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TITLE: Prof Jayakumar joins Drew & Napier LLC as consultant

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SINGAPORE: Retired Senior Minister S Jayakumar will be joining Drew & Napier LLC on May 1 as a consultant.

In a statement, CEO Davinder Singh said Prof Jayakumar will spearhead the firm's practices in international law, international trade and constitutional law.

He added that Drew and Napier was very honoured that Prof Jayakumar was joining the firm and he would bring unrivalled experience and insight in the fields of international and constitutional law, as well as in other areas.

Mr Davinder said Prof Jayakumar "is someone who is universally acknowledged as one of the best legal brains of his generation".

In addition to working with Drew & Napier's clients, Prof Jayakumar will also spend time mentoring the firm's lawyers.

Prof Jayakumar said, "This is a new and exciting role. I look forward to working with both the senior and younger lawyers in this prestigious law firm."

He added that he will continue to be Professor at the NUS Faculty of Law which he does on a pro bono basis.

Prof Jayakumar serves as Chairman of the Law Faculty's Advisory Council, and is also Chairman of the International Advisory Panel of the Centre of International Law.

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