

[Braced to crush unrest, Iran's rulers heed lessons of Shah's fall – analysts](#)

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DUBAI: Iran's clerical rulers will likely contain the country's eruption of unrest for now, and prospects of the imminent dawn of a new political order are slim if history is any guide, four analysts said.

The protests, which began over the death of 22-year-old Mahsa Amini her arrest by morality police, have spiralled into a revolt against what protesters said was the increasing authoritarianism of its ruling Islamic clerics.



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[Lebanon announces first cholera case in almost 30 years](#)

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BEIRUT: Lebanon's health ministry on Thursday announced the crisis-hit country's first case of cholera in decades.

The announcement comes as neighboring war-torn Syria is struggling to contain a cholera outbreak that has spread across the country over the past month. Lebanon began a downward spiral in late 2019 that has plunged three-quarters of its population into poverty. Rampant power cuts, water shortages, and skyrocketing inflation have deteriorated living conditions for millions.



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[Yemen govt has 'fully' implemented UN-brokered truce, says FM](#)

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AL-MUKALLA: Yemen's internationally recognized government has carried out all of its obligations under the UN-brokered truce and has made "major" concessions to clear the way for its renewal and the end of the war, Yemen's foreign minister said on Wednesday.

Ahmed Awad bin Mubarak told reporters in the Moroccan capital Rabat that the Houthis have imposed numerous restrictions and conditions to thwart attempts to extend the truce.



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[Italian judges' association condemns Iran for crackdown on protesters](#)

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ROME: A top Italian judges' association has condemned Iran for its crackdown on protests over the death in custody of Mahsa Amini.

The Court of Auditors Magistrates Association rarely takes a stance on political issues, but in a communique, it criticized the Iranian regime's tough response to demonstrations taking place throughout Iran.

Amini, 22, died at the hands of Iran's morality police, the Gasht-e Ershad, after being held for allegedly breaching strict dress codes imposed on women.



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[UAE continues to strengthen domestic labor rights](#)

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ABU DHABI: The UAE has issued a new federal law to strengthen domestic labor rights.

Decree Federal Law No.9 for 2022 covers all aspects of domestic labor law and guarantees the rights of all parties in a relationship, whether workers, employers or recruitment agents, in line with clear standards and frameworks, the Emirates News Agency (WAM) reported on Wednesday.

The decree law covers working hours, weekly breaks and leave for domestic workers and affirms the right of domestic workers to a paid day off per week, according to the law's executive regulations.



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