

BVI Services

Offering a dedicated legal service for the British overseas territory

The British Virgin Islands has firmly established itself as the world's premier corporate domicile. A British overseas territory, its sophisticated legal and corporate system is stable, company-friendly and fast.

As a Business Company (BC) you can enjoy high quality financial services; an efficient Company Registry; commitment to corporate anonymity; and ease of business operation, maintenance and control. And of course you're exempt from local BVI taxes.

To make the most of the opportunities available, you need to work with a team of BVI experts which can assist you in all aspects of BVI law.

Providing legal advice in two time zones

The BVI team at Charles Russell consists of experienced and dedicated specialists. In fact, we're recognised as a leading London BVI practice and we're the only UK-based law firm offering a dedicated BVI service.

We have a niche team of lawyers based in the London office, as well as a number of consultants in BVI who provide technical expertise coupled with extensive local knowledge. This means we're able to offer you the right advice you need, in the right time zone.

Apart from being able to provide general BVI law advice, our services also include provision of BVI opinion letters and advice on a range of financing and commercial transactions, including property financing.

In addition, the separate business of CR (BVI) Limited, is able to supply Tortola based BC incorporation and Registered Agent services. These are operated under a licence awarded by the BVI Financial Services Commission. See also the foot of this page.

The main BVI services include:

- BVI legal opinions
- BVI company reorganisations
- BVI trust formation and operation
- Advice on all aspects of BVI International Business Company legislation
- BVI incorporations and Registered Agent services through CR BVI

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