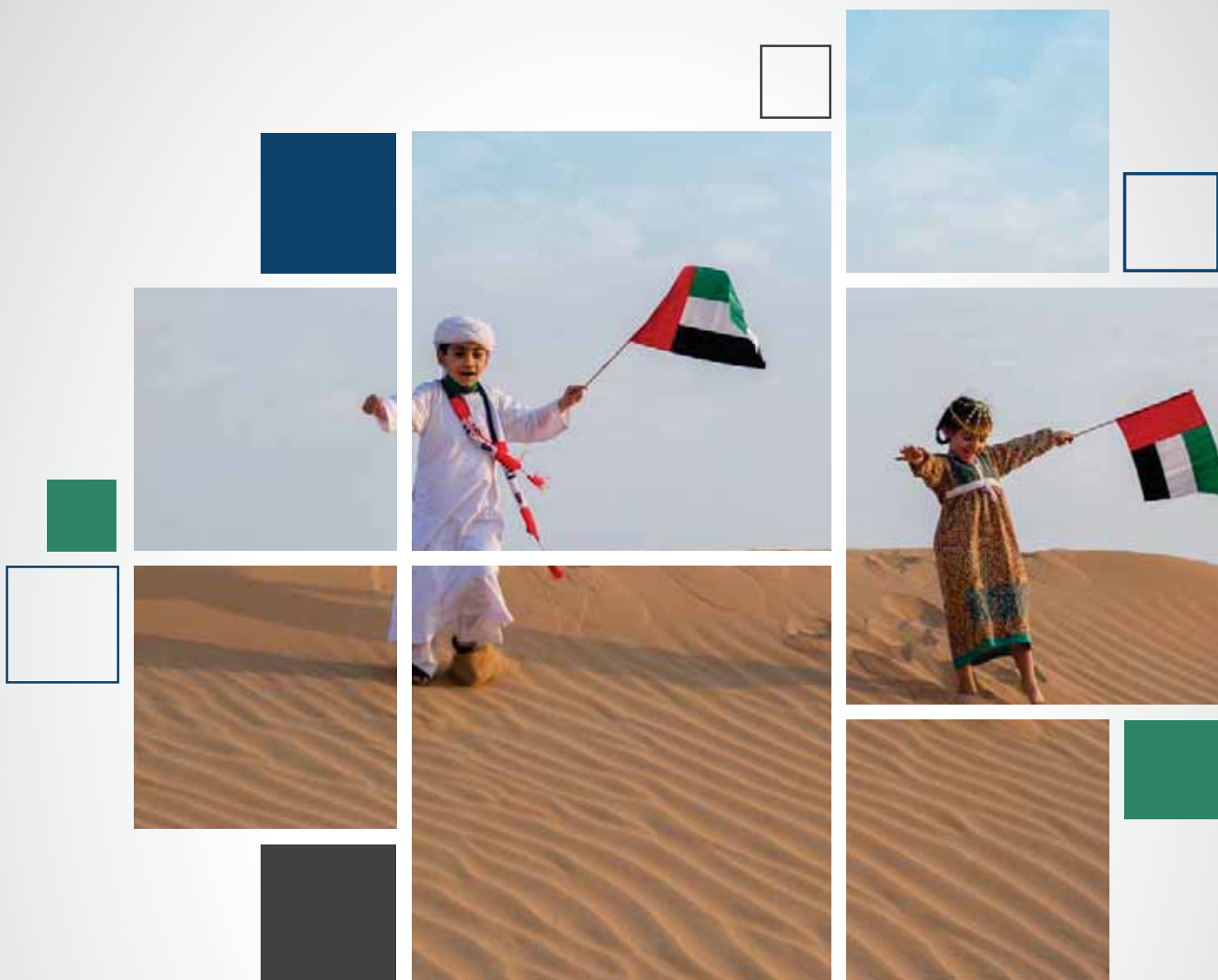




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Federal National Council Affairs

**2022**

His Highness Sheikh  
**Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan**  
The president of the UAE



His Highness Sheikh

**Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum**

Vice President and Prime Minister of the UAE Ruler of Dubai



The past years have confirmed the importance of the union and its necessity to provide a better life for citizens, ensure stability in the country, and achieve the hopes of our people for progress, dignity and prosperity.

Sayings of the late  
**Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan**



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# Introduction

## 2023 is a new milestone in the journey of Excellence and achievements

Parliamentary life in the UAE is a modern model for balanced political participation and an ideal embodiment of the vision of the foremost leadership in managing the joints of the state

Year after year, the UAE is taking new steps towards building a parliamentary life system that is consistent with the specificity of Emirati society, and through which a unique model of political participation is reflected in which citizens are a vital part of the decision-making process under the wise leadership.

Parliamentary work continues to open new channels to employ capabilities and energies to serve the country and citizens, by providing the necessary mechanisms and facilities to improve the performance of all sectors and enhance the global leadership of the UAE, embodying the directives of the foremost leadership in enhancing integration and coordination between the government and the Federal National Council, and setting a general framework to consolidate cooperation between the various government sector institutions.

