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### Cubitt hires Kiran Bhagotra

**Kiran Bhagotra, has joined Cubitt Consulting Ltd to head up its listed company mining and minerals team.**

She has previously held senior in-house and consultancy positions, including as investor relations manager with FTSE100 mining company Lonmin plc, FTSE100 private equity group 3i plc, and BEL20 zinc producer Nyrstar NV.

Her consultancy experience includes Brunswick Group LLP, and latterly strategic advisory roles in the mining, private equity and financial services' sectors.

Kiran's in-house experience has included projects handling an IPO listing, assisting with the purchase/integration of a privately-owned mining asset and a private equity fund launch. Kiran also had an earlier career within debt capital markets advisory to mostly TMT, financial services and emerging markets' clients.

"Cubitt is one of a handful of independent firms operating at the top end of our business, with a significant track record in emerging markets and energy," explained Kiran.

"The mining and minerals sector is one well suited to their existing capabilities, which I look forward to building out further from a client transaction track record over recent years which includes WMC Resources Ltd (in its sale to BHP Billiton), Mongolian Gold Mining Company Ltd, TTR (Trans-Tasman Resources) Ltd, Sirius Minerals plc, and others."

"We are delighted to have Kiran join the Cubitt bench," commented Simon Brocklebank-Fowler, managing partner. "I am looking forward to her contribution to both the growth of our mining and minerals business as well as deploying her expertise in finance and business development more generally."

