

Pledge submitted by Bahrain to the Human Rights 75 Secretariat December 2023

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PLEDGE NUMBER 1: Launching the Kingdom of Bahrain's human rights strategy.

• Within the framework of the Kingdom of Bahrain's full commitment to all United Nations mechanisms and procedures, and the Kingdom's keenness to provide qualitative voluntary initiatives in the field of respecting, promoting and protecting human rights, the Kingdom pledges to work on preparing a comprehensive national strategy for human rights that includes a clearly defined road map, and according to a specific timetable for implementing its obligations. And its projects in the field of human rights in a harmonious and harmonious manner among all stakeholders in the Kingdom of Bahrain according to 6 tracks, which are:

- 1. Projects of the National Human Rights Plan (2022-2026).
- 2. Recommendations of the Universal Periodic Review
- 3. Goals and objectives of sustainable development.
- 4. Responding to human rights allegations.
- 5. Concluding observations or recommendations issued by treaty bodies.
- 6. Training, education and awareness raising.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: Feb 29, 2024

PLEDGE NUMBER 2: Launching the Diploma Program for Peaceful Coexistence Diplomacy.

• The Kingdom of Bahrain pledges to promote and consolidate the values of peace, religious tolerance, peaceful coexistence, and acceptance of others in the context of its legislative, legal, and educational system, its community initiatives, and its active role in diplomatic forums, by launching a high-level academic initiative dedicated to a wide segment, including diplomats and government employees, Academics, researchers, and entrepreneurs from inside and outside the Kingdom of Bahrain, in order to support the efforts of the international community in spreading the culture of peace, tolerance and coexistence, which represents one of the pillars of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

Expected deadline within which pledge will be realised: Dec 31, 2024