



**Sara J. Premi, B.Comm, LL.B**

Sara's practice focuses on municipal, municipal land use and environmental matters. Sara appears regularly before municipal councils, committee of councils, the Ontario Municipal Board, Superior Court and Provincial Offences Court.

**Areas of Law**

Municipal and Administrative Law with a focus on local governance  
Municipal licencing matters (drafting by-laws, conducting licencing suspension or revocation hearings and licencing prosecutions)  
Defence of Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety charges against employers, including municipal employers, and supervisors  
Freedom of Information (relating to both municipal and police records)  
Prosecution and Defence of offences under the Building Code, Fire Code and other provincial statutes and municipal by-laws  
General counsel to Regional Municipality of Niagara Police Services Board

**Education**

Admitted to Ontario Bar – 1994  
B.Com – Carleton University in Ottawa with a portion of the degree completed at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst – 1988  
LL.B – University of Ottawa Law School – 1992

**Associations**

Member – Law Society of Upper Canada  
Member – Lincoln County Law Association  
Member – Canadian Bar Association – Environmental Law Section

**Professional Activities**

Former part-time instructor of Environmental Law at Niagara College  
Guest lecturer before the Municipal Law Enforcement Officers Association (by-law enforcement)