In light of this, the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs continues to play its pivotal role in unifying joint efforts between the government on the one hand and the Federal National Council on the other hand to achieve the supreme interest of the state and society, promote balanced development and enrich political awareness among citizens. This is in accordance with the principle of gradualism and building on experiences, and in implementation of the political empowerment program launched by the late H.H.Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, may God have mercy on him. in 2005.

Last year, the Ministry contributed to the success of the fifth round of the Federal National Council elections by providing the necessary support for the electoral process, holding educational workshops to introduce the rights and duties of voters and candidates, and encouraging citizens to use innovative systems to cast their votes such as electronic voting and remote voting, thus establishing a new phase of joint work between the government and the Federal National Council.

Over the course of eighteen legislative chapters and five electoral cycles of the Federal National Council, parliamentary life in the UAE is witnessing a growing development in parallel with the country's development process in all fields, and the Ministry continues its relentless pursuit to promote political empowerment and establish a parliamentary model based on the Shura approach, based on integrity, transparency, and loyalty to the homeland and the leadership of the homeland and the people of the homeland.

The Ministry is keen to adopt innovative work models that are flexible and proactive and contribute to raising performance and accelerating the completion of tasks, thus contributing to raising the efficiency and effectiveness of cooperative efforts between the government and the Federal National Council. Her latest achievements were the launch of the «Innovation Platform», «Smart Communication Platform» and «Digital Services Platform», through which it aims to keep pace with the trends of digital transformation in the country and transfer the parliamentary experience to another level.

The Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs looks to the future with high ambitions and a serious will to continue exerting maximum efforts to develop a unique parliamentary life based on the strong relationship between the people and the leadership, by ensuring a structural link between the Federal National Council and the government to achieve national aspirations and build a better future for the citizens of the UAE.



His Excellency

**Abdul Rahman Bin Mohammed Al Owais** Minister  
of State for Federal National Council Affairs



His Excellency

**Tariq Hilal Lootah**

Undersecretary of the Ministry of State for  
Federal National Council Affairs



His Excellency

**Sami Bin Uday**

Assistant Undersecretary for Support Services Sector

# Vision and Mission

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**طارق هلال لوتاه**  
وكيل وزارة الدولة لشؤون المجلس الوطني الاتحادي

معالي  
**عبد الرحمن بن محمد العويس**  
وزير الصحة ووقاية المجتمع  
ووزير الدولة لشؤون المجلس الوطني الاتحادي

معالي  
**عبد بن عدي**  
عضو قطاع الخدمات المساندة

## الرؤية والرسالة



### Vision

A world-leading ministry in promoting integration and cooperation between the government and the Federal National Council and developing awareness of parliamentary life and political participation for a better future for the people of the UAE



### Mission

Enhancing integration and cooperation between the government and the Federal National Council and developing awareness of parliamentary life and political participation



### Values

- Innovation
- Integrity and Transparency
- Happiness and Positivity
- Leadership
- Efficiency
- Teamwork





تنفيذي شؤون تشريعية

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رئيس قسم

Strategic Objectives

سامي بن عدي  
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Efficient and effective cooperation and integration between the government and the Federal National Council



