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Brian Davison, Q.C. is a nationally recognized practitioner in commercial insolvency who is particularly well known in the oil and gas sector. He leads the Canadian Restructuring Group in delivering market-leading advice on all aspects of corporate restructuring, insolvency and bankruptcy across multiple sectors and jurisdictions.

Brian has been active on a number of major insolvency files. He is highly experienced in providing strategic advice to debtors and creditors in matters relating to bankruptcy, debt restructuring, corporate reorganizations, loan workouts, receiverships, asset recovery and realization proceedings.

Brian's broad-reaching expertise extends to the efficient resolution of complex insolvency disputes, bolstered by close to 40 years of significant litigation practice. He has extensive experience in cases involving the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* (CCAA) and the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, and he has appeared before the Federal Court of Appeal in addition to all levels of court in the Province of Alberta.

Further reflecting his deep industry knowledge and integrated expertise, Brian has conducted trials involving oil and gas well drilling and servicing issues and, corporate/commercial disputes. He is counsel to the Canadian Association of Energy Contractors (CAOEC) and has also been counsel to several of the major oil and gas well drilling and service contractors in Alberta.

- Restructuring
- Employment
- Litigation, Arbitration and Investigations
- Oil and Gas
- Construction Law

English

## LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- English

## Admissions

- Alberta, 1978

## Recognitions

- *Best Lawyers in Canada* (Insolvency and Financial Restructuring), 2006-2022
- *The Legal 500 Canada* (Restructuring and Insolvency), 2018-2022
- Lawyer of the Year (Insolvency and Financial Restructuring - Calgary), *Best Lawyers in Canada*, 2015
- Martindale-Hubbell, Distinguished® Peer Review Rated

## Education

- LL.B., University of Saskatchewan, 1977
- BA, BPHE, Queens University, 1973

## INSIGHTS

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### Publications

#### **Economic relief for Calgary business owners impacted by COVID-19 (Canada)**

27 MAR 2020

Canadian governments have implemented numerous measures to assist business owners economically affected by COVID-19. This article outlines the measures for business focused relief available to Calgary business owners from the federal, provincial, and municipal governments.

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## NEWS

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#### **DLA Piper Canada recommended by *Legal 500 Canada 2022***

12 November 2021

DLA Piper (Canada) LLP and its lawyers have been recommended in the latest edition of the *Legal 500 Canada*.

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#### **DLA Piper (Canada) LLP recognized in the 2022 *Best Lawyers in Canada* guide**

26 August 2021

DLA Piper (Canada) LLP is thrilled to see 84 of our lawyers across 35 practice areas recognized in the 2022 Best Lawyers in Canada guide.

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#### **DLA Piper (Canada) LLP recognized in the 2021 edition of the *Legal 500 Canada***

13 November 2020

DLA Piper (Canada) LLP and its lawyers have been recognized as industry leaders across multiple practice areas in the latest edition of the *Legal 500 Canada*.

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**DLA Piper Canada increases rankings in 2021 edition of *Best Lawyers in Canada***

28 AUG 2020

DLA Piper (Canada) LLP is pleased to see 79 of our lawyers across 35 practice areas recognized in the 2021 *Best Lawyers in Canada* guide, resulting in our best showing with the guide since its inception.

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