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Chambers of Zainul Rijal &
Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal

Advocates & Solicitors | Sharie Counsel | Mediators |
Arbitrators | Commissioners for Oaths

We See The Law Differently.

Foreword

by Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar

It is with great pleasure and immense pride that I present the Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) and its esteemed counterpart, the Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR). Together, these firms stand as a testament to a lifelong commitment to the law and an unwavering pursuit of justice in its many forms. My journey in the legal field began with the founding of Messrs Zainul Rijal Talha & Amir in 1996, a period during which I witnessed firsthand the dynamic evolution of the legal landscape in Malaysia. It was this invaluable experience and a keen foresight for the growing need for specialized legal services that led to the establishment of CZAR in 2020, focusing on civil law. Recognizing the equally vital and distinct domain of Islamic jurisprudence, SCZAR was subsequently established in 2022 to provide dedicated expertise in Shariah law.

CZAR and SCZAR represent a continuation and an amplification of the core values that have been the bedrock of my career: unwavering integrity in every action, a relentless commitment to achieving excellence for our clients, and a profound compassion for those we are privileged to serve. We firmly believe in upholding the highest ethical standards, ensuring that our clients receive not only the best possible legal representation but also counsel that is both sound and principled. More than just navigating legal complexities, we are dedicated to a holistic approach to justice. This philosophy acknowledges the intricate tapestry of human relationships and underscores our commitment to finding solutions that transcend the often-limiting adversarial nature of legal disputes, now enhanced by our integrated civil and Shariah capabilities.

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This unique dual-expertise structure is born from the understanding that the needs of our clients often traverse the perceived boundaries of civil and Shariah law. By fostering a seamless synergy between CZAR and SCZAR, we aim to provide comprehensive, nuanced, and effective legal solutions that are tailored to the specific circumstances of each individual and entity we represent. Our vision is to be a beacon where the diverse streams of legal thought converge, offering clarity and resolution. This is the essence of our motto, "We See The Law Differently" – not merely as a set of rules, but as a dynamic instrument for achieving fairness, equity, and harmony in society.

We are committed to not only upholding the letter of the law but also its spirit, ensuring that justice is accessible and meaningful. As we look to the future, we are dedicated to continuous learning, mentoring the next generation of legal professionals, and contributing positively to the ongoing development of the Malaysian legal system. We invite you to experience the dedication, expertise, and compassionate service that define the Chambers of Zainul Rijal and the Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal.

Sincerely,

Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar
Principal Partner at Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) & Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR)

Our Story

A Legacy Forged in Justice, Expanding for the Future

From the vibrant heart of Subang Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, a vision for a different kind of legal practice took root. On June 26, 2020, the Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) was established by the highly respected Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar. This was not merely the beginning of a new firm, but the continuation of a profound legal journey that began with Messrs Zainul Rijal Talha & Amir in 1996. For 24 years, that predecessor firm carved a niche of distinction, building a legacy of integrity and success that CZAR was poised to inherit and expand upon.

The establishment of CZAR marked a new chapter, carrying forward an unwavering commitment to navigating the multifaceted Malaysian legal system. But the pursuit of comprehensive justice didn't stop there. Recognizing the distinct and equally critical need for specialized expertise in Islamic jurisprudence, the Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR) was founded on November 25, 2022. This strategic evolution allows us to offer a truly holistic service, addressing legal matters with a nuanced understanding of both civil and Shariah principles.

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Our journey has been defined by a relentless pursuit of justice for our clients. The team at CZAR and SCZAR is recognized for its adeptness in demystifying complex legal terrains, skillfully charting courses through both civil law and the intricate principles of Shariah. We have stood at the forefront of significant legal challenges, championing causes in landmark civil and public interest cases, with several matters reaching the Federal Court and contributing to the very fabric of Malaysian legal precedent. Our story is one of continuous growth, driven by a passion for the law and a deep-seated commitment to serving our community with diligence and compassion.



Our Mission & Vision

Mission

To provide exceptional legal services with integrity, compassion, and innovation, championing justice and empowering our clients while upholding the highest ethical standards.

Vision

To be a leading force in shaping a just and equitable society, recognized for our expertise, holistic approach to legal solutions, and unwavering commitment to our clients and the community.

A Distinguished Career

The Background of Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar



The principal partner of CZAR & SCZAR, **Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar**, is a towering figure in the Malaysian legal landscape. Born in Teluk Intan, Perak, he received his early education in Teluk Intan before attending Sekolah Izzuddin Shah in Ipoh and later Kolej Islam Klang.

Educational Background

Bachelor of Laws (Honours) LL.B(Hons)
International Islamic University Malaysia

Master of Laws (LL.M)
Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia

Diploma in Shariah Law & Practice (DLSA)
Universiti Teknologi MARA

Advanced Mediation Certificate
Australia

Certificate in Human Rights
Geneva International Centre for Justice

Awards and Recognitions

Darjah Dato' Paduka Mahkota Perak (DPMP)
Carrying the title Dato'(Bestowed by the Sultan of Perak)

Ahli Mangku Negara (A.M.N)
Conferred by the Yang di-Pertuan Agong

Honorary Superintendent
Royal Malaysia Police (PDRM)

National Book Award 2019 (Category: Best General Book - Islamic Law)
For the publication "Sebelum dan Sesudah Ijab & Kabul, Perspektif Undang-Undang"

Deputy Commissioner (Associate) (Timbalan Pesuruhjaya Bersekutu)
Malaysian Civil Defence Force (APM)

Certificate of Appreciation - Adiwira Prihatin Musibah
Malaysian Civil Defence Force (APM)

His distinguished career is marked by a deep commitment to justice, a breadth of expertise, and an unwavering dedication to the legal profession. He is, among other things:



An **Advocate and Solicitor of the High Court of Malaya**, demonstrating his mastery of civil law and his right to represent clients in the highest courts of the land.