Promote agile, proactive and ready innovation practices within the ecosystem

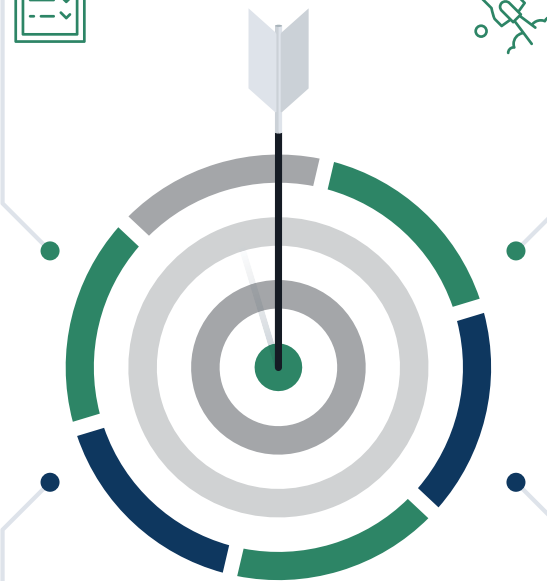
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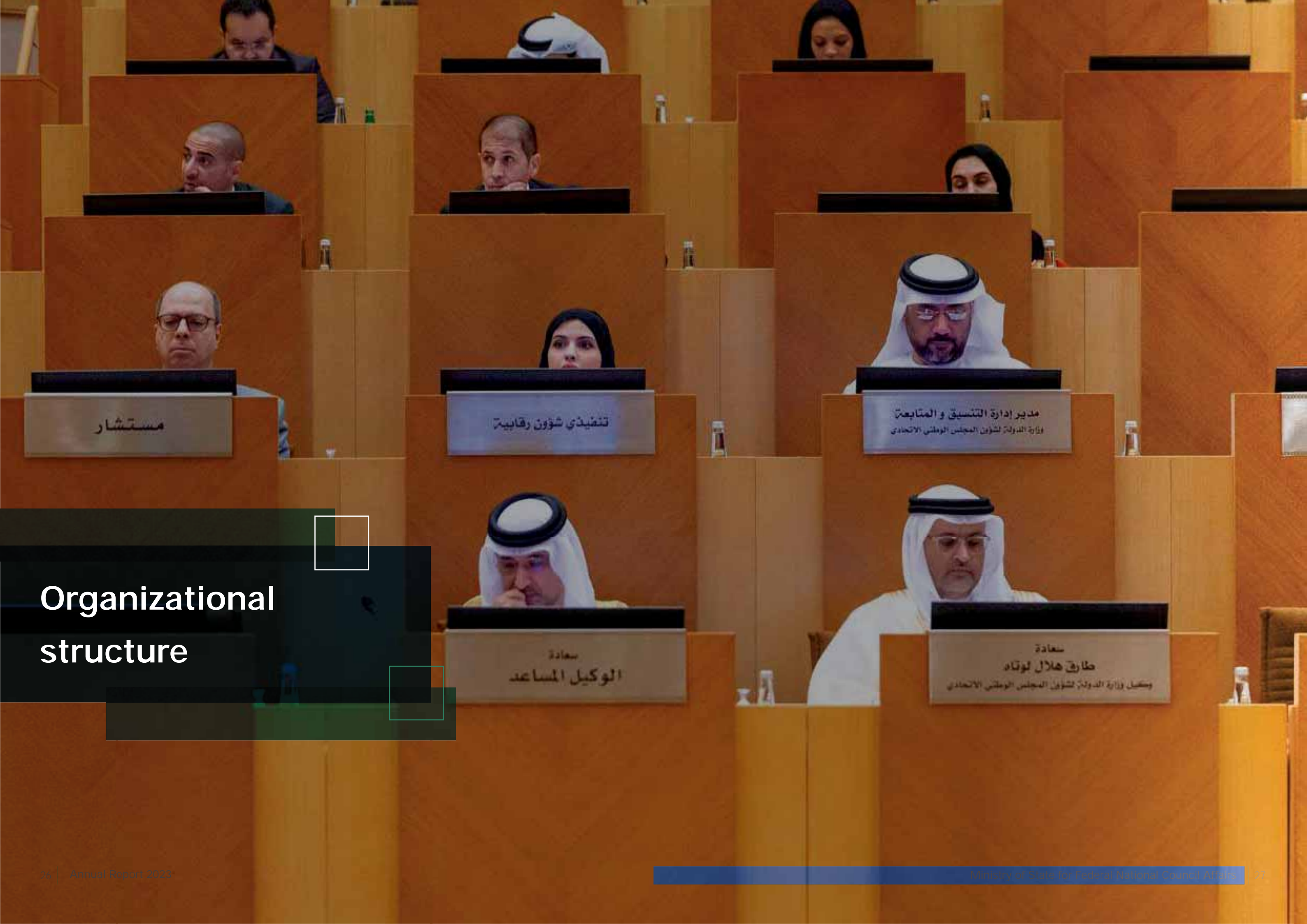


Promoting the political empowerment of UAE citizens



Attracting and empowering the best human talent, and providing efficient and effective corporate services and digital infrastructure





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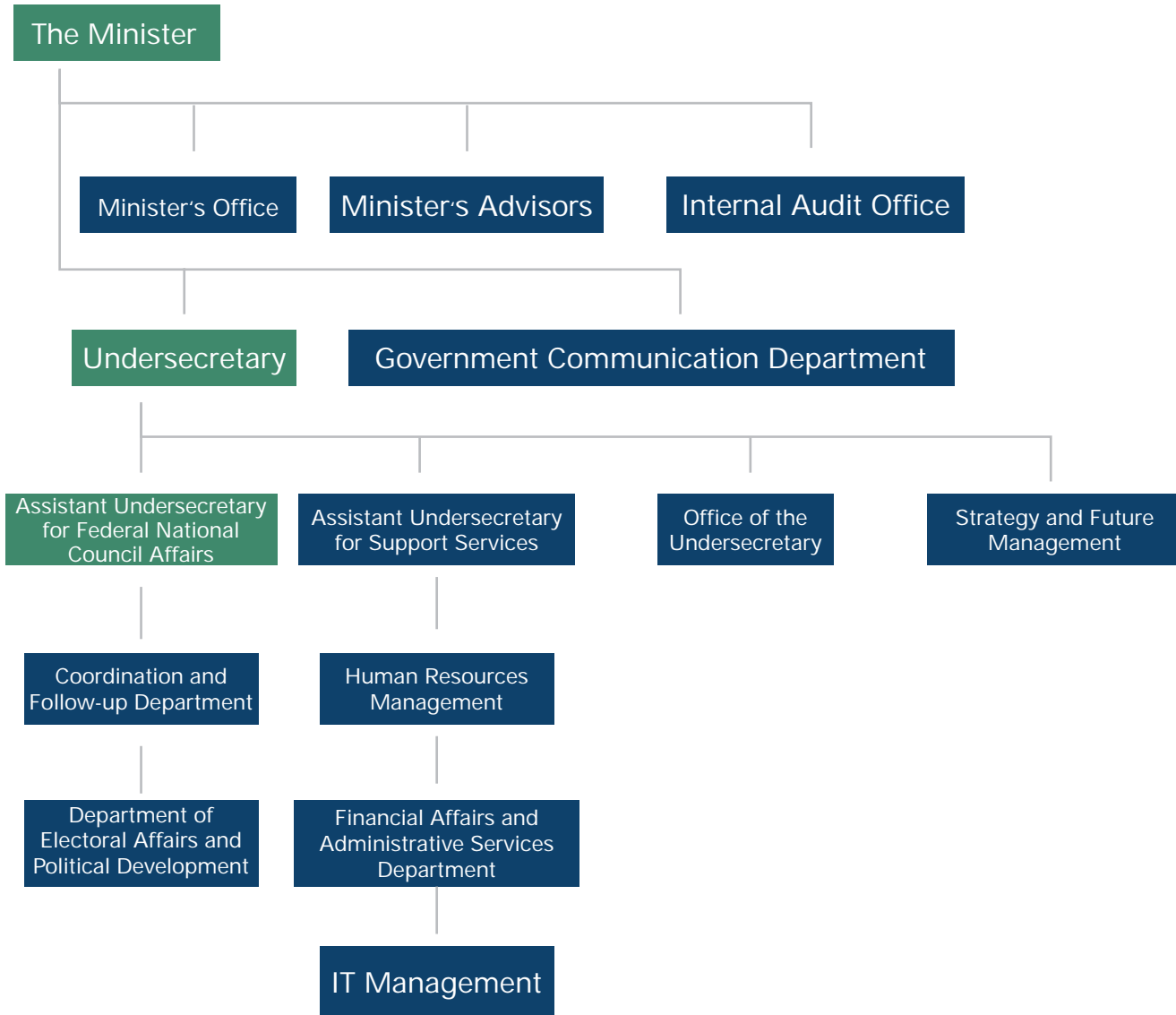
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# Organizational structure

