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Date: 2015/07/03, 8:47 AM To: Ajay Gupta; AJAY PA

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] Sent: 02 July 2015 03:54 PM

To: O'Sullivan, Macky

Cc: Ronica Ragavan; Issa, Nabil; Hansraj, Shivona; Du Toit, Jaco

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Nabil/Macky,

Thanks for the call just now with you and Ronica. To confirm the discussions:

- 1. Varun will be the initiator for his Dubai structure (Kamal initiator for his Dubai structure) .
- 2. Ashika will be lender under Mudaraba to "Varun's" DIFC SPC. Soo Young will be lender under Mudaraba to "Kamal's" DIFC SPC.
- 3. There will be no trust arrangement in place.
- 4. The share call option will be in favour of the lenders.
- 5. Ashika and Soo are not South African tax residents, and are not connected to the Initiators (Varun and Kamal).

6. Client is happy on the good standing of the lenders in case the call option needs to be exercised.

Ronica please revert if anything incorrect. Based on the aforesaid, Mackay will lodge the papers for the DIFC setup.

Kind regards.

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Macky, I suspect that client will not be happy to have Soo Young having the share charge and call option over the Emirati's shares in the DiFC SPC. I suggest in this case that Ashika be the sole provider of finance and holder of the call option and share charge. Ronica to confirm this.

What I am not certain of is the following:

- 1. What type of finance is envisaged intially? I assume here that the finance which Ashika will provide will be to set up the legal structure (so we are not talking big sums I would guess max Dir50 000 per structure). Is this correct?
- 2. If further finance is required by the Dubai LLC, is there anything stopping the Dunai LLC from getting such funding from third parties or banks or the initiators themselves?
- 3. The Mudaraba will also be a further (and second source of funding) which will be advanced by Ashika to the DIFC Spc allowing Ashika to take 99% of all dividends and profits of the Dubai SPC? The Mudaraba will be an arrangement between Ashika and the Emirati?
- 4. Will the Mudaraba arrangement be in place from the outset so as to tie down the Emirati?
- 5. There should be no formal arrangement between Ashika and the Initiators as this could claw back the SA tax in the hands of the initiators.

Please revert. If needs be lets arrange a Concall today please.

Kind regards. Muhammad

Sent from my iPhone

On 01 Jul 2015, at 4:10 PM, O'Sullivan, Macky <> wrote:

Dear Muhammad,

Further to our call today regarding the structure, we suggest the following revised structure:

- Varun/Kamal remain the Initiators. We explain to the DIFC Registrar of Companies that the DIFC SPC is being set up to bring in financing from the Lender (Soo Young Jeon/Aashika Singh) which will be invested by the DIFC SPC into the Dubai LLC of which the Initiator is a 49% shareholder and will therefore benefit from the proceeds of such financing.

Please note that the "Initiator" is simply the party establishing the SPC. The Initiator is the party that appoints the Corporate Service Provider and instructs the them moving forward. Consequently, the Emirati shareholder cannot be the Initiator.

- -There will be <u>no trust deed</u> between Varun/Kamal and the Emirati shareholder. The shares will not be held on trust for Varun/Kamal.
- Soo Young Jeon/Aashika Singh will have a share charge and call option over the Emirati shareholder's shares in the DIFC SPC.
- -Kamal/Varun will have a separate arrangement with Soo Young Jeon/Aashika Singh.

Please let me know whether the above works from a South African tax perspective. I am available to discuss at your convenience.

Best regards, Macky

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**Sent:** 01 July 2015 17:26 **To:** 'Saloojee, Muhammad'

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Thank you.

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