

Protecting customers against scams and phishing

In 2024, Salik observed a rise in phishing scams on social media and online platforms, including fraudulent messages offering fake investment opportunities in Salik stocks and counterfeit links for recharging accounts or purchasing tags. To safeguard customers, Salik advised using secure URLs beginning with "https://," avoiding suspicious links and pop-ups, and verifying information through its official website and communication channels.

Salik also launched social media awareness campaigns to combat fraudulent schemes and urged customers to rely on its legitimate platforms for transactions. The Company reassures users that all payment links use verified domains, ensuring protection against unauthorised third-party gateways. These initiatives underscore Salik's commitment to customer security and trust.

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Data privacy

Salik is dedicated to upholding the privacy of its customers and ensuring compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. The Company is committed to safeguarding personal information by processing it fairly, lawfully, and securely.

Salik has established an Information Security
Steering Committee to oversee governance
across its operations, including cybersecurity and
data privacy. The Information Security Policy and
Personal Data Protection Policy provide the overall
framework for managing related risks, with additional
oversight at the Board of Directors' level through the
Audit Committee. Salik is preparing for ISO 27001
certification, expected in 2025.

The Personal Data Protection Policy governs the handling of all personal data, including customer data. Additionally, Salik has developed a comprehensive Privacy Policy outlining how customer data is collected, stored, utilised, protected, and shared. The policy also provides detailed information about customers' rights regarding their personal information and the procedures for raising complaints, reinforcing Salik's transparency and accountability in data management.

In 2024, Salik maintained an exemplary record, with zero customer complaints related to privacy breaches, continuing its flawless performance from 2023. The Company also upheld strong data security standards, reporting no breaches for the second consecutive year. This achievement highlights a comprehensive approach to data protection, with no data leaks, thefts, or losses of customer information.

As part of its commitment to data security, Salik requires 100% of its employees to undergo data security training, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to uphold the highest privacy and protection standards. As an additional measure, the Company integrates data privacy metrics into executive compensation as a critical area of focus. The variable remuneration for C-level executives incorporates a percentage linked to data privacy initiatives and compliance.

Looking ahead, Salik has set clear objectives to reinforce its data security framework. From 2025 to 2028, the Company aims to sustain its record of zero data leaks or losses caused by cyberattacks, reaffirming its dedication to safeguarding its data resources and ensuring customer privacy remains a top priority.

O data security breaches

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leaks, thefts, or losses of customer data

100% of employees completed data privacy and security training

Our Community

Salik plays a vital role in enhancing mobility across Dubai, significantly contributing to the convenience of road users and reducing traffic congestion. By ensuring seamless toll operations, Salik improves travel efficiency, allowing smoother journeys while supporting the city's broader goals for sustainable urban mobility.

In line with its mission to facilitate accessible mobility, Salik extends toll exemptions annually to support diverse groups, including People of Determination, charitable organisations, educational institutions, and public transport providers (learn more in the 'Our Customers' section). This reflects Salik's commitment to fostering an inclusive society and ensuring essential services can operate without barriers.

Beyond its core mission, Salik is dedicated to creating a positive community impact by supporting various social initiatives. In 2024, Salik took significant steps towards this goal by partnering with reputable NGOs and investing AED 500,000 in important social causes, including

support for Dubai Autism Centre and Al Jalila Children's Hospital. Salik plans to maintain its commitment to community support by allocating the same budget of AED 500,000 for 2025, with a continued focus on impactful partnerships with NGOs.

In addition to corporate programmes, Salik operates an employee volunteering programme managed by the QHSE team. This initiative promotes activities such as desert clean-ups. Ramadan labour camp giveaways, and more. Currently, the programme includes a group of volunteers and is steadily growing. The Company aims to expand the programme further to engage more staff in meaningful community activities.

Supporting children with ASD

Salik is committed to supporting children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and their families in the UAE. In 2024, the Company donated AED 200,000 to the Dubai Autism Centre, which aligns with Salik's programmes promoting diversity and inclusivity.



Through this donation, we seek to acknowledge and honour the efforts of autistic children and their families, who are navigating unique challenges in their daily lives. As a society, we are bound to offer collective support to autistic individuals and recognise their role.

Ibrahim Sultan Al Haddad

Advancing the fight against childhood cancer

In 2024, Salik contributed AED 200,000 to the Al Jalila Foundation. This funding supports the treatment of young cancer patients at Al Jalila Children's Hospital, the UAE's first dedicated paediatric hospital.

The donation was presented during a visit to the hospital, where a plaque in Salik's honour will be placed on The Giving Wall. Through this initiative, Salik is committed to strengthening the hospital's ability to deliver top-tier medical care to children and raising awareness about the fight against childhood cancer.

AED 500,000 total social contribution in 2024

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