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Housing Ministry to deliver more e-services

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ousing Minister, Bassim Al Hamer, has stressed the Housing Ministry's keenness to constantly develop the work of the Housing Services Directorate and the Customer Service Centre.

He also said that programme launched by the Ministry of Housing in 2011 to promote the culture of excellence is still there, and is undergoing periodic development.

During an open meeting with the employees of the Housing Services Directorate, the minister stressed that self-development of the ministry's staff Mr Al Hamer at the open meeting. should go hand in hand with the on-going institutional develop- seeks to create a positive work of development programmes is reach a level that would meet the all services requiring the citizens tical and communication skills, ductivity. noting that the Housing Ministry



ment, though enhancing prac- environment to increase pro- to improve the quality of services citizens' aspirations. and increase the efficiency of the

Tackling the development will become electronic, which on the new programmes to be He added that the ultimate goal ministry's departments so as to plans, the minister revealed that will ensure easy procedures for introduced.

The ultimate goal of development programmes is to improve the quality of services and increase the efficiency of the ministry's departments. MR AL HAMER

the customers, on the one hand, and develop the ministry's database on the other.

Mr Al Hamer added that the Housing Ministry will hold training workshop to enhance the practical and communication skills of its personnel, as well as inform them about the to report to the Housing Ministry best practices and train them

Three terrorists jailed

First accused led a terror group and carried out terrorist acts

The second defendant was in contact with many wanted men and he helped them travel to Iran to join military training sessions.

• He admitted to participating in riots from 2011 until 2014.

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behind bars, while a fourth man received three years in prison for joining Al Mukhtar Brigades terrorist group in an effort to carry out terrorist activities after receiving militia training outside Bahrain.

A fifth defendant was involved in the case, but he was cleared due to lack of evidence. Meanwhile, the third de-

fendant was fined BD100,000 too.

first defendant was leading the tors said. terrorist group and he committed many terrorist crimes.

Bahraini dinars was the fine imposed on the third defendant.

According to court files, the sessions, the Public Prosecu-

fendant recruited the third was assigned to hand over the

weapons and make and detonate bombs during his stay in a camp owned by the Iranian Revolutionary Guard in 2015. A year later, he was also sent

to Iraq and received similar training, but this time at a camp owned by the Iraqi Hizbollah.

During questioning, he revealed that he was participating in riots from 2011 until 2014, the year in which he joined the terrorist group.

He told prosecutors that he It's said that the second de- received some funds and he He admitted to travelling to

Asian worker murder trial adjourned

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he High Criminal Court has adjourned a case involving three Asian men, who killed a fellow national by hitting him with a hammer in last May, to September 15, 2019, while extending the detention of the accused.

According to court files, the to his wounds and passed away suspects killed the victim af- in the hospital ter they lured him to an abanthey beat him to death using suspects, who were eventually hammers and cement blocks, arrested, after investigators after they argued about a financial dispute.

The case was first reported when the General Directorate told the interrogators that of Criminal Investigation and Forensic Science was notified about a severely injured man found in a farm in Al Daih, a them an employment visa for few kilometres to the west of BD1,000, promising that it is the Capital.

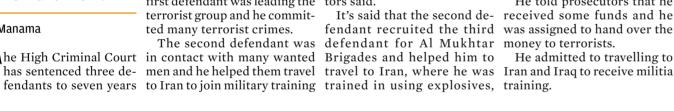
The victim was rushed to was only valid for one year. Salmaniva Medical Complex after informing that he was at- Prosecution accused the trio tacked and robbed by three in- of premeditated murder and dividuals. The man succumbed robbing the victim.

The trio has been charged with premeditated murder and robbing the victim. PUBLIC PROSECUTOR

The authorities launched doned land in Al Daih, where a manhunt to nab the three acknowledged that they were related to the victim.

They, the three suspects, they had requested the victim to meet them after he apparently cheated them by selling valid for two years, while it

On May 14, 2019, the Public







The meeting in progress.

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tember 21 across the country.

Committee and the Agriculture Bahrain Airport Services Com- disposed. pany and others. Team.

During the meeting, Dr Amin he Secretary-General of confirmed the readiness of BRCS that this participation also aims issue of environmental first, the Bahrain Red Cres- to participate in this campaign, to raise awareness on the need for its importance of providcent Society, Dr Fawzi organised and managed by the to avoid dumping waste in the ing human life sources of food, Amin, held a meeting with rep- Bahrain Diving Volunteer Team seas "because of the risks this shelter and health, while the resentatives of Our Seas Clean in co-operation with the Su- phenomenon poses to marine phenomena of climate change (OSC) National Campaign - Bah- preme Council for Environment life, and provide a clean envi- and desertification represent rain Volunteer Diving Team- and other concerned entities ronment and maintain a life great challenges for relief and to discuss the co-ordination of such as the Ministry of Interi- suitable for seafarers and fish- humanitarian work around the BRCS volunteers with the OSC or (Coast Guard Department), ermen". campaign that runs until Sep- the Directorate of Maritime

Dr Amin further pointed out Bahraini Red Crescent puts the

He praised the efforts of ing major climate changes that Surveillance and Fisheries, the the campaigners, especially in call for the concerted efforts of The meeting gathered the United Nations Environment terms of extracting waste from the international community First Aid Committee, Public Programme, the Ministry of the sea is sorted, recycled and to face them and reduce their Relations Committee, Youth Works and Municipal Affairs, distributed for charity or safely negative impact.

Dr Amin stressed that the world, as the world is witness-

Qatar's inhumane practices against workers condemned

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modation.

Mr Yaqoob called for launch- lective crimes'. ing an international investigation, under the supervision of joins the international human the Arab Labour Organisation rights organisations and region-(ALO), the International Labour al and international trade un-Arab Organisation (ILO), as well ions, which have condemned as international human rights the exploitation of foreign organisations, to force Doha to workers' need and poverty to adhere to transparency in the achieve gains on the corpses file of construction workers, an of victims, in supporting those issue, he said, that has become whose minimum basic requireexposed at the international ments have not been guaranteed level without any effective ac- by the Qatari Judiciary.

countability.

Al Hurr chief stressed that hairman of the Executive labour strikes, protests, deaths, Council of the Bahrain and the continued failure of the Free Labour Unions Fed- Qatari government to ensure eration (Al Hurr), Yaqoob Yusef the rights of foreign workers Mohammed, has condemned on its territory uncover the the State of Qatar's inhumane 'real and ugly face of the Qapractices against hundreds of tari regime' which is trying to thousands of Asian and African exploit the organisation of the workers who are exploited and 2022 World Cup, to obscure the living in precarious conditions violations of foreign workers' in both workplaces and accom- rights and humanity to a level that bears the hallmark of 'col-

He emphasised that Al Hurr