



WELCOME MESSAGE



We are honored and delighted to welcome you to the prestigious international congress of the African group of the International Association of Judges, organized by the Amicale Hassania des Magistrats. From April 21st to 24th, 2025, the city of Casablanca, at the heart of the Kingdom of Morocco, will be the stage for this significant event. This initiative has highlighted the essential role of Morocco as a facilitator of communication

and cooperation among African nations, offering its strategic vision focused on justice and sustainable development. The congress will not only be an academic and legal gathering but also a platform for reflection and collaboration aimed at strengthening cooperation among the continent's judicial systems. In the eyes of His Majesty King Mohammed VI, Africa is not only the continent of tomorrow but also the vibrant heart of the present. In this regard, I recall the distinguished message he addressed to participants during the fourth edition of the African Investment Forum, held in Marrakech from November 8th to 10th, 2023. In his speech, His Majesty emphasized that:

"Africa more than ever needs bold and innovative initiatives to encourage private entrepreneurship and unleash the full potential of our continent. I am deeply convinced that within the framework of parallel judicial diplomacy, we have full confidence in our ability to engage effectively in this dynamic, thus reinforcing judicial, economic, and social integration. This congress can be seen as a strategic platform to deepen exchanges and strengthen collaboration among parallel judicial diplomacy networks, fostering the sharing of visions and experiences, and establishing strong ties between African judicial systems. As the Amicale Hassania des Magistrats, we believe that this meeting will contribute to the development of judicial policies tailored to the cultural and legal diversity of African nations, while enhancing the independence of justice and its role in promoting sustainable development.



In this context, we can only applaud the innovative royal initiatives launched by His Majesty the King, such as the Sahel and Atlantic Initiative, aimed at creating a more prosperous and stable Africa. We also express our deep appreciation for the royal vision of South-South partnership, which has become a model of solidarity and constructive cooperation.

Therefore, the congress represents a privileged opportunity to strengthen ties between African judicial systems, based on common values and shared aspirations. It is an essential occasion to promote justice as the foundation of development and to affirm our collective commitment to a more promising future for all inhabitants of Africa. In this spirit, the warm welcome of this congress by the Amicale Hassania des Magistrats demonstrates our steadfast commitment to promoting common African values and strengthening justice as a tool to address major challenges. Whether in the fight against corruption and organized crime, or in upholding the rule of law, essential for ensuring stability and progress, this event holds paramount importance.

Our ambition for this congress is to forge strong and enduring partnerships that promote the independence of the judicial system and propose innovative solutions to the common legal challenges faced by our institutions. We are firmly convinced that the success of this initiative relies on our spirit of collaboration and our shared commitment to justice and its principles.

In conclusion, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to all those who have entrusted the Amicale Hassania des Magistrats with the organization and hosting of this prestigious event. Its convening in Morocco clearly illustrates our collective determination to promote the values of justice and cooperation in Africa. We hope that our efforts will bear fruit and that this congress will mark the beginning of a new era in realizing the aspirations of African peoples towards a strong and equitable justice system, and sustainable development.

Salam O Ailaikom wa rahmatou allah.

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