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AN OVERVIEW

Al Tamimi & Company, the largest law firm in the Middle East with 17 offices across 9 countries, has launched its 'Children of Tomorrow' Project as part of its Corporate Social Responsibility commitment.

The Project aims to raise awareness of existing laws governing the welfare and rights of children (including the Child's Law of 2016) at every school in the UAE, both public and private.

Pending the establishment of certain UAE bodies in line with the Executive Regulations of the Law, the Project aims to connect various key members and officials in the UAE (such as the Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Education, Community Development Authority, Knowledge and Human Development Authority), bringing them together to address the key issues and best approach to optimise protection against child abuse.

Awareness videos have been prepared (in both Arabic and English) for circulation to all UAE schools on 13 January 2019. The videos provide practical advice and delve into key aspects to consider in relation to child safety, such as:

- the legal consequences if a child is harmed / commits a crime;
- what teachers / staff should do if they discover signs of abuse / a state of emergency / medical condition;
- reporting generally; and
- how to handle situations where a child accesses inappropriate materials share on WhatsApp / internet etc.

The videos, created by Al Tamimi, host a number of Al Tamimi's team members and Major Abdul Rahman from the Ministry of Interior.

As follow-up to the videos, Al Tamimi will be attending to any questions in this regard during seminars scheduled to take place in Dubai and Abu Dhabi in February and March 2019. Teachers, schools, and stakeholders will be able to come together to ask further questions to those leading the roll-out of the Project, including the relevant Ministries.

We are delighted to have received such tremendous support from authorities, Ministries and schools in the run up to the launch of this initiative, and look forward to developing it further during 2019.

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CHILDREN OF TOMORROW

Create awareness on laws governing the welfare of children

> Bring together education key members and senior officials (e.g. school staff, moi, moe, khda, cda etc.)

Launching a video giving an overview of the Child's Law of 2016

> Giving seminars and answering questions in events to take place in Dubai and Abu Dhabi 2019

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