The **founder of the legal firm Tetuan Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR)**, a testament to his entrepreneurial spirit and his vision for a modern, forward-thinking legal practice.



A recipient of the **Darjah Dato' Paduka Mahkota Perak (DPMP)**, which carries the title **Dato'**, an honor bestowed by the Sultan of Perak in recognition of his significant contributions to society.



A **Sharie Lawyer** with practicing certificates in multiple states across Peninsular Malaysia, including Johor, Melaka, the Federal Territories (Kuala Lumpur, Labuan, and Putrajaya), Selangor, Negeri Sembilan, Terengganu, Kelantan, Pulau Pinang, and Perak. This showcases his deep understanding and expertise in Islamic jurisprudence.



The **founder of the Shariah law firm Tetuan Chambers of Zainul Rijal (Shariah) (SCZAR)** dedicated to provide services in Islamic jurisprudence.



A **columnist for the widely circulated newspaper Utusan Malaysia**, where he shares his legal insights and perspectives on current issues with the public.



Advisor to the Muslim Lawyers Association of Malaysia (Persatuan Peguam-Peguam Muslim Malaysia - PPMM).



Former President of the Sharie Lawyers Body of the Federal Territories.



Former President of the Sharie Lawyers Association of Malaysia (PGSM), highlighting his leadership role within the Shariah legal community.



Former President of the Muslim Lawyers Association of Malaysia (PPMM), further demonstrating his commitment to the legal profession and his ability to lead and inspire his peers.



Former Member of the Technical Committee on Civil and Shariah Law, showcasing his expertise and influence in shaping legal frameworks at a national level

Former Member of the Rules Committee of the Shariah Judiciary Department of Malaysia (JKSM), Selangor, and Perak, underscoring his involvement in developing and refining Shariah court procedures.

A **certified Mediator**, skilled in facilitating communication and helping parties reach mutually agreeable resolutions.

A **certified Conciliator**, adept at bridging divides and fostering understanding in conflict situations.

A **certified Arbitrator**, qualified to provide impartial and binding decisions in disputes.

Chief Trainer in professional Mediation and Conciliation in Malaysia, highlighting his commitment to developing and promoting alternative dispute resolution methods.

An **Assistant Commissioner (Associate)** of the Malaysian Civil Defence Force (APM).

Recipient of the honorary superintendent title by the Royal Malaysia Police (PDRM).

Expert Witness and International Speaker

Dato' Zainul Rijal's expertise is recognized internationally. He has served as an **expert witness in courts in Australia, Denmark, Luxembourg, and the United Kingdom.** He is also a sought-after speaker, having presented papers in various countries including **Singapore, Australia, New Zealand, Bahrain, Jordan, Egypt, the United Kingdom, Switzerland, Hong Kong, and the United States.**

Academic and Community Contributions

He was also **appointed as an Adjunct Professor at Multimedia University.** He also serves as a **member of the Advisory Council for the Faculty of Law/Shariah and Industry Advisor** for six public and private universities. He was also appointed as a **Member of the Federal Territories Islamic Religious Council (MAIWP).**

This impressive array of accomplishments and roles underscores Dato' Zainul Rijal's profound impact on the Malaysian legal landscape. His experience, expertise, and unwavering dedication to justice are the cornerstones upon which CZAR is built.



Dual Expertise

CZAR and SCZAR

CZAR operates in tandem with its sister firm, the **Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR)**. This unique structure allows for a seamless integration of legal services, catering to the diverse needs of our clients.

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CZAR handles a broad spectrum of civil law matters, providing expert counsel and representation in areas such as contract law, property law, tort law, family law, administrative and constitutional law, commercial and corporate law, and construction law.

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SCZAR focuses exclusively on Shariah law, offering specialized services in Islamic family law, Islamic inheritance law, Islamic finance, Wakaf, and, where applicable, Islamic criminal law.

This dual-chamber approach ensures that clients receive comprehensive and expert legal advice, regardless of whether their needs fall under civil law, Shariah law, or a combination of both.

Our Esteemed Advisors

Pillars of Wisdom and Experience

At CZAR and SCZAR, our pursuit of legal excellence is profoundly shaped and enriched by the wisdom of two distinguished figures in the Malaysian legal and religious spheres. Their immense experience and deep understanding of the law provide an invaluable bedrock of guidance for our firm.

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YBhg. Tan Sri Syeikh Ghazali Abdul Rahman



A luminary in Islamic jurisprudence, Tan Sri Syeikh Ghazali's vast and profound knowledge of Shariah law is unparalleled. He served as the **Chief Judge of the Shariah Court of Appeal for the Federal Territories** for over a decade, leaving an indelible mark on the development and application of Islamic law in Malaysia.

