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Your Highness President of the United Arab Emirates,

Let me express my concern regarding lawyer and professor Dr Mohammed al-Roken, who was jailed for 10 years following a mass trial of 94 activists. He is being held solely for peacefully exercising his rights to freedom of expression and association, and for his work as a human rights lawyer.

I therefore respectfully call on you to:

- Release Dr Mohammed al-Roken immediately and unconditionally;
- Renew Al-Roken's lawyer's licence.

Thank you for your attention regarding this important case.

With kind regards,