

A specialist leasing their name

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Q: I am a doctor, and I had specialized in my work before I stopped work to take care of my children. Some clinic owners have offered to write the clinics in my name in return for a fixed sum through partnership, in which they incur profit and loss and I get a fixed sum. I also have the right to intervene in technical matters at my request. My question is: Is this sum that I receive

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Halal (lawful) or Haram (prohibited), especially that I sometimes can not assume technical supervision? If it is Haram, what is the Halal way? Will it be Halal or Haram if I take this income as a percentage? Please advise me on what is best, may Allah keep you safe.

A: What you have mentioned is impermissible, for it is cheating, deceiving people, and unlawfully eating up money. Whereas the valid way is to carry out your work by yourself, and to be sincere to Allah and His Servants in your work. May Allah grant us success! May peace and blessings be upon our Prophet Muhammad, his family, and Companions!

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