# **Izak Strauss (Chairman)**

#### **EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS:**

1975 - BSc first year - complete all subjects (Stellenbosch)

1976 - 1978 - B Accounting (Cum Laude) (Stellenbosch)
1979 - B Accounting Hons (Stellenbosch)

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1980 - Pass Chartered Accountants exam

1984 - Finished articles and registered as Chartered accountant

2001 – 2002 - Did Hons Taxation UCT

Pass all exams, scription outstanding for degree

#### **BUSINESS PROGRAMS:**

Corporate Governance (Wits business School) Remuneration & Incentive schemes (Institute of CA) Taxation (Institute of CA – yearly) Financial Analysis (John Stretch)

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP:

Member - South African Institute of Chartered Accountants

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

# Agri-Vie Investment Advisors, SA

2007 - present Executive Director

# **Unlimited Group, SA**

2001 - present

Chairman and Strategic Director

#### EXSA, SA

1996 - 1997

Non-executive Director

#### Various companies, SA

1989 - 2006

Director for various companies – live stock farming, fruit farming and wine, wholesale and retail industrial goods, property

# Own consulting, accounting and auditing practice, SA

1989 - 2000

Owner

# Pricewaterhouse Coopers, SA

1986 - 1989

# **Pricewaterhouse Coopers, SA**

1984 - 1986 Audit Manager

# **OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:**

Partner at age 30 of Pricewaterhouse Coopers.

Participating in establishing Exsa as a major Fruit Exporter.

Establishing Fruits Unlimited as a major Fruit Export & Logistics company.

Driving with MD the forming of Unlimited Group through a restructuring and merger with Yukon group. Developing international market for wine estate.

Participating in establishing private equity fund – Agri-Vie Fund in partnership with Sanlam Private Equity.