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SECTORS: Infrastructure

SERVICES: Real Estate Disputes, Aviation Dispute Resolution, Business and Human Rights,

Hotels and Hospitality, Energy Dispute Resolution, International Trade Law, Infrastructure Dispute Resolution, International Arbitration, Dispute Resolution,

Employment, Maritime Dispute Resolution, Public Law, Real Estate,

Restructuring and Insolvency

BIO

MOSTAFA IS A SENIOR ASSOCIATE IN THE DISPUTE RESOLUTION GROUP.

He is civil qualified lawyer specialises in dispute resolution, with extensive experience in domestic litigation in the UAE.

He regularly acts for major corporates, prominent banks and governmental entities in all types of contentious and noncontentious matters within the Middle East region. He has experience in the commercial litigation sector focusing on shipping, construction and shareholder disputes.

Mostafa has a vast experience in financial crimes and criminal litigation being a former public prosecutor. He also advised several governmental entities and high net worth individuals in several criminal matters on embezzlement, breach of trust, money laundering, red notice removal and extradition and judicial cooperation under the UAE laws and Interpol rules.

Mostafa is bilingual, he speaks English and Arabic fluently.

EXPERIENCE

Representing a leading construction company in an AED 340 million construction claim regarding building two residential towers and a luxury hotel in Dubai.

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Representing a Singaporean company in a charter party dispute claim against a charterer in relation to stopping discharging the cargo pending the receipt of the freight and succeeded in obtaining a judgment from the Dubai Court of Appeal stating that the parties may agree not to comply with Article 222 of the UAE Maritime Law.
Representing a high-profile interior design company in a complex facility agreement dispute of AED 600 million against a bank i Sharjah, UAE.
Acting as counsel for an Omani state entity concerning several criminal cases before RAK courts to seek attribution for defamatory statements and cyber activities. Also represented concerning embezzlement, breach of trust, and unauthorised dividends distribution cases.
Representing a leading UAE bank in a commercial dispute concerning breaching an AED 1 billion loan agreement.

EDUCATION

 $2014\cdot \text{Master}$ of Laws, International Trade and Private Law, Ain Shams University

 $2012 \cdot \text{Bachelor}$ of Law (English Section), Ain Shams University

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Qualified in Egypt since 2013, qualified to plead before the Egyptian courts of first instance and courts of appeal

Registered with DLAD as a legal counsel

INSIGHTS

ARTICLE

UAE CASE LAW UPDATE - RECENT DUBAI COURT OF CASSATION JUDGMENT ON RECOVERY OF LEGAL COSTS IN ARBITRATION

www.wfw.com/articles/uae-case-law-update-recent-dubai-court-of-cassation-judgment-on-recovery-of-legal-costs-in-arbitration/