He was a **former Director-General of the Department of Islamic Judiciary Malaysia (JKSM)**, where he spearheaded reforms and initiatives to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of the Shariah judicial system.

Former Chief Sharie Judge of the State of Penang with vast experience on managing and administering of Islamic law.

Former Judge of the Shariah Court of Appeal for the States of Penang, Perak, Selangor, Negeri Sembilan, Melaka and the Federal Territories.

He is a **highly sought-after speaker and author** on matters related to Shariah law, Islamic finance, and Islamic family law, both domestically and internationally.

He was **actively involved in the establishment of the Legal and Shariah committee for the Association of Islamic Banks Malaysia (AIBIM).**

His **guidance and counsel** are invaluable to CZAR, particularly in complex cases involving Shariah law, ensuring that the firm's strategies are both legally sound and religiously informed.

YBhg. Dato' Haji Mohd Zaki bin Haji Abdul Wahab



Dato' Haji Mohd Zaki bin Haji Abdul Wahab, born on August 14, 1958, in Batu Kurau, Perak, stands as a respected figure in the Malaysian legal fraternity. His foundational education began at Sek. Keb. Anak Kurau, Batu Kurau, Perak, followed by studies at Sek. Izzuddin Shah, Ipoh, Perak, and Kolej Islam Kelang, Kelang, Selangor. He culminated his academic journey by earning an LLB. Hons. from Universiti Malaya, Kuala Lumpur.

Dato' Zaki embarked on his extensive career in the **Malaysian Judicial and Legal Service** on May 3, 1982, serving diligently until his retirement on May 2, 2010. Throughout his tenure, he accumulated diverse experience across various pivotal roles, including **Magistrate, Assistant Director of the Bureau of Legal Aid, Deputy Public Prosecutor, Senior Federal Counsel, and Sessions Court Judge.**

A significant highlight of his career was his appointment as a **Judicial Commissioner of the High Court of Malaya** on May 3, 2010. Subsequently, he was elevated to the esteemed position of a High Court Judge of Malaya. Dato' Zaki officially retired as a High Court Judge of Malaya on August 14, 2024.

In recognition of his contributions and service, Dato' Haji Mohd Zaki bin Haji Abdul Wahab has been honored with notable awards, including the **Dato Paduka Mahkota Perlis (DPMP)** and **PCM (Perak)**. His profound **insights into judicial decision-making and extensive knowledge of civil law procedures** provide invaluable counsel to Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR), particularly in litigation and dispute resolution matters.

Our Team

The Heart of CZAR & SCZAR

At CZAR, we believe that our people are our greatest asset. Our team is a dynamic blend of seasoned veterans and energetic young lawyers, all united by a shared passion for the law and a commitment to our clients.

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CZAR & SCZAR Chart



Advisor I
Tan Sri Syeikh Ghazali
Abdul Rahman



Principal Partner
Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal
Bin Abu Bakar



Advisor II
YBhg. Dato' Haji Mohd Zaki
Bin Haji Abdul Wahab



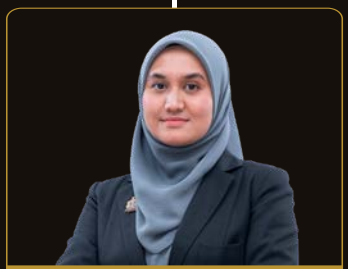
Managing Partner
Danial Farhan Bin Zainul Rijal



Junior Partner
Muhammad Isyraf Rusydi Bin
Mohd Fauzi



Civil and Criminal Litigation Division
Danial Farhan Bin Zainul Rijal



Shariah Litigation Division
Nur Amirah Haziqah Binti
Mohd Sabri



Alternative Dispute Resolution Division
Farah Aleah Binti
Zainul Rijal



Administration Division
Hazlan Bin Ali

LEADERSHIP

The firm is led by the visionary **Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar**, whose extensive experience and esteemed reputation provide an unparalleled foundation for success.

LEGAL TEAM

Our team of lawyers and Sharie counsel possess in-depth knowledge and practical experience in their respective fields. They are not only skilled advocates but also compassionate advisors, dedicated to understanding each client's unique needs and crafting tailored legal solutions.

SUPPORT STAFF

Our dedicated support staff plays a vital role in ensuring the smooth operation of the firm. Their professionalism, efficiency, and commitment to client service are integral to the CZAR experience.

A Holistic Approach to Justice

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The journey of Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) and Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR) reflects a deep understanding of the evolving complexities inherent in modern legal challenges. Our growth into a comprehensive legal service provider is driven by the recognition that true advocacy extends far beyond the traditional confines of the courtroom. While we stand ready to champion our clients' interests with robust litigation, our expertise is equally vested in the nuanced art of negotiation, the strategic pursuit of mediation, and the principled path to peaceful resolutions.

This commitment to a multifaceted strategy stems from our core belief that the law, in its highest application, serves a purpose greater than mere adjudication. It is a powerful instrument for positive change, capable of not only resolving disputes but also of fostering understanding, mending relationships, and paving the way for reconciliation. Embracing this holistic perspective allows us to delve deeper, to understand the human element within each case, and to tailor solutions that are not only legally sound but also restorative and forward-looking. It is this philosophy that truly defines our approach and underscores our dedication to achieving outcomes that resonate with fairness and enduring justice.

