



# Myanmar FIRM PROFILE

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DFDL in Myanmar



DFDL provides a full range of legal and tax services to foreign and local investors operating in Myanmar. Our team of over 20 experienced local lawyers and foreign advisers in Yangon and Naypyidaw provide efficient, effective and practical legal services at an international standard, coupled with personal, in-depth knowledge of the local environment.

Founded in 1995, DFDL is one of the oldest foreign legal and tax firms in Myanmar and best placed to advise Asian and international companies on their investments in Myanmar.

Since its foundation, DFDL has acquired an outstanding reputation for providing seamlessly integrated and solutions-oriented legal and tax services to establish, structure and protect our client's business interests. DFDL is also actively involved, in tandem with international development agencies and local jurisdiction stakeholders, in developing the legal and regulatory environment of the emerging markets in which we operate.

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**Outstanding**

- General Business Law
- Banking & Financial Services
- Energy
- Infrastructure

**Highly Recommended**

- Real Estate
- Restructuring & Insolvency

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**Tier 1**

- Financial and Corporate
- Projects Development

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*Chambers Asia Pacific 2019*

Facts

9 Countries

12 Offices

170+ Advisers

7 Practice Groups

5 Int'l Desks

Services

- Banking and Finance including Corporate Finance Project Finance, Securities and Investment Funds
- Business Integrity and Compliance
- Corporate and Commercial (including Insurance)
- Employment and Labor
- Energy, Mining and Infrastructure
- Real Estate and Construction
- Regulatory Assistance
- Project Development
- Taxation
- Technical Assistance
- Trademark search, registration and defense
- Trade and Customs Advice
- Translation
- Visa, Stay permit and FRC application assistance

Deals

**The largest single shareholder of the Tokyu** on its pre-licensing tender process and securing a provisional foreign life insurance license (one of the only five companies in Myanmar to have such a license).

**Two major financial institutions** on its USD 300 million equity and loan funding on a project finance basis for the Landmark mixed use real estate development in downtown Yangon, carried out by the Yoma Group of companies.

**An international development finance institution** on its financing of USD 100 million connectivity infrastructure projects in Myanmar.

**A financial services company** on its detailed regulatory survey for offshore products and financial services in Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam.

**One of the three reputable institutional banks** based in China in relation to its USD 225 million secured loan to Yangon Aerodrome Company Limited, the company that holds the concession from DCA to develop, construct and operate terminal and other facilities at Yangon International Airport.

**A consortium of banks and financial institutions** on its financing of a 225MW gas-fired combined power plant project, the largest of its kind in Myanmar, the Myingyan Power Plant.

**A Thai equity investor** on an O&M agreement and JV in a large scale mining project in Myanmar, under PSC with a state-owned enterprise.

**A consortium of lending banks** on the financing of the acquisition of Pan Asia Majestic Eagle Limited (PAMEL), a leading Myanmar telecommunications infrastructure company, by TPG.

About DFDL



DFDL was established in 1994 and founded on a unique vision: to create an integrated legal and tax advisory firm, with in-depth knowledge of the jurisdictions where we are based.

DFDL is the first leading international law firm specialized in emerging markets with a regional legal and tax expertise developed throughout the Mekong region, with a dedicated focus on Southeast Asia.

With a regional team of nearly 300 staff in the region, including over 170 lawyers and advisers, working closely together within a fast-growing network of 13 offices, DFDL provides personalized and cost-effective legal, tax and consulting services and solutions.

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