

SCHEDULE 1 TO THE COMMERCIAL COURT PRACTICE DIRECTIVES

A 'Commercial Court case' is ordinarily a substantial case that has as its foundation a broadly commercial transaction or commercial relationship.

The following are a list of examples, which might depending on their particular facts or legal aspects, qualify as commercial court cases:

any claim arising out of the transaction of trade and commerce and includes any claim relating to:

- (a) the export or import of goods;
- (b) the carriage of goods by land, sea, air or pipeline;
- (c) the exploitation of oil and gas reserves or other natural resources that do not involve Administrative Law;
- (d) insurance and reinsurance;
- (e) banking and financial services
- (f) the operation of markets and exchanges;
- (g) the purchase and sale of commodities;
- (h) medical scheme matters;
- (i) commercial matters arising out of business rescue and insolvency cases;
- (j) all commercial matters affecting companies arising out of the Companies Act 71 of 2008 and its interpretation;
- (k) arbitration;
- (l) delictual cases that take place in a commercial context for, e.g. unlawful competition cases;
- (m) generally, appropriate contractual matters;
- (n) intellectual property cases;

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