in sports, employment, civil fraud, product liability, private international law, and general commercial matters.

Before transferring to the Bar, Eswar was a solicitor in Slaughter and May's Dispute Resolution team where he worked on high-value disputes (including litigation in the High Court and Court of Appeal, international arbitration, and mediation) in various industries such as banking and finance, technology, construction, consumer goods, and sport. Eswar was part of the team that acted for the successful local authority in *Essex County Council v UBB Waste (Essex) Limited* [2020] EWHC 1581 (TCC), determined after a six-week trial in the TCC.

Eswar has advised a wide range of clients, including football clubs, a Formula One racing team, and a well-known university. He has a busy court practice and has appeared in the High Court as sole counsel. He also has experience of acting as junior counsel, having recently been instructed as a junior in an 8-day High Court trial and an ICC arbitration.

Expertise

Commercial Dispute Resolution

Eswar has experience of acting in a range of commercial matters, across a number of industries. He is able to draw on his experience as a solicitor to offer clients practical, commercial advice to help them best achieve

their aims.

Eswar has recently acted as junior counsel in a multi-million pound ICC arbitration concerning alleged breaches of a licence agreement, which involved consideration of various matters of both English and US law.

Eswar also has experience of both seeking and resisting injunctive relief as sole counsel in the High Court.

Employment

Eswar has a busy employment practice and advises on the full range of employment-related issues, accepting instructions for both employers and employees. His recent work includes advising a well-known university in relation to claims brought by a former employee, and an employer seeking to recover sums from a former employee on the basis of their conduct while employed.

Sport

Eswar has advised a Premiership football club, a Formula One racing team, and most recently, has acted for a governing body as junior counsel in a two-week High Court trial.

Awards

- Scholar, Oriel College, University of Oxford

Education

- BA Philosophy, Politics, and Economics, Oriel College, University of Oxford
- GDL and LPC, BPP Law School