List of Lawyers in Malaysia

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Advocates and solicitors in Malaysia must be members of either:

- The Malaysian Bar (for law firms based in Peninsular Malaysia);
- The Sabah Law Association (for law firms based in the state of Sabah); or
- The Advocates’ Association of Sarawak (for law firms based in the State of Sarawak).

The Bar Council is an independent Bar whose aim is to uphold the rule of law and the cause of justice and protect the interest of the legal profession as well as that of the public.

Advocates and solicitors in law firms in Peninsular Malaysia are able to represent an individual or organisation in the courts in Peninsular Malaysia, but they are restricted from appearing in the courts in Sabah and Sarawak. For legal matters in the courts in Sabah or Sarawak, it is recommended that you either appoint a law firm situated in those states, or ensure that any lawyer from Peninsular Malaysia who represents you has a right of audience in the courts in Sabah or Sarawak (as the case may be).

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**This company has told us the following things:**

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in criminal, defamation, human rights, matrimonial, personal injury, international and employment law
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide legal aid to British nationals, if the client qualifies for pro bono assistance based on their criteria
- they have worked with the Death Penalty Project on cases with mandatory death penalty
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Mandarin, Cantonese, Bahasa Malaysia and Tamil
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can take instructions by email

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the International Lawyers’ Network and are registered members of the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in litigation, conveyancing, bank loans, patents and corporate matters.
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they provide legal aid, but not for criminal case. They offer pro bono assistance based on a list of criteria
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- They can to take instructions by email, or by phone

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in contract, tort, land law, conveyancing, and criminal
- they do not have experience of representing British nationals, but have provided legal advice to British Nationals in the past
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can to take instructions by email or fax
Battenberg & Talma, Advocates

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Advocates Association of Sarawak
- specialisations are in negligence, tort claims, civil and corporate law. Does not do criminal cases.
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide legal aid to British Nationals, subject to the provisions of the advocates Ordinance Sarawak 1953
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and Chinese
- they cover East Malaysia
- They can to take instructions by email, fax, or in person

Faezah & Co. Advocates & Solicitors

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Sabah Law Society. Their lawyers is also currently appointed as one of the Councillors for Putatan District
Council
- specialisations are in criminal matters, civil divorce matters, conveyancing and corporate matters
- they do not have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and native Sabah languages
- they cover Sabah
- they can to take instructions by email, fax and face-to-face

Fahri & Co Advocates & Associates
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This company has told us the following things:
- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in civil and criminal cases (including drug trafficking, murder, manslaughter), estate administration and management, tort, breach of contract, employment and property transactions
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can to take instructions by email, video communication, conference call
- they provide information about costs in writing or when contacted

Gibb & Co Associates & Solicitors, Notary Public
55 Leboh Pearl,
This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Social Security Board Malaysia (SOCSO) and Sabak Bernam (Selangor) Municipal Council
- specialisations are in criminal cases, family law, estates & trusts, employment & industrial litigation, corporate training & development, banking & finance, copyright & trademark infringement, general civil litigation, copyright & trademark registration & notarial services
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they provide legal aid, and they offer pro bono assistance based on a list of criteria
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Mandarin, Cantonese, Hokkien, and Tamil
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia, the Federal Territory of Labuan, Sabah, and Sarawak
- They can to take instructions by email, or by phone
- They can provide costs in writing, but would prefer meeting first and going through brief before quotation
This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Advocates Association of Sarawak
- specialisations are in criminal litigation, matrimonial and contract
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide legal aid to British nationals, if request
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin
- they cover Sarawak, in particular Kuching
- they can take instructions by email, conference call or by phone

Karpal Singh & Co

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in criminal, civil, commercial and industrial litigation
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide legal aid to British nationals
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Tamil and Chinese dialects
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia and have a local branch in Penang
- they can take instructions by email, fax, or in person
### Kit & Associates, Advocates & Solicitors

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**This company has told us the following things:**

- they have English speaking staff  
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council and is a member of the National Criminal Law Committee. Mr Kitson Foong is also the Co-Chairperson of the Common Bar Course Committee and a qualified Advocacy trainer to both the Attorney-General's Office and the Bar Council.  
- specialisations are in criminal litigation, in particular defending persons accused of a crime and providing advice to victims of crime.  
- they have experience of representing British nationals  
- they can provide legal aid to British nationals  
- they can provide watching briefs  
- staff speak Mandarin, Cantonese, Hokkien, Hakka and Bahasa Malaysia  
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia  
- they can take instructions by email

### Lawrence Hisham & Co

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**This company has told us the following things:**

- they have English speaking staff  
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council  
- they have experience of representing British nationals  
- they can provide legal aid to British nationals  
- they can provide watching briefs  
- staff speak Mandarin, Cantonese, Hokkien, Hakka and Bahasa Malaysia  
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia  
- they can take instructions by email
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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in criminal law, civil litigation, corporate, banking.
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they provide legal aid, including pro-bono work
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Tamil, Chinese
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can take instructions by email, in person, or by phone
- they can provide information about legal fees and disbursements in writing when contacted
Presgrave & Matthews Advocates & Solicitors, Notaries Public, Registered Trade Mark Agent & Industrial Design Agent

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in civil litigation, tax litigation, and property conveyancing
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can't provide legal aid
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Mandarin, Hokkien, Cantonese, Teo Chew, Bahasa Malaysia, Bahasa Indonesia and Tamil
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can take instructions by email
- they can provide information about costs in writing and when contacted

