

SHERIF ATEF EL HOSSENY

Partner

Admitted before Court of Appeal

PRACTICE DESCRIPTION

Sherif Atef El Hosseny is a founding Partner of Rizkana & Partners. Sherif primarily focuses on banking & finance, aviation (mainly aircraft finance), real estate and hospitality.

With a heavy practice focus on banking & finance, Sherif has advised numerous Egyptian and multinational leading banks and financial institutions in connection with various high-value syndicated facilities and loans, project finance, settlements of debts and debt restructures. He has also been involved in representing major multinational aircraft leasing companies and financial institutions in connection with various cross-border transactions related to the lease and finance of various aircraft to public and private carriers in the Egyptian market and abroad.

Before establishing Rizkana & Partners, Sherif spent more than 9 years with a leading international law firm in Egypt. Sherif was an active member in the banking & finance practice group within the Europe, Middle East and Africa region of that firm. Sherif joined the said international law firm after several years as an in-house counsel in a private investment company with a diversified business both locally and internationally in banking, industry, real estate, hospitality and aviation. Having more than 16 years of experience with special focus on banking & finance, aviation and hospitality, Sherif regularly acts as lead lawyer in the transactions he is involved in.

Sherif is admitted to practice before the Court of Appeal in Egypt and has a Master of Law degree in International Air and Space Law in 2005, with distinction from Leiden University, The Netherlands. He obtained a Bachelor of Law degree in 2001 from Cairo University and a Bachelor of Arts from the American University in Cairo in political science with an International Relations specialization and emphasis on Western European history. Sherif has also obtained the IATA Air Law Diploma in Geneva in 2010 and the Banking Lawyer's Certificate from the Egyptian Banking Institute of the Central Bank of Egypt in 2014.



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What others say...

Clients say Sherif El Hosseny «combines legal expertise with being commercially savvy. » His areas of expertise include aircraft finance, securities and banking. » Chambers & Partners 2015 - Egypt, Banking & Finance.

Ranked in Band 3 by Chambers & Partners 2015 - Egypt, Banking & Finance.

Sherif El Hosseny is 'commercially oriented and effective with a good grasp of international clients' requirements' Legal 500 EMEA 2015 - Egypt - Banking & Finance.

«The up-and-coming Sherif El Hosseny is highly regarded for his work in the aviation industry. » Chambers & Partners 2014 - Egypt, Mergers & Acquisitions.

«Sherif El Hosseny earns praise from clients for his «tremendous» expertise in aviation. » Chambers & Partners 2013 - Egypt, Mergers & Acquisitions.