

# Harkeerit Shoker

Associate

Private Company Mergers & Acquisitions

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# **Profile**

Harkeerit helps our business clients navigate the intricacies of corporate transactions by providing strategic guidance on deal structuring, due diligence, and post-closing matters to ensure seamless and successful outcomes. With a meticulous eye for detail, she helps clients identify opportunities, mitigate risks, and address challenges with sound, practical legal advice. Working closely with business owners, Harkeerit ensures their acquisitions, divestitures, and other key corporate transactions are handled efficiently and are aligned with their long-term goals.

With a diverse legal background spanning business, corporate and commercial, real estate, and private client services, Harkeerit brings clients a well-rounded and integrated perspective.

She assists with drafting and reviewing critical agreements—including share and asset purchase agreements, non-compete clauses, and confidentiality agreements—tailoring them to each client's unique business needs. Her professional experience, combined with firsthand insight from her family's businesses across the province, gives her a deep understanding of the realities of building and growing successful companies. Harkeerit is committed to supporting our clients through all stages of a transaction, from initial negotiations to closing and beyond.

#### **Services**

- Commercial contracts
- > Corporate governance, including disputes and director liability issues
- > Corporate structuring and reorganizations
- > Private debt and equity finance transactions
- > Private mergers and acquisitions
- > Business structuring, including corporations, partnerships, limited partnerships, trusts and joint ventures
- > Acquisitions and divestitures, including share and asset purchase and sale transactions
- > Cross-border and multi-jurisdictional transactions
- > Ownership agreements, including shareholder, partnership, co-owner, and other strategic alliance agreements
- > General contract matters, including purchase and sale agreements, supply, sale, distribution, licensing, leasing and manufacturing agreements

# **Credentials**

#### **Awards & Distinctions**

> University of British Columbia, Dean's Honour Roll, 2012 – 2015

## **Industry Involvement**

- > Canadian Bar Association, member, 2023 Present
- > Canadian Bar Association of British Columbia, member, 2023 Present
- > Federation of Asian Canadian Lawyers, member, 2024 Present
- > Law Society of British Columbia, 2023 Present
- Vancouver Bar Association, member, 2023 Present
- Women Lawyers Forum, committee volunteer, 2023 Present

### Education

- > Call to Bar: British Columbia, 2023
- > University of British Columbia Allard School of Law, Juris Doctor, 2022
- London School of Economics and Political Science, Master of Science (Anthropology), 2018
- > University of British Columbia, Bachelor of Arts (Anthropology), 2015

## **Community Involvement**

> Canada India Education Society, volunteer, 2018 - Present