



Pincus Matz

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Antenuptial Contracts

Planning your wedding day is one of the most exciting experiences in your lifetime. So too, your antenuptial contract is one of the most important documents you will sign in your lifetime. We understand that choosing flowers and fabrics is more fun than signing contracts, but, with our guidance and personal service, you will be empowered to make the right legal decisions and the most suitable marital regime for your special relationship and for your unique needs. Our hope is that your preparations run just perfectly so that you can look back on your day with wonderful memories.

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Process for Antenuptial Contract

1 Initial consultation with both parties to sketch background and development of law and current legal position. Examples of antenuptial contracts discussed.

2 Parties depart and discuss between them the appropriate system suited to them. If they need further guidance or clarity they contact Pincus Matz.

3 Parties decide and notify Pincus Matz.

4 Pincus Matz prepares the antenuptial contract (anc) for the parties.

5 Parties execute (sign) the anc before Notary Public at Pincus Matz office.

6 Pincus Matz lodges the signed contract at the Deeds office of Cape Town for registration.

7 Contract is registered at Deeds office.

8 Pincus Matz collects registered contract from Deeds office and brings it to the office.

9 Parties collect their registered contract from Pincus Matz.

Timelines

- The parties must execute the antenuptial contract in the presence of a Notary Public before the day of their marriage.
- The anc must be registered at the appropriate Deeds office within three months of it being signed before a Notary Public.
- After the anc is lodged at the Deeds office by Pincus Matz, it goes through a checking/examination process at the Deeds office which may take two to three weeks before it is ready for registration.
- After the anc is registered it is microfilmed and data captured at the Deeds office. It may then take three to four months before it is ready for collection by Pincus Matz.