



ARE YOU GETTING THE RESULTS YOU EXPECT FROM YOUR GOVERNMENT CONTRACT?

**Don't Let Disputes
Hurt Your Bottom Line**

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YOU DELIVERED ON YOUR END WE'LL MAKE SURE THEY PAY YOU ON THEIRS

Many Afghan companies find themselves in a situation where they are not getting the payment and respect they deserve for their perseverance, hard work, and ingenuity.



THE SITUATION

You have been smart and aggressive in creating your life's work. You had the idea. You made the plan. You put your plan in motion. You found the people, the path, and the product. You spent every moment focused on making this work. You landed the contract. You succeeded.

Unfortunately, it's what you don't know about government contracts that can keep you from getting the timely payments you need to continue to be successful.



THE CHALLENGE

You succeeded in business, but now you need to keep your business going. This means keeping track of 1) the contracts you have won, 2) the clients you have helped, and 3) getting paid for the value you have provided.

THE NEED

Navigating Government Contracts Requires Two Distinct Skills

- **First**, you need a legal team that can reach across oceans to connect you with the governmental entities, organizations, and (most importantly) the people who can provide you with just rewards you have earned.
- **Second**, you need deep legal experience of the intricacies of contracting in an international environment, and even more specifically, with the defense contracting industry.



THE SOLUTION

The Misbah Maher Consultancy LLC consists of a team of seasoned Afghan and US attorneys, experts, linguists, investigators, and paralegals created in response to the glaring need for businesses in Afghanistan to have the legal representation required to reap the benefits of the outstanding value they provide.

We exist to help you get back to doing what you do best--running your business. We accomplish this through deep experience in the courts, governmental organizations, and private entities both in Afghanistan and the West. We understand the intricacies of the law and business, in Afghanistan, in the US federal contractors, and the US federal courts.

100+ YEARS OF COMBINED EXPERIENCE





SERVICES - A HISTORY OF SUCCESS



We'll Get You Paid Where Others Have Failed

Misbah-Maher Consultancy LLC's two principals, Abdul Subhan Misbah and John N. Maher, have extensive experience in all aspects of large government contracts in Afghanistan and the United States--from award, to potential protests, to contract management, and post-award litigation.

With respect to post-award litigation in particular, Misbah and Maher not only know how to bring about justice, they also bring the ability to meet face-to-face with clients, adversaries, and government representatives in the United States and in Afghanistan. They can also leverage the power of their strategic alliances to help you win your case.



ABDUL SUBHAN MISBAH

Attorney. Advocate. Businessman.



Specialties

- Afghan constitution
- International law
- Property law
- Contract law
- Ethics

Misbah is a prominent figure and frequent speaker in the Afghan legal community. He lives and works most of the year in Kabul, where he devotes his time to his legal practice and to sadaqah, providing services to those who are under-privileged. He has experience working for the private sector, non-governmental organizations, and providing services to the Afghan and United States governments.

In addition to representing his clients, he has held many public service and academic positions, including: Deputy Director of the Lawyer's Union, Kabul; Dean and Faculty Member, Karwan University, Kabul; and Member, Board of Directors, Central Asia Institute. In addition to his private sector legal experience, he has served non-governmental organizations.

Media and Publications

- Advocacy in the Afghan Legal System
- Dispute Resolution in Afghanistan
- Contract Law in the Afghan Judiciary (Inheritance law, family law, and property law)
- Regular legal commentator at roundtables on Tolo News, Ariana, Voice of America, 1 TV Media, and Kabul News
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Specialties

- International law
- Government contracts
- Investigation
- US Federal courts
- Ethics

Experienced US Attorney

John N. Maher served as the Senior Executive Service (SES) General Counsel by appointment during the Presidential Administration of George W. Bush for the U.S. Office of Personnel Management (OPM) in Washington DC. In this position, he was the Designated Agency Ethics Official.

Mr. Maher completed active duty with service as defense counsel before the US Army Court of Criminal Appeals in Arlington, Virginia, and the US Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces in Washington, DC.

After active duty, Mr. Maher became a civilian trial attorney for the United States Department of Justice in Washington, DC, where he defended executive agencies of the federal government in government contract issues. Other government service includes the Professional Responsibility Branch (Ethics).

Unique Afghanistan Experience

Mr. Maher served as Chief of Contracts & Fiscal Law in Kabul for US Forces-Afghanistan (USFOR-A). As a civilian he returned to Afghanistan as the Program Manager implementing a federal contract at the Justice Center in Parwan, Afghanistan, training and mentoring Afghan attorneys trying insurgents, the Taliban, and IED cells at an Afghan National Security Court.

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