



# Harald Ellefsen

## Partner

Harald Ellefsen is partner at SANDS. His main area is aquaculture/aquaculture law, with focus on regulatory affairs. He also works in other areas in the intersection between business and public administration.

Harald assists industry and commerce in strategic counselling, project/business development and government relations. He has experience from several projects in adapting to public administration administratively and politically.

Harald was elected to the Parliament 1985–1997, after being 1st deputy 1981–1985. He met permanently at the Parliament from 1983.

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### Expertise areas

Aquaculture and Fisheries

Commercial property

### Work experience

- 1999–  
● **SANDS Advokatfirma DA**  
Partner
- 1997–1999  
● **Attorney with own legal practice**
- 1989–1997  
● **Member of The Finance Committee**
- 1985–1989  
● **Deputy of the Justice Committee**
- 1983–1985  
● **Member of The Consumer and Management Committee**
- 1983–1997  
● **Member of Parliament**
- 1981–1982  
● **The Reksten Case**  
Secretary to the government-appointed Investigation Commission
- 1978–1979  
● **Deputy judge**
- 1977–1981  
● **i.a. deputy director**

Prosecuting lawyer

## Education

1976

- **University of Oslo**  
Cand. jur.,

1971 - 1972

- **Drew University in USA**  
Studies in political science