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**Promoting Fake/Non-IAF member/illegitimate
Accreditation Bodies and Fake/Unaccredited certification Bodies**

To: Management Systems Consultants/Training Companies

The Emirates International Accreditation Centre (EIAC) is a governmental entity and authorized by the government to assure the quality, trustworthiness, and credibility of the certificates issued by the conformity assessment bodies.

It has come to our attention that some of the consultants/training companies are promoting and using fake/non-IAF member/illegitimate accreditation bodies and fake/unaccredited certification bodies.

We advise the consultants/training companies to stop promoting such entities. These acts are harming the reputation of the country and are a threat to society in general and to environment, health & safety, quality, business competitiveness and economy in particular.

The Emirates International Accreditation Centre (EIAC) is stepping up the coordination with regulatory bodies and relevant authorities in all emirates to take legal actions against such consultants/training companies. Legal action may include fines, cancelation of regulatory approvals and cancelation of licenses.

This is to inform you that legal action shall be initiated from **1st March 2024**.

If you have any queries in this regard, please contact Engr. Muhammad Shahid Rasool (Muhammad.Shahid@eiac.gov.ae).



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