

Swaziland Branch Office Invoice

Our Client's name

Company Reg. No.: 201623711R

Our Client's address

Date: Tuesday, January 08, 2019

Invoice No: 2018 – 10 – 003p

Professional services for Swaziland branch (without travel)	Notes	Year 1 US\$	Year 2 US\$
Swaziland Branch registration fees (without travel)	1.	4,850	0
Branch legal registered office fees	2.	1,100	1,100
Swaziland local agent fees	3.	2,500	2,500
Estimated Swaziland Government registration fees	4.	1,200	800
Swaziland corporate bank account opening fees (without travel)	5.	4,950	0
Healy Consultants Group PLC engagement project management fees	6.	2,750	0
Tax and VAT registration fees	7.	950	0
Estimate of annual accounting and tax fees	8.	0	2,300
Total Healy Consultants Group PLC fees payable this month	9.	18,300	0
Estimate of total Healy Consultants Group PLC fees payable after 12 months	10.		6,700

Note: this invoice needs to be tailored for each Client. The above services and fees represent the average requirements of our Clients. I recommend you carefully read the notes below to confirm and understand all services required by your Firm, eliminating the risk of unwanted fee surprises during the engagement;

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Notes to invoice above

1. Healy Consultants Group PLC's fees to efficiently and effectively complete Swaziland branch registration within [ten weeks](#) by **i)** choosing the optimum regulatory licence for our Client's business activities; **ii)** reserving the branch name with the [Registrar of Companies](#); **iii)** settling our accountants' and lawyers' fees; and **iv)** preparing a high quality branch registration application for the [Ministry of Commerce, Industry & Trade](#);

All [engagement fees](#) (click link) are agreed and paid up front and agree to the fees published on our country web pages. Consequently, there are no hidden fees, surprises or ambushes throughout the engagement. All engagement deadlines are agreed up front in the form of a [detailed project plan](#), mapping out [deliverables](#) by week throughout the engagement term;



Every week during the engagement, Healy Consultants Group PLC will email our Client a [detailed status update](#). Our Client is immediately informed of engagement problems together with solutions. Your dedicated engagement manager is reachable by phone, Skype, live chat and email and will communicate in your preferred language;

2. In accordance with [Swaziland Companies Act of 2009](#), a Swaziland branch shall as from the date of its registration have a legal registered office in Swaziland, to which all official Government communications and notices may be addressed. To comply with this statutory requirement, Healy Consultants Group PLC's Swaziland office will be the registered office address for your branch. Thereafter, this address will be used to receive government correspondence including **i)** tax letters; **ii)** notice of the legal annual return; and **iii)** all government communications. Most of our Clients wish to place [Healy Consultants Group PLC's office address](#) on invoices, contracts, websites and business cards;
3. In accordance with the [Swaziland Companies Act of 2009](#), every Swaziland branch shall have at least one local agent who is ordinarily resident in Swaziland. Most of our Clients request Healy Consultants Group PLC to be one of the local agents. Healy Consultants Group PLC local agent service fee amounts to US\$2,500 per annum per agent, as published on our [business website \(press this link\)](#);
4. This fee is an estimate of government costs payable during your Firm's engagement. For transparency purposes, all government fee payments will be supported by original receipts and invoices. Examples of government costs include **i)** reserving the branch name; **ii)** obtaining the certificate of registration with the [Registrar of Companies](#); **iii)** registering with the Commissioner of Taxes and **iv)** obtaining a trading license from the Ministry of Commerce. Following engagement completion, Healy Consultants Group PLC will refund our Client any excess of funds received over actual Government costs paid;
5. Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to open a Swaziland corporate bank account without our Client travelling. It is a time consuming task, Healy Consultants Group PLC will shelter our Client from the associated administrative challenges. As you can appreciate, it is a difficult task to obtain bank account approval through a newly formed branch office, when shareholders and directors and bank signatories reside overseas. Healy Consultants Group PLC will prepare a business plan for the bank to optimize the probability of corporate bank account approval.

