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WHY 16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE ARE CRUCIAL ?!



The 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence campaign was initiated by the United Nations. Its primary goal is to raise awareness, foster public support, and drive change to combat all forms of violence directed against women and girls. The campaign aims to shed light on this pressing issue and encourage both local and international communities to seek lasting solutions.

Furthermore, as a global campaign calling for an end to violence against women and girls, this annual initiative runs from November 25th, the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women, to December 10th, Human Rights Day. Campaigns like the 16 Days of Activism are essential because they highlight the issue of violence against women.

This campaign serves as an opportunity to raise public awareness about what needs to change to prevent this violence from happening in the first place, at local, national, regional, and international levels.

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Ask Your Lawyer



A question:
How does the Constitution protect women in Egypt from violence?



● The Answer ●

THE EGYPTIAN CONSTITUTION, ISSUED IN 2014, EMPHASIZES WOMEN'S ISSUES STARTING FROM ITS PREAMBLE AND INCLUDES MORE THAN 20 ARTICLES THAT ADDRESS WOMEN DIRECTLY.

THESE PROVISIONS ENSURE EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN, THEIR PARTICIPATION IN SOCIETY, AND EQUALITY WITH MEN IN RIGHTS WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION.



LEGAL INFORMATION

THE EGYPTIAN CONSTITUTION EQUALIZES THE RIGHTS OF MEN AND WOMEN IN THE AREA OF THE RIGHT TO WORK. ARTICLE 12 STATES THAT "WORK IS A RIGHT, A DUTY, AND AN HONOR GUARANTEED BY THE STATE".

ADDITIONALLY, ARTICLE 14 SPECIFIES THAT "PUBLIC POSTS ARE A RIGHT FOR ALL CITIZENS BASED ON MERIT, WITH NO FAVORITISM OR MEDIATION".

Legal Concepts



The International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women is observed annually on November 25. Established by the United Nations General Assembly, this day aims to raise awareness about the various forms of violence women face globally, including harassment, rape, female genital mutilation, and domestic violence. These issues often lead to psychological harm that significantly impacts women's lives.

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Legal Updates



"On July 9, 2020, the Cabinet approved a draft law submitted by the Ministry of Justice addressing the confidentiality of personal data of victims in cases of sexual harassment and assault.

This legislation aims to enhance the protection of victims' identities and ensure their privacy in legal proceedings related to these offenses.

OUR CLIENTS



This month, November, a total 837 of consultations were received by "Mohamek" across its 2 different communications means, including Facebook pages, and telephone, as follows:

- Phone
- Facebook

Facebook Phone consultations



- ● Phone: 442 consultations were received on mobile and landlines, making up 52.8% of the complaints
- ● Facebook: 395 consultations were received on Facebook, making up 47.1%

Your Legal Advisor in Family Matters..A woman pleads for help: "I Nearly Died Due to My Husband's Violence"



These words were spoken by a wife filing for divorce after her injuries were confirmed, including fractures in various parts of her body due to her husband. She stated, "I discovered that my husband was using drugs two months into our marriage. When I asked his family to intervene to stop him, he violently assaulted me, kicked me out of our home, and sold my jewelry. I spent months at my family's house seeking a divorce, and after failing to convince him, I went to the family court. He then chased me, attacked me, and caused injuries that resulted in fractures requiring two months of treatment."

Your Legal Advisor in Family Matters answers as follows:

The Egyptian Penal Code No. 58 of 1937 includes all forms of violence or assault against women as criminal offenses. Article (241) of the Egyptian Penal Code stipulates:

"Whoever causes a wound or a beating to another that results in sickness or disability in performing personal works for a period exceeding 20 days will be punished with detention for a period not exceeding two years or a fine of not less than EGP 20 and not exceeding EGP 300. However, if the beating or wound was preceded with malice or premeditation, or was caused by using any arms, canes, machines or other tools, the penalty will be detention."

These laws were established to protect women from domestic violence, a phenomenon that has increased over recent years.

A wife is pleading for help against domestic violence, telling her story: "I nearly died because of my husband's violence; he turned my life into a nightmare during our six months of marriage. This pushed me to seek a divorce and pursue legal action against him for imprisonment to hold him accountable for the physical and emotional harm he caused me."



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