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Dear Mr. Al Serkal,

Subject: High Civil Court dismisses Esam Janahi Case filed against GFH

GFH would like to inform our shareholders and the markets that Bahrain's High Civil Court has dismissed the Labor Case (amounting USD 13.8 million) filed by Mr. Esam Janahi against GFH.

The labor case (Ref. # 8225/2014) was filed by Mr. Janahi against GFH in June 2014 following several claims raised by the bank against him.

All other cases filed by GFH against Mr. Janahi are still in progress.

Yours Sincerely,

Nabeel Mirza
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