# International transport federation donates \$5K to families of Aqaba gas leak victims

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AQABA: The International Transport Workers' Federation Arab World has donated \$5,000 to the families of each of the 13 victims of the Aqaba chlorine gas incident, according to the Jordanian Press Agency.

The 13 died in June when a tank of liquified chlorine gas ignited after a cable snapped as it was being loaded by a crane. At least 300 others were injured.



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## EAD highlights Abu Dhabi Marine biodiversity conservation and rehabilitation efforts

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ABU DHABI: The Environment Agency Abu Dhabi has led a high-profile tour of the National Aquarium to commemorate Shark Week, which runs from July 24-31, Emirates News Agency reported.

The tour was attended by Minister of Climate Change and the Environment Mariam bint Mohammed Almheiri and Secretary-General of the EAD Dr. Shaikha Salem Al-Dhaheri.

Ahmed Al-Hashemi, executive director of the Terrestrial and Marine Biodiversity Sector at the EAD, was also present, as was Alyazia Saeed Al-Meheiri, development manager at Al-Baraka Holding.



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### UAE to inspect damages of torrential rain, implement urgent measures

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LONDON: The UAE announced it was setting up an urgent committee to work on mitigating the damages of torrential rains and floods in the various regions of the country in coordination with local authorities in the various emirates.

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### <u>Tunisia approves new constitution in vote with low turnout</u>

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TUNIS: Tunisia has approved a new constitution granting unchecked powers to the office of President Kais Saied, the electoral board said, after a poorly attended referendum in which voters overwhelmingly backed the document. Saied's rivals accused the electoral board controlled by Saied of "fraud" and said his referendum, held Monday, had failed.



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#### <u>Abbas rival Al-Kidwa launches</u> <u>initiative seeking major political</u> <u>reforms</u>

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RAMALLAH: A group of 67 prominent Palestinian political figures on Wednesday launched the National Rescue Initiative under the leadership of former foreign minister Nasser Al-Kidwa.

Seeking major reforms to the Palestinian political system and institutions, the initiative said: "The success of this proposed mechanism requires an application of popular, political and legal pressure to mobilize support and

effect change.

"It must be affirmed that the PLO (Palestine Liberation Organization) needs to be lifted out of its crisis and rebuilt to meet the challenges."



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