



KSA Business Setup From Anywhere in the World

Your 2026 guide to establishing and managing a Saudi Entity without being physically present.

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A Borderless Entry into KSA

Key Pillars of Remote Setup:

MISA Digital Licensing

Obtain your investment license entirely through the online portal.

Electronic Attestation

Saudi Arabia's adoption of the Apostille Convention simplifies document verification remotely.

Virtual Presence

Establish your legal footprint in the Kingdom while maintaining your global headquarters.

E-Signatures and Portals

Manage Ministry of Commerce (MC) and ZATCA registrations via secure digital credentials.

LLC vs. Branch

What Fits Your Goal?

Choosing Your Remote Structure



Limited Liability (LLC)

Best for long-term growth;
requires at least one
shareholder and director.



Branch Office

Extension of your company;
ideal for executing specific
contracts or testing
the market.

100% FOREIGN OWNERSHIP

Most sectors now allow full ownership
without a local Saudi partner.



Pro-Tip

For those operating from abroad, the Branch structure is often the fastest way to leverage your existing global track record for Saudi government tenders.

The Remote Roadmap

4 Steps to a Global Launch



PREPARATION

Attest parent company documents (MOA/AOA) in your home country.



MISA LICENSE

Apply for the Ministry of Investment license (approx. 3–5 days).



COMMERCIAL REGISTRATION

Issuance of your CR and Articles of Association.



OPERATIONAL SETUP

Remote opening of corporate bank accounts and tax registration.

Your Partners on the Ground. We are your Eyes and Ears in KSA.

How Gatestone Group Helps:

- Expert handling of all local government interactions (GRO Services).
- Coordination of attested document deliveries and portal management.
- Strategic tax and compliance advisory for international founders.

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Start Your Remote KSA Setup