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Professional Experience

Mr. Ali Al Aidarous is the founder and Managing Attorney of Al Aidarous International Legal Practice, a full service law firm practising advocacy and legal consultancy having its head office in Dubai and a branch office in Abu Dhabi. He is a litigator, arbitrator and legal expert who has been practicing law for more than 25 years, with rights of audience before all local and federal UAE Courts, as well as the DIFC Courts. He handles complex commercial and civil disputes in various industries including shipping, insurance, real estate and construction.

Mr. Al Aidarous has long been heavily involved in international and regional arbitration, sitting as a chairman and co-arbitrator in various arbitrations. He is currently sitting as arbitrator in cases before DIAC, the DIFC-LCIA, the ICC in Paris and the Sharjah International Commercial Arbitration Centre (TAHKEEM).

Mr. Al Aidarous was the UAE representative in the ICC Court, Paris, and is currently a board member of the ICC UAE Committee, and Chairman of the ICC-UAE Commission on Arbitration & ADR. He is also a member of the Financial Markets Tribunal of the Dubai Financial Services Authority.

Mr. Al Aidarous is frequently appointed as a UAE law expert before foreign courts and in international arbitrations. As counsel, he has advised clients on matters relating to a variety of industries, including international distribution contracts, banking, Islamic finance, insurance, carriage (air and sea), construction, real estate, and joint ventures.

Mr. Al Aidarous is an active member at the IBA since 1995 and regularly speaks at regional and international arbitration conferences such as those held by the IBA, the ICC and the Global Arbitration Review.

Mr. Al Aidarous graduated from Al Ain University and pursued his postgraduate studies in France. He is fluent in Arabic, English and French.