

LEGAL SERVICES

# CORPORATE AND COMMERCIAL LEGAL SERVICES

**CLEAR ADVICE FROM ETHICAL, INDEPENDENT AND QUALITY-DRIVEN EXPERTS, THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY AND AROUND THE WORLD.**

1700 people providing clarity in audit, tax, advisory, and business outsourcing to companies across numerous industries. Nine offices in South Africa and 91 054 people in 167 countries around the globe.

We offer industry-specific practices, world-class resources, and an unparalleled commitment to meeting our clients' needs with 75% of our clients recommending us. We serve more than 49 JSE-listed domestic clients and over 158 international clients, who are clear on why they chose BDO:

- Quality, independence and a high ethical standard across all services
- Unparalleled partner-involvement (10:1 staff to partner ratio, globally)
- Deep industry knowledge and participation
- Geographic coverage across South Africa and Africa
- Cohesive global network
- Level 2 BEE Contributor
- Focused capabilities across over 20 disciplines
- Culture defined by values and purpose

Being ethical and quality driven is a given for us, and to show exactly how this is a part of our DNA, we have developed the BDO Clarity Charter. This is our commitment as individuals and as a firm. It underpins all we say and do, from how we live our values to how we engage with you, our clients and all our stakeholders.

**OUR LEGAL SERVICES**

BDO Legal provides corporate and commercial legal services to a diverse range of businesses. We offer the same competencies and quality of service that one might expect from a stand-alone legal firm – however, our approach is to support and boost those businesses that often face resource constraints when seeking appropriate legal assistance.

Our legal services complement the firm's audit, accounting, tax and other advisory services. This means that transactions can be structured and managed from start to finish within the BDO group.

**WHAT IS OUR AMBITION?**

Driven by our own ambition, our clients' needs and a focus on delivering exceptional client service, we're working collaboratively across the world to offer innovative solutions and services to our clients. We're striving to become a much larger BDO, and to be seen as the only viable choice for our clients whose companies are looking to grow.

**BDO IN SOUTH AFRICA**

BDO South Africa's 1700 professionals are at your service – no matter where you do business. You will find us in Cape Town, Durban, Johannesburg, Nelspruit, Port Elizabeth, Pretoria, Roodepoort and Stellenbosch.

**OUR PEOPLE**

At BDO, we understand that exceptional service to our clients begins – and ends – with exceptional regard for our people.

- Partners and staff are accessible
- We encourage collaboration in an atmosphere of trust and cooperation, mentoring, consulting, and exchanging ideas
- The BDO culture emphasises career growth
- Locations in large and small centres around the globe



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