

CASE STUDY

HAPPY FAMILY Thanks to First Rate FX

One happy family are celebrating picking up the keys to their new Dubai property and saving a tidy sum of money thanks to First Rate FX, the currency specialists

Simon and Alison Walters from Kings Langley, Hertfordshire, bought a holiday home on Palm Island in Dubai and used First Rate FX to exchange their Sterling into Dirhams. Their apartment is now finished and they recently went to Dubai with their children to pick up the keys to their new property. They were delighted with the service that they received from First Rate FX and the savings they had made.

Simon, a director at a leading investment bank in London, says: "Our apartment was bought off plan and we needed to make several staged payments. We used First Rate FX to handle all of our transfers and the process was slick and easy. By purchasing forward contracts we were able to lock into the best possible exchange rates for each transaction and we knew exactly how much the property would cost in Sterling at each stage. The savings that we made compared to using our High Street bank paid for a furnishing package for the apartment!"

First Rate FX, having recently opened a new office in Dubai is now perfectly poised to help others, like the Walters family, secure their chosen property. The Dubai office provides property purchasers buying into and out of Dubai and expatriates with local access to the full range of foreign exchange services that First Rate FX offers.

Mark Cummins, currency specialist in First Rate FX's Dubai office, says: "Dubai is a hot spot for overseas property purchasers with thousands of people buying holiday homes or looking for an investment opportunity. By establishing an office in Dubai, First Rate FX can help these buyers locally to save potentially thousands of pounds by offering the most competitive Sterling to Dirham exchange rate, with no commission charges or transfer fees. Using a Currency Specialist to transfer your funds rather than your High Street bank can make a difference of up to 4% on the exchange rate."

Whether you are buying a property abroad, emigrating or sending regular monthly payments overseas, First Rate FX can reduce your costs and take the stress out of converting your money.



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