

Beyon Cyber, Umniah to boost regional cybersecurity resilience

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Beyon Cyber and Umniah, both part of the Beyon Group, have announced a strategic partnership to strengthen cybersecurity defenses across the region. This collaboration comes within the wider framework of the Beyon Group's vision to provide integrated and innovative security solutions that meet the needs of evolving digital markets.

Beyon Cyber is Bahrain's leading cybersecurity provider, renowned for its advanced cyber defense capabilities, state-of-the-art infrastructure, and proprietary security platforms. Umniah, a leading telecom provider in Jordan, has built

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strong trust among enterprises and public sector organizations since 2018 through its expanding suite of managed cybersecurity and digital services.

By combining Beyon Cyber's regional expertise with Umniah's strong local market presence, the partnership creates a strong foundation for enhanced security collaboration, shared commercial growth, and more efficient service delivery in Jordan.

At the heart of this agreement is the extension of Beyon Cyber's Security Operations (SOC) Center capabilities into Jordan. By bringing Bahrain's proven SOC model together with Umniah's trusted local delivery, the two companies will strengthen cybersecurity services in Jordan while building new pathways for regional resilience.

The partnership will also empower Umniah to offer

next-generation security solutions powered by Beyon Cyber's proprietary platforms, ensuring customers benefit from both regional innovation, local market knowledge, and reduced reliance on third-party technologies.

Dr. Shaikh Khalid Al Khalifa, CEO of Beyon Cyber, explained "This partnership reflects the strength of integration between Beyon companies, enabling Beyon Cyber to accelerate regional growth by leveraging the deep market expertise of Umniah. Together, we're expanding Beyon Cyber's footprint and delivering differentiated value to the Jordanian market while collaborating to drive further growth and better outcomes for our customers across the region."

Faisal Al Jalahma, CEO of Umniah, commented: "Our customers want innovative solutions and services with the strength of regional expertise behind them. This partnership delivers exactly that; bringing a proven security model, innovative products, and compelling

value into the heart of Jordan's digital landscape."

Through this partnership, Beyon Cyber and Umniah reaffirm their shared commitment to advancing cybersecurity by unlocking opportunities across key sectors, aligning commercial models, and creating lasting value. Together, as part of the wider Beyon Group, the companies signal a long-term dedication to cross-border collaboration and to strengthening the region's resilience against evolving digital threats.

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TRA Bahrain and Mobile Operators Launch Guidelines to Combat Fraudulent SMS

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The Telecommunications Regulatory Authority (TRA) of the Kingdom of Bahrain has announced the publication of its "Guidelines for Reducing Fraudulent SMS", developed in close collaboration with the Kingdom's mobile network operators (MNOs).

This initiative follows the formation of a strategic working group by the TRA and the operators to collectively address key online safety issues impacting mobile users. Through this joint effort, it was identified that fraudulent SMS—used in scams targeting consumers—poses a significant and growing threat to users in Bahrain.

The new guidelines provide operators with clear measures and technical requirements to detect, block,

and mitigate fraudulent SMS activity, ensuring consumers are better protected from scams. They also include provisions for user education, reporting mechanisms, and compliance with Bahrain's regulatory and data protection laws.

Speaking on this initiative, Sh. Abdulla Bin Humood Al Khalifa, Director of Consumer and Communications at TRA, said: "This collaborative effort with the mobile operators reflects our shared commitment to protecting consumers in Bahrain. By working together, we are ensuring that the public can use telecom services with greater confidence and security. These guidelines will play a vital role in safeguarding individuals from fraudulent SMS and in raising awareness about online safety."

Philip Marnick, General Director of TRA, added: "The publication of these guidelines demonstrates what can be achieved when regulators and industry partners work hand-in-hand. Our united effort is focused on protecting people in Bahrain from scams and ensuring that their interests are always safeguarded. This is an important step in strengthening trust in our telecom networks and in delivering on our responsibility to consumers."



We extend our heartfelt congratulations and blessings to

His Majesty King

Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa

His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa,

Crown Prince and Prime Minister

On the occasion of McLaren winning the Formula 1 World Constructors' Championship for the second consecutive year, marking the team's tenth title in the history of the championship.