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Depending on our Client business and nationality, there is a 20% probability the banks will request a bank signatory to travel for a one-hour bank interview. Healy Consultants Group PLC will try its best to negotiate with the bank for a travel exemption. If our Client must travel to Swaziland for corporate bank account opening, Healy Consultants Group PLC will refund our Client US\$950;

If our Client is not comfortable with only a Swaziland's corporate bank account, Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to open [an international corporate bank account](#) (click link) outside of Swaziland. Examples include New York, Germany, Liechtenstein, Austria, Bulgaria, South Africa, Singapore, London, South America or Dubai. All banks will be top tier banks in these countries with excellent internet banking services. Example of our global banking partners include HSBC, Standard Chartered Bank, Citibank, Barclays, ABN Amro, Bank of China, ANZ bank, Standard Bank, UBS, Credit Suisse;

The banks enjoy ultimate power of approval of corporate bank account applications. Consequently, guaranteed success is outside of Healy Consultants Group PLC's control. What is inside our control is the preparation and submission of a high-quality bank application that maximizes the likelihood of approval. To date, we enjoy a 100% approval record because of [our global banking relationships](#) and determination;



Global banks continue to tighten corporate bank account opening procedures, their internal compliance departments completing more thorough due diligence of Clients. Consequently, our Clients should expect the bank account approval period to take up to 4 weeks. Furthermore, global banks now require evidence of proof of business in the country where the corporate bank account will be, including sales contracts or lease agreement;

6. Healy Consultants Group PLC project management fees relate to time and resources dedicated to:
- a) thoroughly research and plan Swaziland business set up for our Client;
 - b) devising strategies to **i)** minimise the total engagement period **ii)** complete the engagement without our Client's travel; **iii)** avoid the need for a specific regulatory license;
 - c) agreeing the optimum corporate structure with our Client;
 - d) submitting a high-quality company registration application to the [Registrar of Companies](#);
 - e) choosing the optimum regulatory license for our Client business activities (if required);
 - f) injecting the paid-up share capital on our Client's behalf (if required);
 - g) collating and supervising the legalisation and attestation and translation of Client documents;
 - h) weekly detailed engagement [status updates](#) to our Client and weekly Thursday conference calls;
 - i) payment of retainer fees to multiple local lawyers and accountants;
 - j) ensuring our Client complies with local regulations and legally owns and controls the entity;
 - k) ascertain the specific accounting, tax, legal and compliance considerations;
 - l) finding solutions to [challenges that occur](#) throughout the engagement;

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- m) determining the local and international tax obligations of the new entity, including corporate income tax, payroll taxes, withholding tax and sales taxes;
7. In accordance with Swaziland law, each entity must register for corporate tax at the [Swaziland Tax Authority](#). VAT registration is voluntary for entities with annual taxable turnover of less than US\$36,000 (SZL 500,000);
 8. For an active branch, these annual [accounting, audit and tax fees](#) are an estimate of Healy Consultants Group PLC fees to efficiently and effectively discharge your annual accounting, audit and tax obligations. Following receipt of a set of draft accounting numbers from your branch, Healy Consultants Group PLC will more accurately advise accounting and tax fees. For a dormant branch, Healy Consultants Group PLC fees are only US\$950;
 9. All fees quoted in this invoice correspond to fees quoted [on Healy Consultants Group PLC's website](#). Please review this invoice carefully to identify errors. During the rush of the business day, it is possible that Healy Consultants Group PLC inadvertently made fee calculation errors, typing errors or omitted services or omitted historic fee payments from Clients. In the unfortunate event you identify invoice errors, please revert to me directly re the same. I apologize in advance if I or my staff made invoice errors;
 10. Assuming our Clients re-engage Healy Consultants Group PLC, this fee is an estimate of the fees payable next year, 12 months after the date of branch registration this year;
 11. The fees quoted in this invoice are a prediction of the fees required to efficiently and effectively complete this engagement in a timely manner. If during the engagement Healy Consultants Group PLC realizes that the project is more complex than anticipated, requiring a large additional investment of time, my Firm will revert to request additional fees;
 12. Branch business activities are only limited to the scope of the parent company's activities. The branch suffers a corporation tax of 28%. A branch can **i)** lease office premises; and **ii)** issue sales invoice to Clients; and **iii)** sign local legal contracts. A branch can import and export goods;
 13. In accordance with Swaziland law, there is no minimum deposit required to establish a branch office;
 14. Engage Healy Consultants Group PLC to [project manage](#) business set up in every country on the planet. We are the best in the [world](#) at what we do, timely completing [the A to Z](#) of every country engagement;
 15. If our Client and Healy Consultants Group PLC properly plan this engagement, our Clients will **not** have to travel during this engagement. Healy Consultants Group PLC will efficiently complete branch registration and corporate bank account opening in a timely manner without our Client's presence. Instead, our Client will need to **i)** sign and get documents legalized in the embassy in their country of origin; and **ii)** courier the originals to Healy Consultants Group PLC's office;
 16. Depending on our Client's business and nationality, the Swaziland Government may require a special regulatory license to carry on your business in the country. Healy Consultants Group PLC will assist our Client secure license approval; there may be additional engagement fees. However, the Government enjoys ultimate power of approval of branch registration and business licenses;