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in contract, family law, revenue, and land law.
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can't provide legal aid
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia (predominantly in the states of Selangor, Johor, Penang, Negeri Sembilan, Perak, Melaka, and Kuala Lumpur)
- they can take instructions by email, conference call or by phone

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Sabah Law Society
- specialisations are in litigation
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can provide legal aid
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin
- they cover Sabah
- they can take instructions by email, conference call, or by phone
- they can provide information on costs when contacted personally

**Shearn Delamore & Co**
This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in employment, immigration, regulatory compliance & enforcement, tax and revenue
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can’t provide legal aid
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Mandarin, Hokkien, Cantonese, Bahasa Malaysia, various Indian dialects
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can take instructions by email, conference call, or by phone

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This company has told us the following things:
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- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in banking & finance, corporate, family, probate & trusts, labour & industrial disputes
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can't provide legal aid, however they offer pro bono assistance based on a list of criteria
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Mandarin, Cantonese, and Tamil
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia and the Federal Territory of Labuan
- they can take instructions by email or by phone

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are members of the Malaysian Bar Council. Additionally the Senior Partner is admitted to the Singapore Supreme Court and is a counsel of the International Criminal Court.
- they specialise in criminal law only; they are a boutique criminal law set
- they have experience of representing British nationals, including those charged with drug trafficking offences and various other criminal offences. More information is available on their website.
- they can't provide legal aid
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Tamil, Cantonese, Mandarin, Hokkien.
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can take instructions by email, conference call, in person, or by phone
• they can provide information about costs in writing or when contacted

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This company has told us the following things:

• they have English speaking staff
• they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
• specialisations are in criminal law and dispute resolution
• they have experience of representing British nationals
• they can’t provide legal aid
• they can provide watching brief
• staff speak Mandarin, Cantonese, Bahasa Malaysia
• they cover Kuala Lumpur and the Klang valley
• they can take instructions by email, conference call, or by phone, however prefer to take the initial instructions in person.

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<td>• staff speak Bahasa Malaysia</td>
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- they can take instructions by email, conference call, or by phone

**YN Foo & Partners**

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council
- specialisations are in family law, adoption, child custody, child/spousal support, divorce, property division, relocaotry removal from jurisdiction
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- they can't provide legal aid
- they can provide watching briefs
- staff speak Mandarin, Bahasa Malaysia and Tamil
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia
- they can take instructions by email, conference call, or by phone

**Zul Rafique & Partners**

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This company has told us the following things:
- They have English speaking staff.
- They are a member of the Malaysian Bar Council.
- Specialisations are in litigation (civil, commercial and corporate disputes), arbitration and dispute resolution, employment and industrial relations, intellectual property, corporate real estate and conveyancing, banking and finance, capital markets, mergers and acquisitions, infrastructure and construction, projects and corporate advisory, energy and utilities, and oil and gas.
- They have experience of representing British nationals.
- They cannot provide legal aid to British nationals.
- They can provide watching briefs.
- Staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Mandarin, Tamil and other local dialects.
- They cover Peninsular Malaysia.
- They can take instructions by email or by phone, and if a document is transmitted by fax, prior notice by email or phone is advised.
- They will advise on cost and fees once they have assessed the case, and in most cases this will be confirmed in writing before commencing work.
List of English law solicitors in Malaysia

Herbert Smith Freehills

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are affiliated to the Malaysian Bar Council and to the Law Society of England and Wales
- specialisations are in commercial transactions and disputes. They do not do Wills, Probate, domestic conveyancing or family law, save for very high net wealth individuals
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia and Chinese
- they cover mainly London
- they can take instructions remotely, but the client will be required to identify themselves by providing documentation including a copy of their passport

Trowers & Hamlins LLP

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This company has told us the following things:

- they have English speaking staff
- they are members of the Malaysian Bar Council as the first Qualified Foreign Law Firm (QFLF)
- specialisations are in banking and finance, construction, corporate and commercial, dispute resolution and litigation, employment and pensions, energy and resources, housing and regeneration, mergers and acquisitions, projects and infrastructure, public section/local government, private wealth, real estate, tax, telecoms, media and technology
- they have experience of representing British nationals
- staff speak Bahasa Malaysia, Mandarin and Cantonese
- they cover Peninsular Malaysia with one office in Kuala Lumpur
- they can take instructions by email, fax, phone and face-to-face. However, they can only act for clients after completing Anti-Money Laundering due diligence procedures
- they can provide estimated legal fees, in writing, when people approach them requiring legal services
Feedback Form for Customers

If you do decide to use any of the lawyers on this list, we would like to hear from you. While there is no obligation on your part to provide feedback on the services you receive, any feedback you can give us is helpful.

Once completed, please return the form to the British High Commission Kuala Lumpur by post to

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2 Jalan Binjai
50450 Kuala Lumpur

or by email to consular.mail@fco.gov.uk. Thank you for your help.

1. Name of firm: Name of lawyer:

2. Date of contact:

Are any of the details on our list regarding this provider wrong? (e.g. address, telephone number, etc.)

3. What service did you need?

4. Why did you need this service?

Please circle the appropriate boxes below:

(a) If the service provided English speaking services, how would you rate the standard of English?
(b) How would you rate the professionalism of the staff?
Excellent  Good   Average  Poor     Very Poor

(c) How would you rate the overall service received?
Excellent  Good   Average  Poor     Very Poor

(d) How would you rate the value for money?
Excellent  Good   Average  Poor     Very Poor

5. Do you have any other comments?

We would like to share this information with other customers but if you would prefer it not to be seen by others please tick the box □

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Tel. No.:  
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Date: