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Short Profile of Koshari, Rashed & Riad Law Firm

Koshari, Rashed & Riad is one of the leading Law Firms in Egypt in the field of Corporate Law, Litigation and Arbitration.

Koshari, Rashed & Riad Law Firm has numerous international clients such as Caterpillar, Four Seasons, BP, Arab African International Bank, Siemens, TUI, Bank of America, Time Warner, Lockheed Martin, Cotecna Inspection S.A., Moon Capital, Saudi Telecommunication Company, Krüger Engineering A/S, Flag Corporation, J-power Systems,

Petroleum Geo-Services ASA, Sumitomo Electric Industries Ltd and Philips, United States of America, Siemens ...etc.

Kosheri, Rashed & Riad Law Firm is very active in the field of Arbitration and Litigation as it is considered the top Law Firm in Egypt in this regard. The Partners of K, R and R including Dr. Kosheri and Dr. Riad had acted as chairman of arbitral tribunals, arbitrators, counsel and experts on Egyptian Law in numerous arbitrations in front of ICC, Cairo Regional Center, Dubai International Arbitration Centre, Abu Dhabi International Arbitration Centre and the ICSID.

Kosheri, Rashed & Riad have represented and currently represents numerous clients in the field of arbitration including Siemens, the Egyptian Government, the Government of Kuwait, Transocean, Josef Meissner GmbH, Misr Insurance, Nicholson Manufacturing Company (Seattle), Egyptian Natural Gas Holding Company, Telemedia Egypt, Organization for Industrial and Mining Projects, Engineering Consulting Office, Egyptian Media Production City, Morrison

Knudsen International Inc, Contrack International Inc, ...etc.

Dr. El Kosheri, the Senior Partner of Kosheri, Rashed & Riad, was the Vice Chairman of the ICC Court of Arbitration from 1998 until 2009 and currently Dr. El Kosheri is the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Cairo Regional Arbitration Centre in addition to being member of its Board of Trustees and a member of ICCA.

Dr. Riad is the Chairman of the Executive Committee of Dubai International Arbitration Centre (DIAC) and also a member of DIAC's Board of Trustees. Furthermore, Dr. Riad is an alternate member of the ICC Court of International Arbitration in addition to being member of the International Chamber of Commerce World Business Law Institute Scientific Council, a member of the ICC Commission on Arbitration and member of the ICCA. In short, the Partners of K, R and R and currently involved with three arbitration institutions, the Cairo Regional Arbitration Centre, ICC Court of Arbitration and Dubai International Arbitration Center.

Dr. Kosheri and the Dr. Rashed were members of the Committee that drafted the current Egyptian Arbitration Law. Dr. Kosheri has written numerous articles about arbitration.

Dr. Tarek F. Riad, the Managing Partner of Kosheri, Rashed & Riad was involved in drafting numerous Egyptian Commercial Laws such as the Companies Law, the Telecommunications Law, the Investment Law and the Special Economic Court Law in his capacity as a member of the Economic Committee of the Supreme Policy Council and it might be worth noting that Dr. Riad chaired the two committees responsible for drafting the Special Economic Court Law as well as the Companies Law.

Dr. Riad is professor of business and commercial law at the German University in Cairo and head of its Law Department.

Dr. Riad has written numerous publications including two books entitled The Applicable Law in Transnational Arbitration and the Egyptian Companies Law, in addition to many articles

about arbitration and litigation in Egypt in addition to the legal aspects of doing business in Egypt.

Kosheri, Rashed and Riad represented the Kuwaiti Government in Arbitration between the Kuwaiti Government and the Aminoil Company. The value of said dispute was 2.5 Billion US Dollars.

Dr. Riad was appointed as a member of the investment dispute settlement technical committee chaired by the prime minister of Egypt from January 2014 to December 2014. Among Dr. Riad duties in said committee understanding the different disputes in which Egypt is involved with among them are the disputes in relation to the pipeline and the supply of gas from Israel.

In May 2011, Dr. Riad was appointed as a member of the Consultative Council responsible for preparing drafts laws for the Egyptian Council of Ministries until June 2012.

Dr. Riad was the special legal advisor to the

speaker of the Egyptian Parliament from 1992 till 2000, among Dr. Riad's responsibilities, in this regard, was review of Investment Laws and related Regulations.

Dr. Riad has an L.L.B from Cairo Law School (1980) and an L.L.M (1982) and SJD (1985) from Harvard Law School and in addition to being a member of the Egyptian Bar since 1982 and New York Bar since 1985.

Finally, Kosheri, Rashed & Riad Law Firm was chosen by Corporate INTL Legal Awards as Arbitration Law Firm of the Year in Egypt in 2015; chosen by Global Law Experts Legal Awards as the Dispute Resolution Law Firm of the Year in Egypt in 2015 and was chosen by Chambers and Partners as the Dispute Resolution: Arbitration in Egypt in 2015. Also, K, R and R was chosen M&A International Global Legal Awards as Corporate Law Firm of the Year in Egypt in 2015 and was chosen by ACQ Global Awards as Commercial Law Firm of the year in Egypt 2013.