Mediation, Arbitration, and Conciliation

The Triad of Alternative Dispute Resolution

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At the heart of CZAR's expanded services lies the triad of alternative dispute resolution: **mediation, arbitration, and conciliation.** These methods are not merely alternatives but are often the preferred paths for clients seeking efficient, cost-effective, and less adversarial solutions.

MEDIATION

CZAR's skilled mediators act as neutral facilitators, guiding parties towards mutually acceptable agreements. This process emphasizes communication and collaboration, empowering clients to retain control over the outcome of their disputes.

ARBITRATION

In matters requiring a more structured approach, CZAR offers expert arbitration services. The firm's arbitrators, well-versed in both civil and Shariah law, provide fair and impartial judgments, ensuring that each case is resolved with the utmost integrity.

CONCILIATION

Recognizing the importance of preserving relationships, CZAR's conciliators work diligently to bridge divides and foster understanding between conflicting parties. This approach is particularly valuable in family and community disputes, where maintaining harmony is paramount.



Areas of Expertise

A Comprehensive Legal Practice

At Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) and Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR), we pride ourselves on a spectrum of legal expertise that is both broad and deep. This allows us to deliver comprehensive and meticulously tailored legal solutions to a diverse clientele, encompassing individuals, businesses, and organisations. Our integrated approach ensures that whether your needs fall squarely within civil litigation, require nuanced Shariah counsel, or bridge aspects of both, you receive cohesive and strategic advice.

Our legal teams are not only proficient in established disciplines of law but are also keenly attuned to emerging legal trends and complexities. This commitment to staying at the forefront of legal developments ensures we are thoroughly equipped to navigate even the most intricate and challenging cases with skill, foresight, and unwavering dedication to your best interests. We strive to be your trusted advisors across every facet of your legal journey.

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Civil Litigation: Advocacy in the Pursuit of Justice

CZAR's civil litigation practice is a cornerstone of its legal services. The firm's advocates are skilled in representing clients in a diverse range of civil disputes, including:



CONTRACT LAW

- Breach of contract disputes (e.g., non-payment, non-performance, disputes over contractual terms)
- Negotiation and drafting of contracts
- Contract review and interpretation
- Specific performance and injunctions



PROPERTY LAW

- Land disputes (e.g., boundary disputes, ownership claims, adverse possession)
- Landlord and tenant disputes (e.g., eviction, rental arrears, breach of lease agreements)
- Sale and purchase of property (e.g., conveyancing, disputes over sale agreements)
- Strata title disputes

TORT LAW

- Negligence claims (e.g., personal injury, medical negligence, professional negligence)
- Defamation (libel and slander)
- Nuisance claims
- Trespass to land or property

FAMILY LAW

- Divorce and separation
- Child custody and access
- Maintenance (spousal and child support)
- Adoption
- Domestic violence and protection orders

COMMERCIAL AND CORPORATE LAW

- Company formation and registration
- Shareholder disputes
- Mergers and acquisitions
- Insolvency and bankruptcy
- Debt recovery

ADMINISTRATIVE AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

- Judicial review of government decisions
- Constitutional challenges
- Public interest litigation

CONSTRUCTION LAW

- Construction contract disputes.
- Claims for defective workmanship.
- Payment disputes.
- Delay claims.

EMPLOYMENT LAW

- Wrongful dismissal
- Employment contracts
- Retrenchment

PROBATE AND ADMINISTRATION OF ESTATES

- Obtaining grant of probate or letters of administration.
- Estate distribution



Shariah Law: Expertise in Islamic Jurisprudence

CZAR is distinguished by its expertise in Shariah law, providing specialized legal services to Malaysia's Muslim community through **SCZAR**. The firm's Shariah lawyers are well-versed in:



ISLAMIC FAMILY LAW

- Divorce (talaq, khulu', fasakh)
- Child custody (hadhanah)
- Nafkah (maintenance) for wife and children
- Muta'ah (consulatory gift upon divorce)
- Division of matrimonial property (harta sepencarian)
- Nusyuz (recalcitrance of a wife)
- Restoration of conjugal rights (ie Kembali taat)



ISLAMIC INHERITANCE LAW (FARAID)

- Distribution of estates according to Islamic principles
- Preparation of Islamic wills (wasiyyah)
- Hibah (gift)



WAKAF (CHARITABLE ENDOWMENTS)

- Advising on establishing and managing Wakaf

ISLAMIC FINANCE

- Advising on Shariah-compliant financial products and transactions
- Structuring Islamic finance agreements

ISLAMIC CRIMINAL LAW (IN STATES WHERE APPLICABLE)

- Advising on matters related to Hudud, Qisas, and Ta'zir offences.



Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR): Finding Amicable Solutions

At CZAR, we understand that not all disputes require courtroom battles. We are strong advocates for Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) methods, offering efficient, cost-effective, and less adversarial paths to resolution. Our expertise in ADR includes:

MEDIATION

Our skilled mediators act as neutral facilitators, guiding parties towards mutually acceptable agreements. This collaborative process emphasizes communication, empowering clients to retain control over the outcome of their disputes.

ARBITRATION

For matters requiring a more structured approach, CZAR offers expert arbitration services. Our arbitrators, well-versed in both civil and Shariah law, provide fair and impartial judgments, ensuring each case is resolved with the utmost integrity.

