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MBH AND MB UAE SHORTLISTED FOR 6 IFLR MIDDLE EAST AWARDS 2021

Matouk Bassiouny & Hennawy (“MBH”) and Matouk Bassiouny UAE (“MB UAE”) are delighted to announce that they have been shortlisted for six awards in five different categories for the upcoming IFLR Middle East Awards 2021.

MBH and MB UAE has been shortlisted in:

- **M&A Deal of the Year**
 - for its work acting as Egyptian counsel to the EBRD-CDC consortium in its acquisition of more than 95% of the shares in Adwia SAE.
 - for its work acting as Egyptian counsel to First Abu Dhabi Bank in its 100% acquisition of Bank Audi SAE, Bank Audi’s subsidiary in Egypt.
- **Egypt Firm of the Year.** MBH is honored to once again be nominated for this prestigious award. If won, that will mark the fifth year since 2014 that MBH has won National Firm of the Year in Egypt.
- **Domestic Deal of the Year** for its work on the acquisition of DXB Entertainments to Meraas, the Dubai company that now already owns more than 90% of the company.
- **M&A Team of the Year** for its continued work on high-value sophisticated deals, innovative solutions to start-up legal incubation in Egypt and sector expertise development.
- **Women Dealmakers Hall of Fame:** Mariam Auda is a Partner in the Corporate and M&A practice group of MBH and has been with the firm since 2008. Above and beyond Mariam’s stellar reputation and track record in the legal field, as the Head of the firm’s Diversity and Inclusion program, Mariam is setting a precedent in the local Egyptian market by cementing the firm’s commitment to foster and equal opportunity ecosystem.

MBH and MB UAE would like to take this opportunity to thank the IFLR team for its exceptional work throughout the research process.

To see the full list of shortlisted firms please visit IFLR’s website:

<https://www.iflr.com/article/b1tdtqtyp616v/iflr-middle-east-awards-2021-shortlist-revealed>

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