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B.B. Dan-Habu & Co is a firm that ranks amongst Nigeria's leading Commercial Law Firms and serves companies, governments, Nigerian and foreign investors, international firms, and financial institutions. Established in 1986 by B.B. Dan-Habu Esq, the firm has in almost three decades handled several complex commercial transactions and developed an enviable portfolio of clients and international experience. Today, it is known for its continuous provision of proficient, innovative, competent and timely solutions.

Over the years, the firm has worked alongside some of the world's most sophisticated businesses on big-ticket transactions, and its advisers remain committed to constantly challenging themselves to develop new and original ways of thinking through even the most complex challenges that their clients may face.

Mr. B.B. Dan-Habu, the Chief Counsel and founding partner, has more than 30 years' post-call experience and specialises in various areas of the firm's core competencies with expertise in corporate/commercial transactions and domestic and cross-border dispute resolution and litigation. He has diverse experience in both the public and private sector.

He has worked as State Counsel in the Ministry of Justice (1985 – 1986); Member, Ministerial Committee for the Review of Nigeria's Mineral Laws and Regulations; and Member, Tribunal of Inquiry into the Civil Disturbances in Lagos State (2000 – 2001). He participated in the Review and the Drafting of the Agreement between the Federal Government of Nigeria and Global Minerals on the Nigerian Minerals Appraisal Monetization Program ("NIMAPOP").

He sits on the Board of several financial institutions, banks and foreign companies.

He is also a registered Capital Market Solicitor and member of several professional bodies and associations, including the Nigerian Bar Association. He is actively involved in litigation and continually participates in continuing proficiency advancement by attending various courses at home and abroad, including Harvard Law School, Boston; The Institute of Maritime Law, University of Southampton, UK; and Clark Atlanta University, USA.

Corporate/Commercial Law

B.B. Dan-Habu & Co specialises in complex Corporate, Commercial and Financial Transactions. The firm provides advisory services, innovative agreements and legal assistance to international and domestic corporations, national and international financial institutions.

Immigration & Labour

The firm provides legal assistance in the setting up of Companies and Corporate entities in Nigeria, advises on compliance with immigration and Labour Law regulation and assists international and domestic corporations in obtaining immigration facilities such as permits, visas, expatriate quotas etc. that may be required for their operation in Nigeria. They have built longstanding working relationships with the Nigerian Immigration Services (NIS), Nigerian Investment and Promotion Commission (NIPC) and the Ministry of Internal Affairs (MIA) and are proficiently experienced in labour and employment issues.

Intellectual Property Finance & Valuation Consultancy

The Intellectual Property Finance consulting unit is comprised of staff with practical experience of intellectual property law and financial matters. They provide a broad range of professional services which are traditionally not offered by IP firms such as strategic and tailored advice on IP rights, IP valuation and appraisal, IP asset-based lending, M&A support & due diligence, determination of royalty rates and licensing strategies.

Litigation & ADR

The firm has extensive skill and experience in handling multifaceted and complex disputes in courts of all levels. Where appropriate for a successful outcome, they encourage and offer various Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) solutions such as Negotiation, Mediation, Conciliation and Arbitration.