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17. Some of our Clients request Healy Consultants Group PLC to provide temporary shared [office space](#) for 6 months until their preferred business premises is found. If your Firm requires this service, our one-time fee is US\$950. Monthly rental thereafter is paid directly to the landlord, independently of Healy Consultants Group PLC;
18. If required, Healy Consultants Group PLC will be pleased to assist your firm to secure employee [visa](#) approvals. Our fee is US\$4,950 for the first employee, US\$3,950 for the second employee, US\$2,950 per employee thereafter. Our employee visa fees includes preparation of a quality visa application and submitting to the correct Government immigration officers. The Government enjoys ultimate power of approval of visa applications. Consequently, guaranteed success is outside of Healy Consultants Group PLC' control. What is inside our control is the preparation and submission of a high quality immigration visa application that maximizes the likelihood of visa approval;
19. Monthly Government tax obligations include monthly payroll reporting, VAT and corporation tax return filing. If you need our help, Healy Consultants Group PLC can complete monthly Government reporting for a monthly fee of US\$860. Healy Consultants Group PLC monthly support will include **i)** receive in Dropbox the monthly invoices from our client; **ii)** label monthly bank statement transactions; **iii)** preparation and submission of VAT returns; and **iv)** submission of monthly employee payroll reporting;
20. It is important our Clients are aware of their personal and corporate tax obligations in their country of residence and domicile. Let us know if you need Healy Consultants Group PLC help to clarify your local and international annual tax reporting obligations;
21. During the engagement, shareholders and directors' documents may need to be translated into the local language; before the Government and Bank approves branch office registration and corporate bank account opening respectively. Consequently, our Client should budget for possible additional translation and embassy attestation fees. Either our Client or Healy Consultants Group PLC can complete this administrative task;
- As always, Healy Consultants Group PLC will negotiate with all third parties to eliminate or reduce additional engagement costs. For transparency purposes, all third-party fee payments will be supported by original receipts and invoices. Examples of possible third-party payments include **i)** embassy fees; **ii)** notary public costs; **iii)** official translator fees;
22. Some of our Clients require an [immediate Swaziland solution](#). With this strategy, within a day Healy Consultants Group PLC can supply our Client **i)** an existing dormant Swaziland company number; **ii)** an already approved Swaziland corporate bank account number; and **iii)** a business address. Turnkey solutions are attractive to those entrepreneurs who wish to immediately close a country deal, sign a contract or invoice a customer;
23. As stipulated on our [business website](#) and in section 3 of our engagement letter, Healy Consultants Group PLC will only commence the engagement following **i)** settlement of our fees and **ii)** completion and signing of our legal engagement letter;
24. Healy Consultants Group PLC will only incorporate your branch after 75% of [due diligence documentation](#) is received by email. Healy Consultants Group PLC will only open a corporate bank account after 100% of the Client's original due diligence documentation is received by courier;



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25. During the annual renewal engagement with our Client, our in-house [Legal and Compliance Department \(click link\)](#) reviews the quality and completeness of our Client file. Consequently, Healy Consultants Group PLC may revert to our Client to ask for more up to date [due diligence documentation](#);
26. To assist our Clients to minimize foreign exchange costs, we offer the payment in SG\$, Euro, Pounds or US\$. Kindly let me know in which currency your Firm prefers to settle our fees and I will send an updated invoice, thank you;
27. Some of our Clients engage Healy Consultants Group PLC to [recruit \(click link\)](#) local employees. We have a lot of experience in this area and we are quite skilled at securing quality candidates for our Clients;

Thank you for your business and we look forward to working closely with you over the coming weeks as we [project manage \(click link\)](#) your Swaziland business set up engagement.

Best regards,

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