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By Email to WFEO: [executivedirector@wfeo.net](mailto:executivedirector@wfeo.net)

Dear Ms. Azoulay,

**Support for Declaration of World Engineering Day for Climate Change Action and Sustainability**

On behalf of the members of the Bahrain Society of Engineers, I am writing to indicate the strong support of our organisation for the **Declaration of 4<sup>th</sup> March of each year as World Engineering Day for Climate Change Action and Sustainability**.

The Bahrain Society of Engineers is the national body for Kingdom of Bahrain with responsibilities for the development and enhancement of engineering profession and engineers.

We directly or indirectly represent 2,500 engineers.

If declared, our organisation commits to celebrating World Engineering Day with a wide range of activities that promote the role of engineering for climate change action and sustainability as urgent action is needed in these areas. Such celebrations will improve community recognition of the importance of engineering to society and the economy.

The activities to celebrate World Engineering Day is expected to encourage young people, girls and boys, to raise the number of people studying science and mathematics, increasing the intake of engineers into universities. This is critical for the sustainable development of our country.

We anticipate that our activities will reach and have an impact on two million people in our country.

Yours sincerely,

**Dr. Dheya Tawfiqi**  
President

Cc:

- Mr. Majeed Alqassab
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