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الوكيل المساعد

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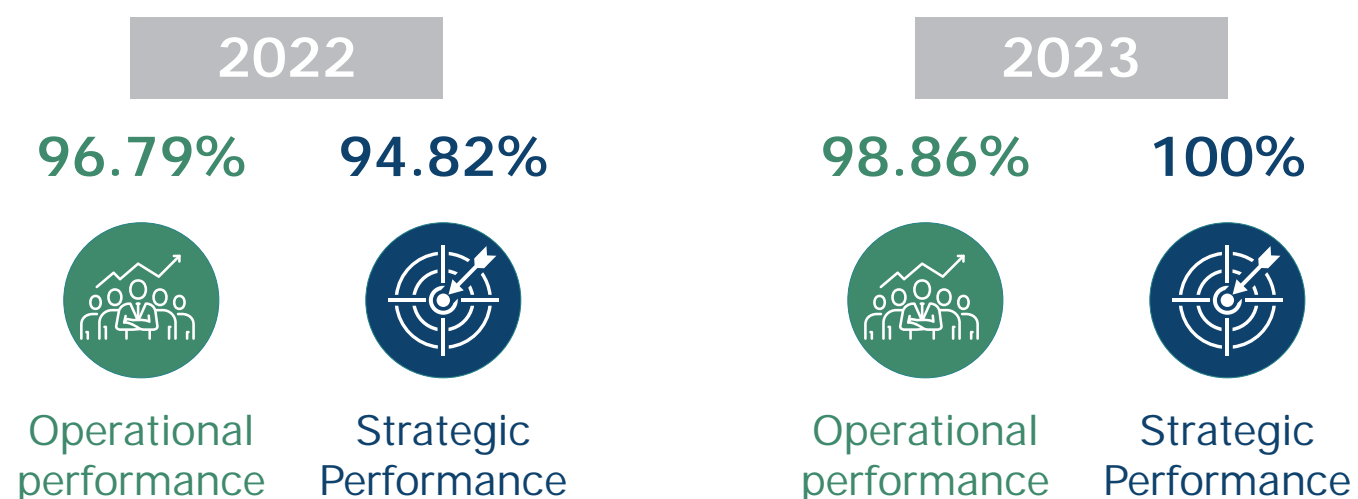
Facts and figures  
for 2023

## Facts and figures for 2023

### Results of strategic indicators through ADA system

Strategic Indicators	Target	Achieved
Percentage of commitment to the coordination cycle of legislative role tools	100%	111.1 %
Percentage of compliance with the coordination cycle for parliamentary oversight tools	100%	125%
The level of community awareness of the importance of participation in political life	65%	65%
Percentage of women's representation in parliament	50%	50%
Turnout in the National Assembly elections	40%	43.98%