CONCILIATION

Recognizing the importance of preserving relationships, our conciliators work diligently to bridge divides and foster understanding between conflicting parties. This approach is particularly valuable in family and community disputes where maintaining harmony is paramount.

MEDIATION TRAINING

We are committed to sharing our expertise and promoting peaceful conflict resolution. We provide comprehensive mediation training programs designed for legal professionals, community leaders, and individuals seeking to acquire these valuable skills, empowering individuals to resolve disputes effectively and peacefully.

Commissioner for Oaths: Ensuring Legal Validity

CZAR's Commissioner for Oaths provides essential services in administering oaths, affirmations, and statutory declarations, ensuring the legal validity of documents and procedures.

Mediation Training: Sharing Expertise and Promoting Peaceful Conflict Resolution

- **Providing comprehensive training programs on mediation** designed for legal professionals, community leaders and individuals interested in acquiring mediation skills.
- **Developing skilled mediators** through practical training and theoretical knowledge.
- **Empowering individuals with skills to resolve disputes** effectively and peacefully.

Awards and Publications

Recognizing Excellence and Sharing Knowledge

CZAR and its team have been recognized for their contributions to the legal field and their commitment to sharing knowledge:

AWARDS

Best Muslim Family Law Firm 2019 - South East Asia Business Awards



PUBLICATIONS

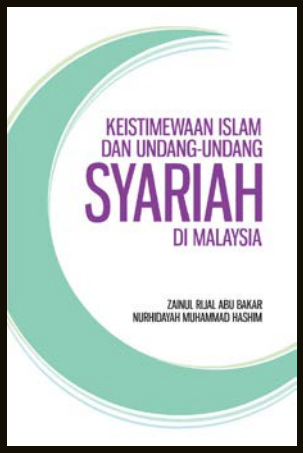


Membina Kehebatan Peguam Muslim



Sebelum dan Sesudah Ijab dan Kabul, Perspektif Undang-Undang

(also translated and sold in Japan)



Keistimewaan Islam dan Undang-Undang Shariah di Malaysia



NATIONAL BOOK AWARD 2019

These accolades and publications demonstrate CZAR's commitment to excellence, innovation, and the advancement of legal knowledge within the community.

Looking Ahead

As Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) and Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR) chart their course forward, our foundational mission remains resolute: to deliver **unparalleled legal services.** We are acutely aware of the **ever-evolving nature of the legal profession** and are **committed to adapting, innovating, and leading from the front.** With a steadfast gaze fixed on the future, our firms enthusiastically embrace **cutting-edge approaches**, make significant investments in the **continuous development of our exceptional team**, and reaffirm our **unwavering dedication to serving our clients and the broader community.** The **enduring legacy and guiding principles of Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar** ensure that CZAR and SCZAR are more than just law firms; they are, and will continue to be, **beacons of justice**, actively **shaping a fair and equitable legal landscape** for generations to come.

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Commitment to Social Responsibility

At Chambers of Zainul Rijal (CZAR) and Shariah Chambers of Zainul Rijal (SCZAR), our dedication extends beyond the courtroom and into the heart of our community. We believe that a profound commitment to corporate social responsibility is integral to our identity. Ensuring access to justice for all is a cornerstone of this belief, which is why our firms actively provide pro bono legal services to underprivileged individuals and communities.

Our engagement in community legal aid programs is multifaceted and proactive, including:

- Offering complimentary legal consultations to the residents of Subang Jaya via our established monthly legal clinics.
- Forging collaborations with local Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) to enhance public awareness regarding legal rights and responsibilities.
- Championing and supporting initiatives aimed at promoting legal literacy and empowering marginalized segments of our community.
- Actively participating in legal workshops and public forums to discuss current legal issues and provide timely updates.

We firmly believe in the importance of contributing to the society that sustains us and are passionately dedicated to making a tangible, positive impact that transcends our daily legal practice.



A Global Outlook

International Alliance

Through our participation in the SIMBA Law Alliance, an international alliance of independent law firms, we extend our reach and provide clients with access to legal expertise across multiple jurisdictions, as reported by **BERNAMA**. This strategic partnership allows CZAR to:



- **Extend its reach and provide clients** with access to legal expertise across multiple jurisdictions.
- **Collaborate with leading law firms worldwide**, sharing knowledge and best practices.
- **Offer clients seamless and integrated legal solutions** for cross-border transactions and disputes.
- **Provide clients with access to legal expertise in multiple jurisdictions**, particularly in the Southeast Asian region and beyond.

This global perspective enhances CZAR's ability to serve the increasingly complex needs of its clients in an interconnected world.

Whether you are an individual seeking justice, a business navigating complex legal challenges, or an organization seeking expert counsel, CZAR and SCZAR are your trusted partners. We offer the expertise, experience, and dedication to achieve a just and equitable outcome for you.


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Why Choose CZAR & SCZAR?



Unparalleled Expertise

Our team comprises leading experts in both civil and Shariah law, including Dato' Haji Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar, a renowned figure in the Malaysian legal landscape. The additional guidance from our esteemed advisors, Tan Sri Syeikh Ghazali Abdul Rahman and YBhg Dato' Haji Mohd Zaki bin Haji Abdul Wahab further strengthens our expertise.



