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FIRAS TRABULSI

محامون ومستشارون LAW OFFICE



ABOUT US

OUR OFFICE

Firas Trabulsi Law Office ("Office") is a Saudi Arabian based law office, committed to offering accurate and timely legal solutions in relation to a variety of practice areas. We specialize in corporate advisory services which are directed to both local and international clients, who have business interests in Saudi Arabia and GCC's.

Our team members are skillful, results-driven, and bilingual individuals with solid knowledge of local and international laws, who dedicate their time to ensure they provide diligent legal services in compliance with professional standards.

OUR TARGET

Our team advises and represents clients ranging from individuals, establishments, up to global corporations. In doing so, the aim is to channel our knowledge and expertise into each of the clients' needs; in a manner that guarantees a long-standing partnership with them.

OUR VISION

In Firas Trabulsi Law Office, we strive to become one of the leading professional law firms in Saudi Arabia and GCC's, producing high quality services that rise up to international standards whilst maintaining our national values.

ABOUT THE FOUNDER

Firas Trabulsi, the founder of our Office, possesses more than 12 years' experience in legal practice. Mr. Trabulsi's experience ranges between working as an attorney in several renowned law firms in Saudi Arabia, a legal advisor in one of Saudi Arabia's largest Islamic banks, in addition to experience working as an energy legal counsel at Chevron Corporation in the USA, UK, Scotland, and Kuwait.

AREAS OF PRACTICE

CORPORATE LAW

As a business oriented law office, we recognize the significance of understanding the business side of legal matters; particularly in issues related to the corporate field. The complex nature of the corporate law entails our team's expertise, whereby legal advice is offered in a manner so as to ensure our clients are protected against risks associated with their business needs.

Additionally, our team possess an in-depth legal understanding of family business entities which represent a considerable portion of the Saudi market.

Our services in this field include:

- Establishing all kinds of companies under Saudi law (e.g. LLC and IPO's).
- Drafting Articles of Association, their amendments, and shareholders' resolutions.
- Drafting and reviewing commercial agreements between companies located in different countries (e.g. sale and purchase orders).
- Conducting legal due diligence.
- Mergers, acquisitions, and liquidation of companies.
- Developing family corporate governance systems.
- Planning succession strategies.



LEGAL INSIGHT..BUSINESS ACUMEN.



FOREIGN INVESTMENTS

Throughout the last decade, the Saudi Arabian market has established itself as a prominent destination for foreign investments. The Kingdom's 2030 Vision includes plans to ease restrictions on foreign investors; an approach which has the effect of encouraging prospective foreign investors.

In our office, we lead foreign investors step by step in their path to establish a business in Saudi Arabia. We advise them on the requirements and most feasible structure for their particular business.

Our services relating to foreign investment include:

- Obtaining foreign investment license from Saudi Arabian General Investment Authority (SAGIA).
- Coordinating and communicating with SAGIA and the Ministry of Commerce and Investment.
- Incorporation of foreign companies (e.g. LLC - Branch office).
- Commercial agency registration.
- Drafting and reviewing commercial agreements (e.g. franchise – distributor).

 ENERGY LAW

Our Office has wide knowledge in providing assistance to clients operating in upstream, midstream and downstream oil and gas markets, as well as in renewable energy, power generation and transmission, coal, mining and minerals, shipping and trading, energy infrastructure development, chemicals/ petrochemicals.

 LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT

In light of the dynamic nature of the Saudi employment environment, many labor related issues have surfaced. Keeping this in mind, our team provides all kind of services that tackle and avoid such issues. These include drafting clear and precise employment contracts that guarantee both parties' rights, advising on various Saudi Labor Law matters, and assisting in litigation of labor disputes before the designated authorities.



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REAL ESTATE

Both individuals and companies have a great deal of interest in transactions relating to real property sale and lease, bringing about an extensive number of actors playing an active role in the real estate market.

We offer our services in the real estate field and these include:

- Transfer of land ownership.
- Tenant and landlord relationship advice.
- General Construction Contracts.
- Real Estate Project Developments.
- Notarization of deeds relating to property sale and lease acts.

® INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Among a business' principle needs is to secure its investments, and an integral part of this is achieved through protecting its intellectual property. Since our team recognizes such need, our main role in this regard is to ensure that our clients maintain lawful ownership of their invested efforts.

Our services in this field consist of:

- Registering trademarks, patents, and copyrights nationally and internationally.
- Drafting intellectual property agreements or clauses.
- Litigating infringements of intellectual property.
- Notarizing documents relating to intellectual property acts.





OUR SERVICES



CORPORATE ADVISORY

In a constantly evolving business environment in Saudi and GCC's, our team utilizes its knowledge and expertise in corporate law, commercial law, and foreign investment to advise corporate clients. Our advice is delivered in a manner that ensures the effectiveness of our clients' transactions, as well as the protection of their interests against manageable risks.

Our team provides high-level and efficient solutions to boards, general counsels, and senior executives to assist them in taking the right decision in managing their businesses.

Corporate advisory services include the following:

- Company formation in Saudi Arabia.
- Revision of complex transactions' agreements.
- Mergers and Acquisitions.
- Legal due diligence.
- Corporate governance systems.
- Contracts regarding movable property.
- Processing IPO's.
- Market regulations, investigations and dealings with regulators.

PRIVATE NOTARY SERVICES

Firas Trabulsi Law Office takes pride in being one of the very first law offices in Saudi Arabia to have been licensed by the Ministry of Justice to provide the recently privatized notary services. Documents notarized at private notaries bear the same official power as those notarized at governmental notary public offices.

The main significance of private notary services lies in that they are available outside official working hours. Thus, enabling individuals including citizens and residents, companies, and embassies to notarize their documents in the most time and cost efficient manner, without the need to visit governmental notary public offices.

Our notary services include duly notarizing the following documents:

- Power of attorney and its revocation.
- Real Estate sale deeds.
- Distribution of movable property.
- Lease deeds of movable and immovable property.
- Company's AOA, its amendments, and shareholders' resolutions.
- Acts regarding trademarks, patents, and copyrights.
- Contracts regarding movable property.
- Declarations of appearance bond and debt guaranty.
- Declarations of sums of money, their receipt, and waiver.





LITIGATION

Our Office tailors legal solutions to clients based on diligent legal evaluation of their disputes in question. In some instances, we advise and lead our clients to resort to alternative dispute resolution mechanisms, such as mediation or arbitration.

Whereas when litigation is necessary, our bilingual team provides competent legal representation for international clients with the same level of proficiency provided to our local clients. We possess a deep understanding of the ins and outs of the Saudi judicial system and its Shari'a basis, which ensures our clients get the best outcome for their dispute in the least time consuming manner.

The Office's litigation services include disputes involving our practice areas before the designated courts, judicial committees, and administrative bodies.