

Administrative Resolution No. (5) of 2023
Forming the Committee for Reviewing the Grievances
Related to the Advocacy and Legal Consultancy Profession
in the Emirate of Dubai

The Director General of the Government of Dubai Legal Affairs Department,

After perusal of:

Law No. (32) of 2008 Establishing the Government of Dubai Legal Affairs Department, "**The Department**";

Executive Council Resolution No. (22) of 2011 Concerning Fees and Fines Prescribed for the Advocacy and Legal Consultancy Profession in the Emirate of Dubai;

Administrative Resolution No. (51) of 2022 Adopting the Bylaws Concerning the Registration of Advocates and Legal Consultants in the Emirate of Dubai;

Administrative Resolution No. (52) of 2022 Adopting the Bylaws Concerning the Licensing of Advocacy and Legal Consultancy Firms in the Emirate of Dubai;

Administrative Resolution No. (53) of 2022 Adopting the Continuous Legal Professional Development Bylaw for Legal Consultants in the Emirate of Dubai;

Administrative Resolution No. (55) of 2022 Concerning the Committee for Violations by Advocates and Legal Consultants in the Emirate of Dubai; and

Administrative Resolution No. (20) of 2021 Forming the Committee for Reviewing the Grievances Related to the Advocacy and Legal Consultancy Profession in the Emirate of Dubai,

Does hereby issue this Resolution:

Article (1)

Formation of the Committee

A- "**The Committee for Reviewing the Grievances Related to the Advocacy and Legal Consultancy Profession in the Emirate of Dubai**", "**the Committee**", shall be formed in the Department as follows:

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ISO 9001:2015

ISO 27001:2013

ISO 20001:2011

ISO 31000:2018

ISO 22301:2012

1	Dr. Lowai Mohamed Belhoul	Chairperson
2	Legal Counsel/ Salah Jassim Bin Kalban	Vice Chairperson
3	Legal Counsel/ Ahmed Mohammed Ezzat	Member
4	Legal Counsel/ Mohammed Feteha Korra	Member
5	Legal Counsel/ Hiba Modar Albitar	Member

B- Membership in the Committee shall cease on 31st of December 2023. Members of the Committee shall continue to perform their duties if a resolution to re-constitute it has not been issued by the Director General of the Department.

Article (2)

Functions of the Committee

- A- The Committee shall decide on grievances against procedures and decisions issued by the Department pursuant to the provisions of the aforementioned Executive Council Resolution No. (22) of 2022, bylaws and resolutions issued by virtue of that Resolution, which are relevant to the regulation of the advocacy and legal consultancy profession, and according to the legislation in force in the Emirate of Dubai.
- B- The decision issued by the Committee shall be final.

Article (3)

Working Mechanism of the Committee

- A- Meetings of the Committee shall be convened at the invitation of the Chairperson, or Vice Chairperson in the absence of the Chairperson, whenever needed.
- B- Hearings of the Committee are valid if a majority of its members are present, provided that the Chairperson or Vice Chairperson is in attendance.
- C- The Committee shall issue its decisions by a majority vote of members in attendance. In the event of a tied vote, chair of the hearing will have the casting vote. The decision issued by the Committee shall be justified.
- D- Committee's decisions shall be recorded in minutes of meetings to be signed by the Chair of hearing and members in attendance.

Article (4)

Translation Work

The Advocates and Legal Consultants Affairs Directorate shall coordinate with Legal Translation Section to provide a translator to undertake translation work for the Committee pursuant to the

duties assigned to them by Chair of the hearing and in a manner that ensures the proper workflow of hearing proceedings.

Article (5)

Rapporteur of the Committee

Rapporteur of the Committee shall send out invitations for Committee hearings, prepare its agenda, record its minutes of hearings, and follow-up on the implementation of its decisions and carry out other duties assigned to the Rapporteur by Chairperson of the Committee.

Article (6)

Supersession

This Resolution supersedes the aforementioned Administrative Resolution No. (20) of 2021.

Article (7)

Commencement

This Resolution shall come into force on the date of its issuance and be communicated to whomever is necessary for its implementation.

[Signed]

Dr. Lowai Mohamed Khalfan Belhoul
Director General

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Corresponding to: 12 Jumada Al Thani 1444.