Proven Track Record

We have a history of success in handling complex and landmark cases, including those that have shaped legal precedent in Malaysia. We are recognised as the Best Muslim Family Law Firm in 2019 by South East Asia Business Award and our books have also won the National Book Award in 2019.

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Holistic Approach

We believe in exploring all avenues for resolution, including alternative dispute resolution methods like mediation, arbitration, and conciliation, to achieve the best outcome for our clients.



Client-Focused

We prioritize our clients' needs and work closely with them to develop tailored legal strategies that align with their objectives.



Global Network

Our participation in an international alliance of law firms provides our clients with access to legal expertise across the globe.



Dual Expertise

Our dual expertise in Civil and Shariah Law through CZAR and SCZAR offers a unique advantage for clients with multifaceted legal needs.



Commitment to Excellence

We are dedicated to upholding the highest ethical standards and delivering exceptional legal services with integrity, compassion, and innovation.

Whether you are an individual seeking justice, a business navigating complex legal challenges, or an organization seeking expert counsel, CZAR and SCZAR are your trusted partners. We offer the expertise, experience, and dedication to achieve a just and equitable outcome for you.

Professional

Certificates

ADVOCATE & SOLICITOR PRACTISING CERTIFICATES


Malaysian Bar

Certificate of Registration of Law Firm

Section 85(1) of the Legal Profession Act 1976

This is to certify that

CHAMBERS OF ZAINUL RIJAL

(Registration Number: 000020006268)

is registered with the Malaysian Bar.

This registration is valid subject to the law firm's compliance with the provisions of the Legal Profession Act 1976.

For the current status and other particulars relating to this law firm, kindly scan the QR code provided below.

Dated this 30th of June 2021

President, Malaysian Bar

The issuance of the Certificate of Registration is a practice that began in [illegible] date of this Certificate does not necessarily denote the year of incorporation

Certificate of Registration – **MALAYSIAN BAR**


No: A/ 14810

DALAM MAHKAMAH TINGGI MALAYA

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA

Dalam perkara permohonan

In the matter of the petition of

Zainul Rijal Bin Abu Bakar

untuk dibenar menjalankan amalan sebagai seorang Peguambela dan Pegunacara dalam Mahkamah

to be permitted to practise as an Advocate and Solicitor in the High Court in

Tinggi Malaya dan dalam Mahkamah-Mahkamah lain dalam Negeri-Negeri Tanah Melayu di mana Peguambela

Malaya and in the other Courts of the States of Malaya where the Advocates and Solicitors

dan Pegunacara dibenar menjalankan amalan.

are allowed to practise.

SETELAH MENIMBANG PERMOHONAN daripada

UPON READING THE PETITION of the said

Zainul Rijal Bin Abu Bakar

Zainul Rijal Bin Abu Bakar

yang bernama di dalam dan diperihalkan sebagai seorang Peguambela dan Pegunacara

Zainul Rijal Bin Abu Bakar

yang bernama adalah pemegang

is a holder of

Ijazah Sarjana Muda Undang-Undang (Kepujian) dari Universiti Islam Antarabangsa Malaysia

dan berkelayakan bertindak sebagai dan dalam semua Siasa Peguambela dan Pegunacara Mahkamah ini,

and qualified to act as and in the usual business of an Advocate and Solicitor of this Court,

dan baharu ini telah memenuhi kehendak-kehendak Mahkamah ini yang dikenak dan ditetapkan bagi

and has lately complied with the rules of this Court made and passed for the

penerimaan Peguambela dan Pegunacara, maka dengan ini saya memerintahkan nama

admission of Advocates and Solicitors, I do hereby order his name

sebagai Advocate and Solicitor of the Court and do order his name and

Zainul Rijal bin Abu Bakar

yang tersebut sebagai Peguambela dan Pegunacara Mahkamah ini dan memerintahkan nama dan

as an Advocate and Solicitor of this Court and do order his name and

pemastautinya didaftarkan oleh Pendaftar.

address to be enrolled by the Registrar.

Didaftarkan pada 25 hari bulan Februari 1993

Enrolled on the 25 day of February 1993

No. 250 tahun 1993

No. 251 tahun 1993

Ketua Hakim Negara

Chief Justice

Admission to the Bar – **HIGH COURT OF MALAYA**


KEMENTERIAN PEMBANGUNAN WANITA, KELUARGA DAN MASYARAKAT

Watikah Pelantikan

Dengan kuasa yang diberikan kepada saya di bawah Seksyen 4(1)(b)(ii) Akta Antiganggguan Seksual 2022 (Akta 840), saya dengan sukacitanya melantik

DATO' HAJI ZAINUL RIJAL BIN ABU BAKAR

sebagai

ANGGOTA

TRIBUNAL BAGI ANTIGANGGUAN SEKSUAL

Bagi tempoh tiga (3) tahun mulai 9 Mac 2024 hingga 8 Mac 2027

DATO' SRI HAJAH NANCY BINTI SHUKRI

Menteri Pembangunan Wanita, Keluarga dan Masyarakat

Tarikh: 5 Mac 2024

Appointed Member – **SEXUAL HARASSMENT TRIBUNAL**

CHAMBERS OF ZAINUL RIJAL

SHARIAH LAWYER PRACTISING CERTIFICATES



PERAKUAN PENDAFTARAN FIRMA

SEKSYEN 39, AKTA PROFESION GUAMAN SYARIE
(WILAYAH-WILAYAH PERSEKUTUAN) 2019

Dengan ini diperakui oleh Majlis Peguam Syarie Wilayah-wilayah Persekutuan bahawa firma yang dijalankan dengan nama

SHARIAH CHAMBERS OF ZAINUL RIJAL

NO. PENDAFTARAN FIRMA: **2022/001**

Telah didaftarkan dari hari ini di bawah Akta Profesion Guaman Syarie (Wilayah-wilayah Persekutuan) 2019.

