

SCHEDULE 1

Form of Will 1

I [name] of [address] declare this to be my last Will.

1. I declare that I am not Muslim and have never been a Muslim.
2. This Will is made in respect of my immovable and movable Property situated in the [United Arab Emirates (“my UAE Estate”)] *or* [insert geographical scope of the Will here*]

** independent legal advice should be taken to confirm the validity of the Will including whether the Will is enforceable in any particular jurisdiction*

*A DIFC Will cannot be registered for foreign jurisdictions **only**. A DIFC Will must contain assets situated within at least one or more Emirate of the United Arab Emirates.*

3. I revoke all my earlier testamentary dispositions to the extent that they relate to [my UAE Estate] *or* [insert geographical scope of the Will here].
4. I appoint [] [(also known as [])] to be my executor[s] and trustee[s] in relation to my [UAE Estate] *or* [insert geographical scope of the Will here].
5. [I appoint [my [husband/wife] *or* the children’s [father/mother]]] to be the guardian of our child[ren] in the event of my death, unless such guardianship has been previously withdrawn/revoked from [him/her] by law (on the basis of [his/her] legal disability or if [he/she] has been found unfit). In the event that my [[husband/wife] *or* the children’s [father/mother]] predeceases me, then I appoint [] to be the [interim and permanent *or* (only) permanent] guardian[s] of my child[ren] during their minority].
6. [Specific gifts]
7. My executors shall:
 - 7.1 pay my debts, funeral and testamentary expenses, legacies, administrative fees and other liabilities on all property which vests in them; and
 - 7.2 hold the residue of my [UAE Estate] *or* [insert geographical scope of the will here] after payment of my debts, funeral and testamentary expenses, legacies,

administrative fees and other liabilities on all property which vests in them (“my Residuary Estate”) as set out below.

- 8. [Residuary gifts]
- 9. The law and the Rules of the Dubai International Financial Centre (including the Wills and Probate Registry (WPR) Rules) govern the validity of this Will and its construction, effect and the administration of my [UAE Estate].**
- 10. The Courts of the Dubai International Financial Centre (as established under Dubai Law No. 12 of 2004) have exclusive jurisdiction in any proceedings involving rights or obligations under this Will or the administration of my [UAE Estate].**

***Depending on the geographical scope of the Will, we recommend speaking to an appropriate legal advisor to help draft the terms of clauses 9 and 10 in this Form of Will.*

Signed by [name] to give effect to this Will,
in the presence of the Witnesses, present at the same time,
who have each signed this Will in the presence of the Testator

Signature of Testator

Date

1st Witness Signature

2nd Witness Signature

1st Witness Name

2nd Witness Name

1st Witness Address

2nd Witness Address

This Will will be void if the Testator is a Muslim at any time before [his/her] death.