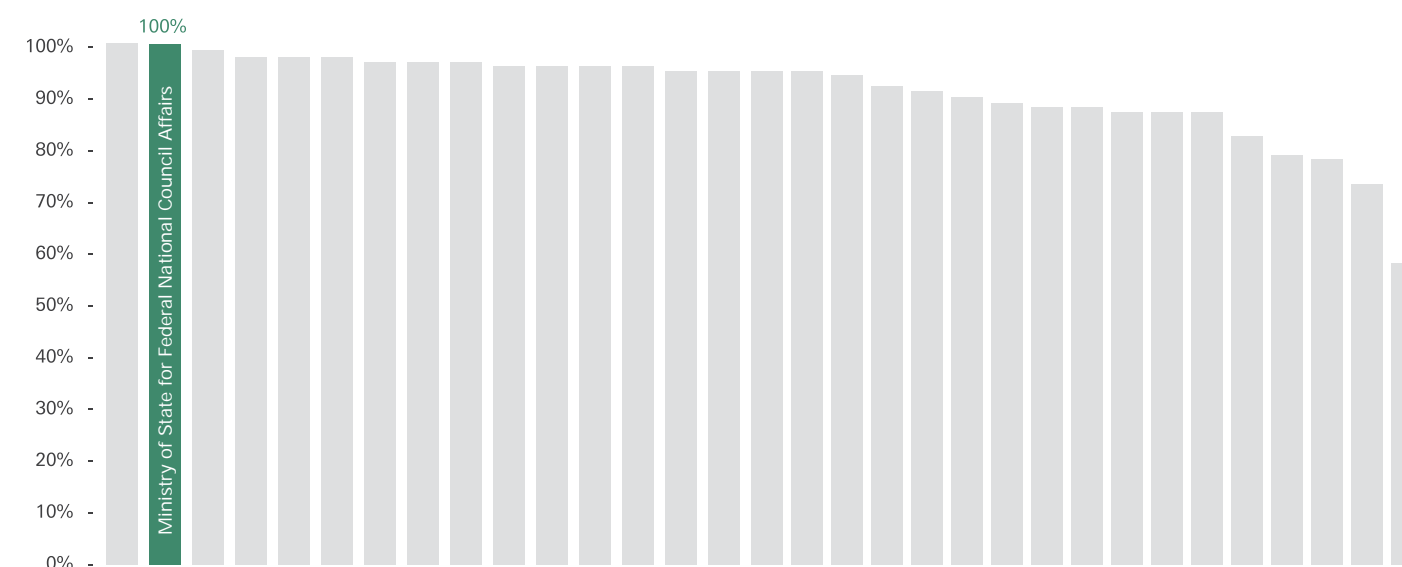
## Comparison between 2022 and 2023



## Strategic

In the interest of the Ministry to build and prepare an integrated and comprehensive strategy for the directives of the Federal Government, the Ministry has adopted the results-based planning methodology, which is a methodology for strategic planning that has proven successful in government departments as one of the most important means to achieve balanced growth in all state institutions, which is based on building the future of institutions and countries together in light of a long-term vision to achieve clear goals set for prosperity and progress through: Measuring results according to easy-to-measure performance indicators, as the Ministry has identified its priorities and sought to meet its ambitions, paying special attention to the government's directions «UAE Centennial 2071» and «National Agenda 2021», and focusing on real tangible outputs and results that directly affect the quality of life of the UAE society.

## Strategic Performance 2023





# Strategic Plan 2023

## Strategic Performance 2023

Based on the Ministry's vision, mission and strategic objectives, initiatives and activities for the sectors have been developed to include all diverse areas of work and align them with the Ministry's strategic objectives and government directions, which included a number of key performance indicators, and the Ministry's strategic plans were prepared based on the methodology of participation by senior leadership, department managers and employees to reflect the visions and goals that everyone seeks to achieve, and operational plans for all departments have been developed in line with the Ministry's strategy by arranging priority projects. Strategy and operational performance indicators to follow up the performance of the implementation of the plan, and the plan serves as a guide through which it is possible to commit to the implementation of all initiatives and their application on the ground.





## Awards and Honors

## Ministry Achievements 2023

### Overall achievement at the strategy level

The Ministry has implemented its operational plans based on the best international practices in project management, where the completion rate increased compared to previous years, as it contributed to achieving the Ministry's strategic plan for 2023 by 98.86%, and the Ministry ranked second among the federal entities, where the Ministry achieved 100% for strategic performance for 2023.

### First: Awards

#### Undersecretary of the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs Honored by Awarding him the Civil Service and Administrative Development Medal

As part of its efforts to honor the competencies working in the civil service sector in the Arab Gulf States, the General Secretariat of the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf honored His Excellency Tariq Hilal Lootah, Undersecretary of the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs, Head of the Secretariat of the National Elections Committee, and member of the National Elections Committee, by awarding him the GCC Medal for Civil Service and Administrative Development for the year 2023, during the nineteenth meeting of Their Excellencies Ministers and Heads of Civil Service and Administrative Development Agencies in the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) countries. Arab, which was held in the city of «Muscat» in the Sultanate of Oman.

It is noteworthy that the medal is awarded - periodically - to people who have excelled in providing great and outstanding services in the field of civil service and administrative development in the



GCC States, and have contributed effectively to the development of human resources regulations and laws and administrative development, and for their long experience in the field of human resources development and services.

1. The Ministry has succeeded in renewing the international ISO certificates in a number of different fields, which comes as a result of the Ministry's keenness to enhance work tools and improve its environment, within a system that supports and encourages a culture of creativity, excellence and innovation.

The Ministry was recently able to obtain the certificate of the International Standard for Information Technology Service Management, due to its commitment to the quality of e-services management, in accordance with the best standards and practices in force in the management of technological services, and the Ministry also obtained the international accreditation certificate in the field of corporate governance, for applying the best levels of governance and correct administrative practices, and in accordance with a vision aimed at developing aspects of management and governance for its various departments and committees, in the interest of building internal institutional work.

