### **DECEMBER 2020**

Monthly Statistical Report

### **Mo7amek Platform**

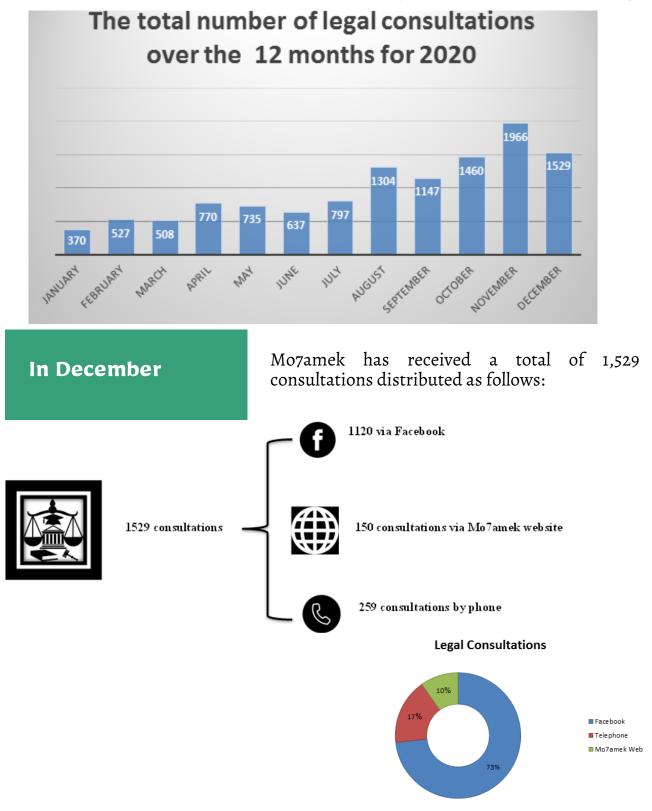


Mo7amek is a platform that aims to spread the culture of legal awareness through social media. From the standpoint of "knowledge lacking is power", legal knowledge sometimes major causes problems. Therefore, Mo7amek provides you with a team of lawyers with their expertise in legal cases to give free legal advice. This enabled people to send us many questions and legal inquiries that are answered throughout the month and grouped in a monthly newsletter as a form of documentation.



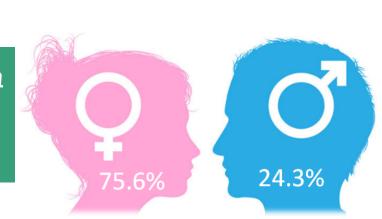
### **INTRODUCTION**

This report offers a general outlook on the number of consultations has received over the past 12 months, most of which were in the context of COVID-19. A total of 11,750 consultations has been received which came in different portions each month as following;



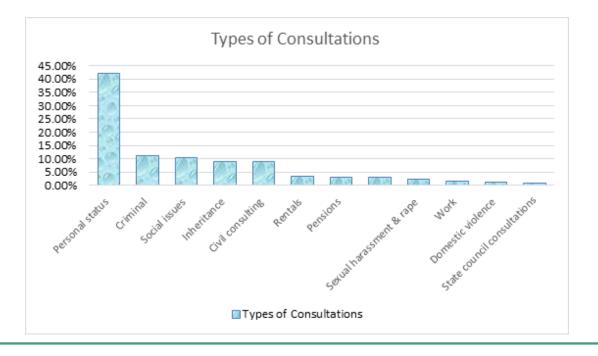
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Women who are most in demand of justice by 75.6%



# Personal Status Issues .. Are the Most Demanding

The types of consultations have been received in December varied between different topics and concentration, they were respectively distributed as following: Personal status 42.3%, Criminal counselling 11.4%, Social issues 10.5%, Inheritance 9.1%, Civil consulting 9%, Rentals 3.7%; Pensions 3.4%; Blackmailing and cyber harassment 3.2%; Sexual harassment and rape 2.7%; Work consulting 1.8%, Domestic violence 1.4%, and State council consultations 1.1%



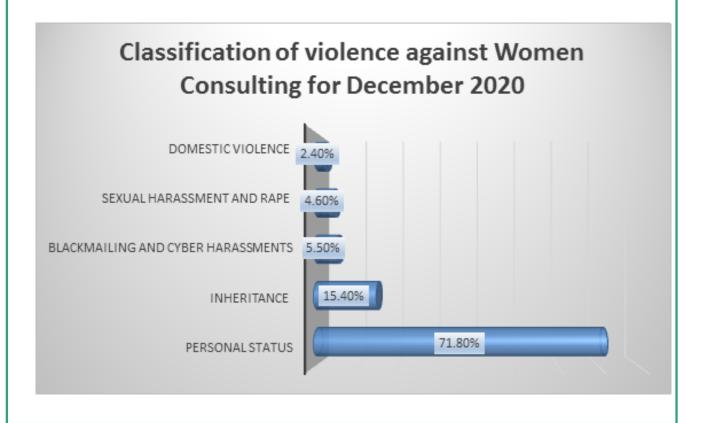


# Inheritance ... the most common forms of violence that women are exposed to..

647 consultations were given regarding Personal Status, which made it comprise 71.8% from the total consultations given under the umbrella of violence against women. While inheritance comprised 5.4% of total 139 consultations, blackmailing and cyber harassment was 5.5% of total 50 consultations. Sexual harassment and rape consultations followed them with total 42 consultations, thus, comprising 4.6%. And lastly, Domestic violence within households was in total 22 consultations

and comprised 2.4%.

In December, 900 consultations have been received seeking advice regarding violence against women out of total 1,529, which makes violence comprise 58.6% of the total consultations.



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## **'Fayza'** Succeeds in Getting Out of Domestic Violence to a Safe Home

'My name is Fayza (code name) and I'm 25 years old. After my father passed away, my mother, my elder sister, and her husband constantly tried to control my life and my decisions. What is even worse is that they even tried to force me to drop out and quit studying.

I tried so many times to fight back and resist all forms of abuse, violence, forced stay-in's, cutting me off, all of which to force me to drop out. However, I fought back by getting myself a job so I could pay my tuition fees and I managed to graduate. After I graduated, I applied to be a Teaching Assistant in university, but I was rejected. So, I filed a case against them to State Council and I won it.

My mother and sister kept trying to sabotage my work as a Teaching Assistant by not allowing me to go out of the house, resorting to my dean and trying to convince her that I am incompetent. I am so exhausted from everything and I do not know what to do."

Fayza (code name) eventually resorted to Mo7amek and ECWR to seek help to break free from her toxic household without needing to file a case against them.

Consequently, both, Mo7amek and ECWR have collaborated efforts to contact the Ministry of Social Solidarity to refer Fayza to one of the hosting homes that would be safe for her, while assigning a representative on her behalf to contact her mother and sister as a way to protect her and to add a more formal tone to the issue to her family so they

would realize the severity of the situation. They have been both firmly alarmed that if they tried to hurt Fayza once more, there will be legal actions taken.

The Ministry of Social Solidarity eventually managed to secure Fayza and protect her by making sure she has been referred to a safe home." Cooperation of the Ministry of Social Solidarity and the official assignment of a representative add a more formal tone to the actions that have been taken and had a great impact on the life of the girl to be safe and stable.

