

Overview

We have developed a niche in this sector due to our considerable experience in providing transactional and advisory services to various players in the aviation industry, including local and international airlines, banks, finance arrangers, lessors, investors, government authorities, airport operators, business aviation companies and logistics companies. Due to the transnational nature of aviation law we also have developed links with law firms in other countries which specialize in this area.

We also undertake a great deal of contentious matters in the aviation sector including, but not limited to, claims related to airplane accidents, and claims related to debt financing of players in the industry.

Representative Experience

- **Project Safari:** Appointed to act on behalf of nine Kenyan banks in the restructuring plan proposed by Kenya Airways, which is the flag carrier airline of Kenya, to all of its creditors. Our role included representing the interests of our clients in complex negotiations with the airline, the Government of Kenya and other creditors, in order to secure the banks' interests in the transaction.
- **Confidential client:** Successfully acted for a player in the aviation sector, which had been named as a party in a derivative action, on the allegation that it had purchased some assets of the company at an undersale.

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