PICTURE: Innovation Management System -Quality Management System -Information Security ManagementThe Ministry also obtained the ISO certificate in the field of security system and institutional resilience, as a culmination of its efforts in adopting institutional capabilities and flexibility in government work, developing the work system, applying best institutional practices and introducing terms related to organizational flexibility and its principles, and also obtained the certificate of conformity to the international standard ISO Business Continuity Management, after its success in implementing an integrated strategy that includes procedures and measures for the Ministry's continuation of providing its services during emergencies, crises and disasters in accordance with best practices. I was able to obtain the ISO certificate in the risk management system, according to the highest standards to enhance capabilities in dealing with risks and possible events.

The competency management certificate obtained by the Ministry is one of the specifications of the international ISO series, which provides guidance to help institutions achieve the training service quality management system through a set of requirements and items, and the international standard helps to determine the requirements of the application stages, and the training management system aims to improve employee performance, raise productivity, raise the level of job satisfaction, and enhance the principle of transparency and clarity.



## Second: Achievements at the level of strategic objectives

### First Strategic Objective

Raising the efficiency and effectiveness of cooperation and integration between the government and the Federal National Council

The Ministry undertakes the tasks of coordination between the government and the Federal National Council and directs parliamentary efforts for the benefit of the country and the citizen, as well as developing perceptions to consolidate the relationship between the government and the Federal National Council, as it follows up on draft laws, presents general topics that the National Council wishes to discuss with the Council of Ministers, prepares and prepares to represent the government in the sessions of the Council, and provides support to the Council and its committees to obtain data and information from the various state agencies, as it has adopted the goal of raising the efficiency of effective coordination between the government and the Council. To ensure the achievement of this goal, the Ministry has developed a set of initiatives such as strengthening coordination between the government and the Federal National Council, by enabling and developing the relationship between the government and the National Council, continuing to activate and strengthen communication with ministries and the Council, and enhancing coordination capabilities between the executive and legislative authorities.

- o The Ministry has worked in coordination with the Federal National Council to schedule the sessions, and arrange the priority of the general topics that will be discussed, in order to provide the largest number of issues of concern to the country and the citizen, and the Ministry is also working to discuss mechanisms to continue joint work to improve the coordination system between the government and the Federal National Council in accordance with the highest quality standards, as the flexible work mechanism enjoyed by the Ministry helped to create a constructive relationship between the federal government and the National Council.
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- o The Ministry worked to hold the annual meeting at the level of the federal government.
- o The Ministry has worked to coordinate 100% for the attendance of His Excellency the Ministers in the sessions of the Federal National Council.
- o The ministry worked on preparing your guide in the Council in an interactive way and circulating it to the ministers



## Second Strategic Objective

Developing awareness of parliamentary life and political participation among citizens

The Ministry has launched innovative initiatives to enhance the awareness of the UAE society about the political empowerment program, qualify national cadres to spread the culture of political participation and parliamentary life among various segments of society, and increase women's political empowerment initiatives in all sectors.

Enhancing the interaction of citizens in political participation, working to enhance the country's efforts in raising the political awareness of the people of the UAE, and increasing the participation of citizens in the Federal National Council elections in a way that consolidates the concept of political empowerment in the country. These initiatives focused on enhancing the interaction of citizens in exercising their political right to run for office and vote, Enhancing the country's efforts to raise the political awareness of the people of the UAE, and increase the participation of citizens in the Federal National Council elections, in a way that consolidates political empowerment in the country.

The Ministry has implemented a number of awareness initiatives directed to all UAE society with 17 initiatives that contribute to enhancing the culture of political participation among the UAE society, specifically the target groups (women - youth and youth) and the number of beneficiaries of events and initiatives reached 3,492 beneficiaries.

Participation in the Fatima Bint Mubarak Program for Political Empowerment in cooperation with the General Women's Union.

## Main Publications



The issuance of the «Empowerment» electronic bulletin is one of the Ministry's initiatives to enhance awareness about the nature of parliamentary life and contribute to spreading the culture of political participation in the country. The Ministry issues an electronic bulletin periodically every year that is published on the Ministry's website and sent to the Ministry's beneficiary base, in addition to displaying it on social media channels, in which a number of related topics are raised such as introducing the targeted people to parliamentary life in the country, the Federal National Council, the UAE Constitution and experiences.

A special supplement to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the establishment of the magazine of political participation entitled 10 years of excellence



The Ministry also issued issue 10 on the Political Participation Magazine, in which His Excellency the Minister stressed the achievement of the march of parliamentary life in the UAE, which was represented in the great success in implementing the fifth round of the Federal National Council elections 2023, which became one of the most important experiences in the region. The issue also included a roadmap for the electoral process in accordance with the highest international standards followed in the elections.



The Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs organized an awareness visit to attend the fifth session of the National Council held on Wednesday, February 22, 2023, in which (88) people from the Fatima Bint Mubarak Program for Building the Capacities of Political Women of the General Women's Union, and the ambassadors of national identity and the Young Parliamentarians Program of the «Watani Al Emarat Foundation» participated. The visit is part of the Ministry's ongoing awareness and introductory visits to the Federal National Council (FNC) as part of its strategic objective to promote a culture of political participation among members of society, introduce them to the parliamentary experience and its role in advancing the political development process in the UAE.

