

INVITATION FROM SJ BERWIN

Shariah compliant Private Equity and Hedge funds

Monday 18 January 2010

Venue Speakers Programme Timetable Training

SJ Berwin would like to invite you to a breakfast seminar on Shariah compliant Private Equity and Hedge Funds.

Over the past 18 months, we have seen increased interest from fund managers and general partners wishing to attract Middle Eastern finance and/or from investors who are seeking to invest in Shariah compliant funds. With this in mind, and to facilitate the diversifying needs of our clients, we have launched a dedicated Shariah Funds Group, which forms part of our mainstream Funds practice. This follows the successful launch of SJ Berwin's Dubai office which provides legal and strategic advice to clients worldwide doing business in the MENA region.

We are delighted to announce that the Rt Hon Lord Mayor of London Alderman Nick Anstee will open the seminar which will focus on the concept and structuring of Shariah compliant funds. There will also be a detailed consideration of the Shariah screening process for portfolio investments. Speakers will include experts in the field of Islamic Finance, from Afkar Consulting, Amiri Capital and the Islamic Finance Council, as well as the Shariah Funds Group at SJ Berwin.

Venue

SJ Berwin,
10 Queen Street Place,
London
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Speakers

Nick Anstee
Lord Mayor of London

Michael Halford
Partner
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Bill Ismail
Senior Associate
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Iqbal Asaria
Islamic Finance Lead
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Omar Shaikh
Executive Board Member
Islamic Finance Council

Ajay Pathak
Partner
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Bindesh Shah
Partner
Amiri Capital LLP

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Programme

- Welcome and Introduction - Nick Anstee, Lord Mayor of London
- Shariah compliant Private Equity funds - Michael Halford, Partner, and Bill Ismail, Senior Associate, SJ Berwin
- Shariah screening for Private Equity and Listed securities - Iqbal Asaria, Afkar Consulting, and Omar Shaikh, Executive Board Member, Islamic Finance Council
- Shariah compliant Hedge Funds - Bindesh Shah, Partner, Amiri Capital LLP and Ajay Pathak, Partner, SJ Berwin

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Timetable

Start	Finish	Title
08.00	08.30	Registration and buffet breakfast
08.30	10.10	Seminar commences
10.10	10.20	Questions & panel discussion
10.20		Coffee and discussion

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Training

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