

Resolution No. (18) of 2024

Regarding Energy Management for Government Departments and Government Owned Companies in Ras Al Khaimah

We, Saud bin Saqr Al Qasimi, Ruler of Ras Al Khaimah

After reviewing:

- The law of Ras Al Khaimah Municipality of 1981, as amended,
- Amiri Decree No.27 of 2017 on the Establishment of the Committee on Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, and
- Amiri Resolution No.15 of 2018 on the Energy Retrofits for Government Buildings in Ras Al Khaimah, and
- Amiri Resolution No. 34 of 2018 on Promoting the Initial Adoption of Efficient Vehicles by the Government of Ras Al Khaimah

And in line with:

- The sustainability strategies of Ras Al Khaimah

We have resolved as follows:

Article (1)

This Resolution applies to all government departments and government owned companies of Ras Al Khaimah, hereinafter referred to as "Government Entities".

Article (2)

All Government Entities that occupy their own premises and whose activities are predominantly office-based, shall achieve a target of reducing electricity consumption by at least 30%, water consumption by at least 20%, and transportation fuel consumption by at least 20% by the year 2030 compared to a 2017 baseline.

Article (3)

For each Government Entity to which Article (2) does not apply, the Energy Efficiency and Renewables Sector of Ras Al Khaimah Municipality, in coordination with the concerned entity, shall establish targets for reducing electricity, water, and transportation fuel consumption, ensuring such targets be no less stretching than those set for entities under Article (2).

Article (4)

All Government Entities shall aim at maintaining or enhancing occupant comfort, while pursuing the targets defined in this Resolution.

Article (5)

All Government Entities shall have within their organizations an Energy Principal who shall be responsible for coordinating and implementing the actions required to achieve the targets defined in this Resolution.

Article (6)

All Government Entities shall regularly assess opportunities towards the targets defined in this Resolution and adopt systems to monitor their energy, water, and transportation fuel consumption.

Article (7)

The Energy Efficiency and Renewables Sector of Ras Al Khaimah Municipality is responsible for supporting Government Entities in achieving the targets defined in this Resolution.

Article (8)

All Government Entities shall submit periodic progress reports towards the targets defined in this Resolution to the Energy Efficiency and Renewables Sector of Ras Al Khaimah Municipality, who will consolidate all information and report directly to the Ruler of Ras Al Khaimah.

Article (9)

The Chairman of the Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Committee shall issue implementation guidelines for this Resolution.

Article (10)

Amiri Resolution no. 15 of 2018 is repealed.

Article (11)

This Resolution shall take effect from the date of its issuance and shall be published in the Official Gazette.

Saud Bin Saqr Bin Mohamed Al Qasimi

Ruler of Ras Al Khaimah

Issued by us on this day the 3rd day of Jumada al-Awwal of the year 1446 AH

Corresponding to the 5th of November of the year 2024.