As part of its continuous efforts to enhance political awareness and spread the culture of political participation in society, the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs, in cooperation with the General Women's Union, organized an awareness lecture entitled «Be Part of the Event», as part of the neighborhood councils initiative in its sixth session in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi, with the aim of enhancing awareness of the nature of parliamentary life in the UAE, and highlighting the prestigious position enjoyed by Emirati women in the field of parliamentary work worldwide. The lecture, which was held at the headquarters of the General Women's Union in Abu Dhabi, and was delivered by Ms. Ahlam Al Lamki, Director of the Research and Development Department at the General Women's Union, aims to raise awareness of the importance of women's participation in the upcoming Federal National Council elections 2023 as candidates, voters or volunteers. Al Lamki said: «The achievements of women in the field of parliamentary work in the UAE are tangible and continuous, and that the presidency of a woman in the Federal National Council during its sixteenth legislative term (2015 - 2019), as the first woman to head a parliament at the level of the Arab world and the Middle East, is a direct result of the vision of our wise leadership towards empowering Emirati women and enhancing their influential and effective presence in the field of parliamentary work in the country.»



As part of its continuous efforts to enhance political awareness among all segments of society, the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs organized a lecture entitled «The Culture of Political Participation: Political Empowerment Program in the UAE», as part of the activities of the sixth session of the neighborhood councils initiative, at the «Amin Al-Shorafa Council» Majlis in Ajman, in which Dr. Ahmed Al-Mansoori, a specialist in law and international relations, spoke. The lecture dealt with the culture of political participation and the empowerment process pursued by our wise leadership, with the aim of enabling citizens to actively participate in the national decision-making process, while introducing the most important stages and achievements of the empowerment program launched by the late Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, and its importance in consolidating the values of true participation and the Shura approach through a gradual and regular path.



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The Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs, in cooperation with the General Women's Union and the General Secretariat of the Federal National Council, organized an introductory workshop on «Building the Capacity of the UAE Society in the Federal National Council Elections 2023», which



highlighted the most important axes of women's empowerment and the importance of their participation in the Federal National Council elections as voters and candidates, thus enhancing their position in advancing the parliamentary work process in the UAE.

During the workshop, the efforts of the General Women's Union were reviewed under the generous directives of Her Highness Sheikha Fatima bint Mubarak, Chairwoman of the General Women's Union, President of the Supreme Council for Motherhood and Childhood, Supreme Chairwoman of the Family Development Foundation, in the field of women's political empowerment through an integrated system of programs and initiatives dedicated to achieving this goal and the gains achieved by Emirati women in the field of parliamentary work since the first elections of the Federal National Council in 2006, which witnessed the victory of the first Emirati woman as a member of the Federal National Council. Obtaining (50%) of the number of seats in the Federal National Council in the Council elections in 2019.

In cooperation with the Abu Dhabi Councils at the Office of Citizens and Community Affairs at the Presidency Court, the Ministry of State for Federal Council Affairs (MFECA), as part of its sixth edition of the «Neighbourhood Councils» initiative, organized a lecture entitled «Federal National Council Elections 2023», as part of its continuous efforts to spread the culture of political participation and raise awareness of the importance of the 2023 Federal National Council elections.

The themes of the lecture, which was held at Mufleh Ayed Al Ahbabi Majlis in Al Ain, and presented by Dr. Ahmed Al Mansoori (specialist in law and international relations), focused on explaining the role of the empowerment program in creating the necessary conditions to prepare a more participatory and



more contributing citizen, in addition to highlighting the most important features of the 2023 Federal National Council elections, especially the hybrid voting system, and the lecture highlighted the importance of positive participation and introducing the rights and duties of voters and candidates.

The activities of the twelfth session of the Political Awareness Building Forum for University Students, organized by the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs in cooperation with the United Arab Emirates University, highlighted the achievements of the Federal National Council elections since



their inception, stressing the great efforts of the National Elections Committee and all its committees and teams to achieve success for the current session 2023, while highlighting the optimal use of all tools and means that contribute to continuing the process of upgrading the electoral process and achieving excellence and leadership of the experience. The parliamentarian of the UAE, which was able to strengthen its position as one of the most important experiences in the region, and which was able to provide an inspiring model for the relationship between the legislative and executive authorities to serve the country and achieve the interest of the citizen.

As part of its continuous efforts to promote a culture of political participation and raise awareness of the importance of participating in the 2023 Federal National Council elections, the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs, in cooperation with the Abu Dhabi Councils at the Office of Citizens and Community Affairs at the Presidential Court, organized an awareness lecture entitled «The Role of Society in the Federal National Council Elections», at the Rabdan Council in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi, as part of the activities of the sixth session of the Neighborhood Councils Initiative.

