



Statement of National Institution reaffirms its commitment to the visions of the National Consensus Dialogue

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The National Institution for Human Rights stood up for the National Consensus Dialogue since its inception in July 5, 2011 till it ended in July 25, 2011, and emphasized the importance of this step in the field of respect for the rights and public freedoms, the return of national unity, the avoidance of more deadlock over the domestic situation and respect for the rights and freedoms of citizens and residents.

It also emphasized the importance of outcome of the dialogue in the framework of the continuous reform and development process taking place in the Kingdom of Bahrain, in line with the human rights, political, economic and social hubs.

The Institution valued all the visions agreed upon in the National Consensus Dialogue and pointed to the need to accelerate activate them that would be considered a quantum leap in the process of reform launched by His Majesty the King.

Supporting and facilitating human rights awareness programs and activating the role of the National Institution for Human Rights are two visions among those agreed upon in the National Consensus Dialogue and that come under the Competences of the National Institution for Human Rights, on the basis of



national responsibility for the institution, it confirms its full commitment to accelerate the activation of these two visions by developing programs and workshops according to the National Institution for Human Rights strategy which will be adopted by the institution during the coming period.

In this context, the National Institution for Human Rights formed an internal committee headed by the Secretary General of the Institution, Dr. Ahmed Abdullah Farhan, to develop an action plan to implement and follow up the implementation of these visions and facilitate all probable procedures.

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