

Embassy of India

Abu Dhabi

Advisory regarding Immigration Fraud

It has come to the notice of Embassy that certain fraudsters are posing as UAE Immigration Officials by spoofing the number of General Directorate of Residency and Foreign Affairs (GDRFA) and threatening to deport individuals.

Indian nationals, if contacted by such fraudulent elements are requested to report it immediately to the local law enforcement authorities and not share their personal details over phone. This is for the information of all Indian nationals residing in UAE. Refer to below links for more details: -

- <https://www.khaleejtimes.com/nation/abu-dhabi/deportation-scam-targets-indian-expats-in-UAE-112>
- <https://gulfnews.com/news/uae/society/uae-scammers-exposed-fraudsters-pose-as-immigration-officials-1.2098778>

Consular Section

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