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## **Safiyya Akoojee**

Safiyya commenced her career in the business world in 2001, as a director of a food manufacturing company which she successfully steered through a merger and acquisition. In 2007 Safiyya joined Dafasa Holdings advising on corporate strategy and succession planning.

Safiyya joined Thomson Wilks Inc. in 2009 and completed her articles at the firm. Safiyya was admitted as an attorney in 2011. She specialises in commercial agreements, corporate law, commercial litigation,

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