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# **An evening with Judge Thokozile Masipa**

**Hosted by Hogan Lovells Business and Human Rights  
Practice at Atlantic House, Holborn Viaduct, London EC1A  
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**6pm on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2015**

The Human Rights Lawyers' Association in collaboration with Action for Southern Africa and the Constitutional and Administrative Law Bar Association are delighted to invite you to an exposition of current constitutional issues and the role of the judiciary in South Africa with Judge Thokozile Masipa.

Beginning her career as a reporter and journalist, Masipa became an advocate in her late forties and the second black woman appointed to the Transvaal bench in 1998. Since becoming a high court judge, Thokozile Masipa has presided over numerous ground-breaking trials, including Maroga vs Eskom and the Pistorius trial. She has spoken out strongly about violence against women in her judgments, twice handing down maximum sentences to men convicted of such crimes, including one police officer.

**Entry is free but places are limited so please RSVP to  
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