Bil. Cawangan Firma : TIADA

Bertarikh 25 NOVEMBER 2022.
Bersamaan 1 JAMADIL AWAL 1444H.

Certificate of Registration – **SHARIAH CHAMBERS OF ZAINUL RIJAL**



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NEGARA BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

AKTA MAHKAMAH-MAHKAMAH SYARIAH
(PENGGAL 184)

ATURAN-ATURAN MAHKAMAH-MAHKAMAH SYARIAH
(PEGUAM SYAR'IE), 2002

SIJIL PEGUAM SYAR'IE

Brunei Darussalam



ENAKMEN PENTADBIRAN AGAMA ISLAM
(NEGERI SEMBILAN) 2002

PERATURAN-PERATURAN PEGUAM SYARIE (NEGERI SEMBILAN) 2012

SIJIL AMALAN GUAMAN SYARIE

Negeri Sembilan



SIJIL AMALAN GUAMAN SYARIE

Terengganu



Perak



Pulau Pinang



Selangor



Kelantan



Federal Territories



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Certified Mediation Coach – **The Accord Group, Sydney, Australia**



Certificate of Attendance – **Advanced Mediation Training, Sydney, Australia**



Certificate of Attendance – **Conciliation & Evaluative Mediation Workshop, Sydney, Australia**

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Geneva International Centre for Justice (GICJ)

This is to certify that

Zainul Rijal Bin Abu Bakar

Certificate of Human Rights – **Geneva International Centre for Justice, Switzerland**

Education

Certificates


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الجامعة الإسلامية العالمية ماليزيا

INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC UNIVERSITY MALAYSIA

It is hereby certified that

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having satisfactorily completed the prescribed curriculum and examinations and on the recommendation of the Senate has this day been conferred by the International Islamic University, Malaysia the degree of

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SECOND CLASS (UPPER) HONOURS

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

Bachelor of Laws – **International Islamic University Malaysia**


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Fakulti Undang-Undang

dan setelah lulus segala peperiksaan serta memenuhi segala syarat program yang ditetapkan oleh Universiti adalah dengan ini dianugerahkan

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it is hereby certified

that

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having fulfilled all the requirements and having passed all the examinations as prescribed by the University has this day been admitted to the degree of

MASTER OF LAWS

and to all the privileges attached thereto and in token of such admission the Senate has authorised the Seal of the University to be hereunto attached

(Sgd) VICE-CHANCELLOR

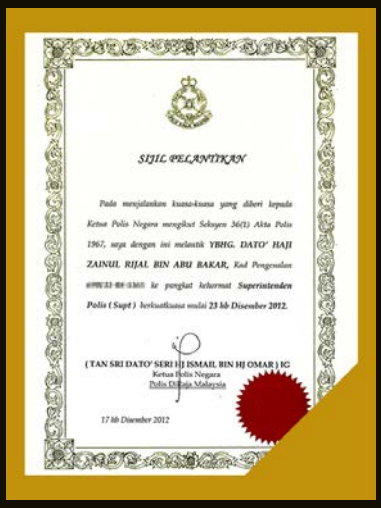
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Awards & Recognitions



Darjah Dato' Paduka Mahkota Perak (DPMP)



Appointment Certificate – **Superintenden Kehormat PDRM**



National Book Award 2019 - **Buku Umum Terbaik**



Certificate of Appreciation – **Adiwira Prihatin Musibah**



Appointment Certificate – **Penolong Pesuruhjaya Bersekutu Jabatan Pertahanan Awam**

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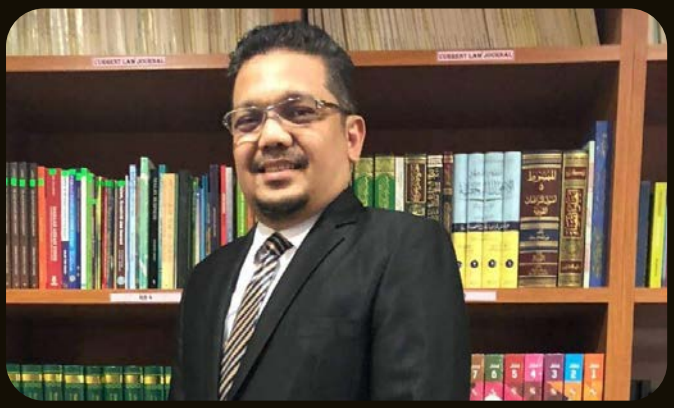


