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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, TUI, Bank of America, Time Warner, Lockheed Martin, Cotecna Inspection S.A., J-power systems, Sumitomo Electric Industries Ltd, Moon Capital, Saudi Telecommunication Company, Flag Corporation, Philips, United States of America and Siemens ...etc.

Kosheri, Rashed & Riad has represented and currently represents numerous clients in litigations in front of Egyptian Courts such as Four Seasons, Samsung, Transocean, Standard Bank, Servier Egypt, Colgate Palmolive for Trading & Distribution, Daimler AG, Misr Insurance, Nicholson Manufacturing Company (Seattle), Josef Meissner GmbH, Egyptian Media Production City, United States of America...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 of the of the Cairo Regional Arbitration Centre and a member of ICCA. 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 a member of the Board of Trustees and the Chairman of the Executive Committee of Dubai International Arbitration Centre in addition to being a member of the International Chamber of Commerce World Business Law Institute Council. 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. Riad was appointed as Alternate Member of the ICC International Court of Arbitration (2012 to present).

Dr. Kosheri and the late Dr. Rashed were members of the Committee that drafted the current Egyptian Arbitration Law.

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.

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 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 was chosen by Corporate INTL Legal Awards as Arbitration Law Firm of the Year in Egypt in 2015, it was chosen by Global Law Experts Legal Awards as the Dispute Resolution Law Firm of the Year in Egypt in 2015, it 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.