



**Press Release: DIFC Guide to Islamic Finance notes the importance of RHT Partners' unique investment philosophy as the future for Islamic Finance**

RHT Partners is a private equity investment company constituted to generate exceptional commercial returns for its investors through thoughtful and well considered investments made in companies that operate in Shariah-compliant, ethical industries with a specific sector focus on knowledge based, *progressive*, industries.

RHT is an acronym for three transliterated Arabic terms, "Rizq" (earning one's sustenance), "Halal" (ethical, Shariah compliant) and "Tayyab" (Wholesome, Progressive) and encapsulates the vision of the founders of the company namely to combine leading international calibre conventional and Islamic investment professionals to build a world class flag-ship institution that will set new standards, raise the bar and achieve nothing less than excellence in the fields of Islamic Finance and Private Equity.

"Central to this vision is the articulation, realisation and application of a set of standards which raise the bar for the entire industry, a more holistic approach which commands more than 'mere' compliance as an investment criterion, something we call the 'Tayyab Factor'... " comments Tariq Shaikh, founder and Managing Partner of RHT Partners. "There are a number of spheres of application of the Tayyab concept ranging from best practice corporate governance and corporate social responsibility to the development of innovative - more equity based - structures and modes of Islamic finance to execute investment transactions."

On the reference of RHT in the recent DIFC Islamic Finance Guide Mr. Shaikh comments "We are honoured to be mentioned in the DIFC Guide on Islamic Finance and hope to play a role in conjunction with like-minded partners to build positively on the exemplar growth demonstrated by what is still an emerging industry with huge potential".

RHT is developing a white paper on the subject of Tayyab. For more information please contact [info@rhtpartnes.com](mailto:info@rhtpartnes.com)