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Nasional

Isu pampasan keluarga mangsa jenayah

AGC teliti syor tubuh tribunal khas

Cadangan perlu kajian terperinci bagi pastikan keberkesanan pelaksanaan

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AGC sedang meneliti cadangan penubuhan tribunal seperti yang dicadangkan. Jika ditubuhkan, ia wajar dilaksana dalam kerangka perundangan yang sudah ada

Saya menyokong tribunal khas ini dari sudut dasar kerana ia mencerminkan keprihatinan terhadap nasib keluarga mangsa jenayah



南宁仲裁委员会

4月1日，马来西亚穆斯林律师协会（PPMM）前任主席、Chambers of Zainul Rijal创始合伙人、雪兰莪州宣誓官拿督 Zainul Rijal Bin Abu Bakar一行4人到访南宁仲裁委员会（南宁国际仲裁院），就深化国际仲裁领域合作等事宜进行交流。期间，双方就深化国际仲裁等



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Program Harmoni MADANI

Gesa perdamaian menyeluruh

Dialog NGO Melayu, India di Putrajaya setuju rundingan berterusan demi keharmonian

Putrajaya: Pertubuhan bukan kerajaan (NGO) mewakili masyarakat Melayu dan India mengesa segala isu perkauman ditangani secara dialog bagi memastikan keharmonian dan perpaduan kaum terus terpelihara.

Zamri Vinoth (kanan) bersama Zainul dan Firdaus Wong (kiri) hadir pada program Harmoni MADANI di Putrajaya, semalam.



Khamis, 19 Mac 2026 | 29 Ramadan 1447 | Tel: 1 300 22 6787 | PP 414/10/2012 (030686) | RM2

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Pertemuan ke arah kedamaian

Pengerusi Kuil-Kuil Hindu dan Persatuan-Persatuan Agama Hindu Malaysia (MAHIMA) Datuk N Sivakumar (empat dari kiri) bersalaman dengan Presiden Persatuan Peguam Muslim Malaysia, Datuk Zainul Rijal Abu Bakar pada sidang media selepas menyertai dialog Program Harmoni MADANI di Putrajaya, semalam.



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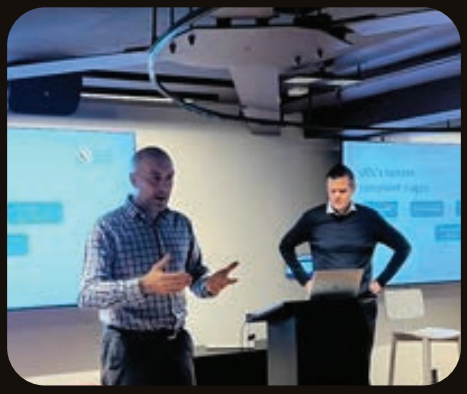
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Malaysia



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Appendices

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Endorsement to Certificate No. 26/T/MYBAR054277/1 (The Firm: CHAMBERS OF ZAINUL RIJAL) attaching to and forming part of the Malaysian Bar Top Up Professional Indemnity Insurance as part of Master Policy No. 269725U7000071

Period of Insurance : **From 04 May 2026 to 31 Dec 2026 at midnight Malaysian Time**

Effective date of Endorsement : **4th May 2026**

ENDORSEMENT

With effect from 4th May 2026, the Limit of Indemnity of the Firm is increased to RM 3,550,000 each and every claim . Certificate No. 26/T/MYBAR054277/1 is amended as follows:

7.	**LIMIT OF INDEMNITY**	**RM 3,550,000 each and every claim,** **In excess of: Underlying Mandatory Limit of Indemnity of RM 450,000 each and every claim and Underlying Base Excess of RM 35,000** (Subject to Clause 10 of the Mandatory Certificate of Insurance)
8.	**SUB-LIMIT FOR MISCONDUCT**	**RM 3,550,000 in the annual aggregate with no reinstatement** **In excess of: Underlying Mandatory Sub-Limit for Misconduct of RM 350,000 or Mandatory Limit of Indemnity (whichever is lower) and Underlying Base Excess of RM 35,000** (Subject to Clause 10 & 11 of the Mandatory Certificate of Insurance)
9.	**SUB-LIMIT IN RESPECT OF DEFAMATION**	**RM 3,550,000 in the annual aggregate with no reinstatement** **In excess of: Underlying Mandatory Limit of Indemnity of RM 450,000 each and every claim and Underlying Base Excess of RM 35,000** (Subject to Clause 10 of the Mandatory Certificate of Insurance)
10.	**PREMIUM INCLUSIVE OF 8% SERVICE TAX**	**RM 4,021.36**

In all other aspects this policy remains unchanged.

SIGNED:

FOR: **PACIFIC & ORIENT INSURANCE CO. BERHAD**
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Malaysian Bar

Certificate of Registration of Law Firm

Section 85(1) of the Legal Profession Act 1976

This is to certify that:

CHAMBERS OF ZAINUL RIJAL

(Registration Number: 000020006268)

is registered with the Malaysian Bar.

This registration is valid subject to the law firm's compliance with the provisions of the Legal Profession Act 1976.

For the current status and other particulars relating to this law firm, kindly scan the QR code provided below.

Dated this 30th of June 2021

President, Malaysian Bar

Scan QR code or call 03-2050 2191
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The issuance of the Certificate of Registration is a practice that began in 2021, and the date of this Certificate does not necessarily denote the year of incorporation of the firm.

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