The lecture, delivered by Dr. Mohammed Butti Al Shamsi, shed light on the rights and duties of voters in the 2023 FNC elections. The lecturer indicated that the voter enjoys a number of rights, the most important of which are: his right to cast his vote in the elections, and to choose whomever he wants from the candidates freely, as well as his right not to be subjected to improper electoral propaganda, whether in terms of style, time or place, as well as his right not to influence his choices through gifts in kind or material, in addition to The right to obtain the assistance of the Chairman of the Election Center Committee or one of its members to cast his vote in the elections properly, if he cannot vote himself.

## Enabler Objective 1

Attracting and empowering the best human talents, providing efficient and effective corporate services and digital infrastructure

The Ministry develops and improves its internal and external services and operations based on the best international standards and specifications to ensure the achievement of all institutional governance requirements at all levels in the Ministry.

### Government Enablers Indicators

1. Government Data Maturity
2. Accuracy of financial planning for self-revenue
3. Accurate budgeting
4. Accuracy of financial planning of expenses
5. Level of availability of an environment that supports gender balance
6. Percentage of female leaders out of the total leadership of the entity
7. Percentage of women working in specialized and technical job categories
8. Emiratisation Percentage
9. The impact of vacations on employee productivity
10. Average training hours per employee
11. Percentage of trainees out of total employees
12. Readiness of Federal Government Talents with Future Skills (Jahez)



## Highlights

1. Honoring the Ministry for winning the race of the most accomplished entities and in recognition of their contribution to developing the future skills of its employees, and the Ministry received the «Jahez» badge for cybersecurity at the level of federal government entities 2023.

2. One of the Ministry's female employees was honored for winning the personnel category of the Jahez platform race by the Director General of the Federal Authority for Government Human Resources.

1. The Ministry's application of procurement procedures on the digital procurement platform for all its purchases, which is the system adopted in the Federal Government.

2. Applying the asset tracking system in the Ministry, which is the system approved by the Ministry of Finance .

3. Preparing the Ministry's annual budget for the fiscal year 2025 and submitting it before the date specified for submission by the Ministry of Finance

4. Preparing the final account of the Ministry for the fiscal year 2023 at the times specified by the Ministry of Finance according to the specified dates

5. Automate financial affairs procedures through the Ministry's electronic portal

1. The Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs created (627) visual elements and published them through its platforms on social media channels, which contributed to attracting (10,569) new followers and reaching 1.16 million users of social media platforms, and the number of interaction on its platforms in social media channels reached (14,448) by 3%.



Media Activities	Quantity
Organizing conferences / events	2
Preparation of words / speeches	26
Preparation of media statements	31
Media Interviews	8
Preparation and publication of press releases	39

## Enablers Objective 2

Promote resilient, proactive and readiness innovation practices within the work system

The Ministry is keen to employ innovation in all areas of its work to implement the national tasks assigned to it, foremost of which is the Federal National Council elections. Innovation was also present in the performance of its mission to enhance coordination between the government and the Federal National Council, as well as in spreading the culture of political participation in the UAE society.

The UAE Innovation Month is a great opportunity for the Ministry and various government and private entities to highlight the importance of innovation in the lives of individuals, and its role in transforming societies into a digital and technological reality that contributes to achieving sustainable development, as well as its role in promoting innovation and transforming it into a societal culture and a way of life, especially among the youth, the most important segment that bears the great responsibility to continue the march of achievements made by the UAE in all fields.»

### Government Enablers Indicators

1. Number of improvements to key processes and services implemented as a result of innovations implemented
2. Rate of innovations applied per 100 employees
3. Percentage of innovations resulting from employee suggestions/ideas

### Highlights of Objectives

o During its participation in the 43rd edition of GITEX 2023, which will be held at the Dubai World Trade Centre from 16 to 20 October, the Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs will showcase electronic and smart voting systems, which provides an integrated and innovative digital system for voting in the Federal National Council elections. The current voting system was developed in the 2023 Federal National Council elections, which provides the highest standards of accuracy, transparency and confidentiality, through the concerted efforts and cooperation of several parties, as the voter was able

to cast his vote remotely through the smart application or digital platform, and was able to express his opinion through the use of electronic voting machines available in electoral centers across the UAE. The Ministry's participation in the activities of the current edition of the exhibition comes as part of its efforts to introduce the innovative digital initiatives launched by the Ministry to improve parliamentary work in the UAE, and comes within the framework of its continuous efforts to enhance political awareness and the culture of political participation, contribute to continuing the march of excellence, and keep pace with the directions and vision of the UAE leadership, which places the effective contribution of citizens in the decision-making process at the forefront of its concerns.



1. Through its participation in the 42nd edition of GITEX, the Ministry «s interactive website and the information it provides will allow those wishing to view all its services and new digital initiatives, such as the «Election Journey» initiative and the «Electoral Centers Map» initiative. In addition to reviewing the advantages of the electronic voting machine, and identifying the advantages provided by the website of the National Elections Committee, and the information it provides that contributes to enabling those wishing to run for membership of the Federal National Council and voters to learn about all the course of the electoral process.



The most prominent events organized by the Ministry in 2023

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UAEU Political Awareness Forum



Flag Day



Ministry of State for Federal National Council Affairs organizes visit to Qasr Al Hosn in Abu Dhabi



Commemoration Day



الإمارات العربية المتحدة  
وزارة الدولة  
لشؤون المجلس الوطني الاتحادي