

ABDULJABBAR ALHAYANI

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LOCATION Vienna, VA, USA

LANGUAGES Arabic 5/5

5 = Functional Native Proficiency
4 = Advanced Professional Fluency
3 = General Professional Fluency
2 = Limited Working Proficiency
1 = Basic Knowledge

English 4/5

YEARS OF PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE 17

DEGREE(S) EARNED

- Ph.D. in Public law, Al-Nahrain University, Iraq, 2007
 - Master's Degree in Public Law, Al-Nahrain University, Iraq, 2003
 - B.A. in Public Law, Al-Nahrain University, Iraq, 2000
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CERTIFICATIONS/ASSOCIATIONS

- Iraqi Bar Association
 - Virginia Realtor's Association
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TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Iraqi Law, Investment Law, Labor Law, Administrative Law, Tax and Customs Laws, Real Estate Law

BIOGRAPHY

Dr. AbdullJabbar AlHayani is a skilled and qualified legal expert with diverse experience in providing legal assistance to different private sector and government entities. He has assisted in drafting and developing government regulations, instructions, and polices for the administration of businesses in Iraq, and he has also acquired many years of project management and contract drafting experience.

EXPERIENCE

BAYT AL-HIKMAH LEGAL SERVICES AND CONSULTANCY LLC (BHC), IRAQ

Law Practice Director, June 2015 – present

Dr. AlHayani advises BHC clients on Iraqi commercial, corporate and intellectual property laws. He also advises investors in the areas of infrastructure project development and financing, and he assists investors in obtaining investment licenses from the National Investment Commission, ensuring that they obtain the available benefits, privileges and exemptions in accordance with the national investment law.

NATIONAL INVESTMENT COMMISSION, IRAQ

Legal Advisor, 2008 – 2013

As the Legal Advisor, Dr. AlHayani drafted investment contracts for a wide variety of construction and infrastructure projects in Iraq, and he regularly reviewed investors' financing documentation per the standards set forth under the national investment law. Dr. AlHayani also directly assisted investors in obtaining tax and customs exemptions, and he actively engaged in investment promotion efforts by participating in the first Iraqi Investment and

Business Forum – Germany and Iraq Finance Conference held in the United Kingdom in 2012. In this role, Dr. AlHayani also prepared and drafted the first and second amendments to the National Investment Law, as well as the associated regulations and instructions. He was frequently called upon to provide legal analyses and explanations concerning the laws and policies regulating the work of the National Investment Commission, and he provided legal opinions and resolutions regarding conflicts between the Commission and other agencies.

AL- MANSOUR UNIVERSITY, IRAQ

Instructor, 2005 – 2008

Dr. AlHayani lectured students on Iraqi business law and financial law topics such as commercial contracts, business incorporation, taxation, expenditures, and national budget laws.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- *Economic and Social Commission of Western Asia (ESCWA) Arbitration Workshop, United Nations, Beirut, Lebanon, 2012*
- *U.S. Department of Commerce Commercial Law Development Program Seminar, Washington, DC, 2011*
- *American Arbitration Association Workshop, USAID, Baghdad, Iraq, 2010*
- *Effective Protection of Trademarks and the WTO/TRIPS Agreement Workshop, USAID, Baghdad, Iraq, 2009*