



**The Royal Commission for AlUla Board of Directors Resolution to Ban Off-road Driving
Activities that are harmful to Vegetation Cover Lands**

No. (C/27/25/1) dated 19/05/1447H corresponding to 10/11/2025 G

The Board of the Royal Commission for AlUla,

Based on the authorities legally mandated to it,

Upon perusal of clauses (Third) and (Fourth) of Royal Order No. (A/38) dated 29/1/1442 H, and paragraphs (Fourth) and (Twenty) of Article (Seven) of the Royal Commission for AlUla's Statute issued under clause (First) of the aforementioned Royal Order.

Upon perusal of Articles (Nineteen) and (Thirty-Eight) of the Environmental Law issued under Royal Decree No. (M/165) dated 19/11/1441 H, and Articles (Three), (Four), and (Five) of the Executive Regulation for Vegetation Cover Development and Combating Desertification issued by Ministerial Resolution No. (354566/1/1442) dated 25/06/1442 H.

And in furtherance of RCU's strategic objectives for the conservation of nature, and in pursuit of its commitment to protect Vegetation Cover Lands and safeguard their natural balance from harm or disturbance.

Has decided the following:

First: To prohibit any vehicle-driving activities that may cause harm to Vegetation Cover Lands, in accordance with the description under Clause (Second) of this resolution, in locations identified and classified by the RCU as per the Vegetation Cover Lands, as defined in the Environment Law and in accordance with the classification criteria set out in the Executive Regulation for Vegetation Cover Development and Combating Desertification, issued by Ministerial Resolution No. (354566/1/1442) dated 25/06/1442 H.

Second: The following violation shall be added to the Schedule of Violations and Penalties of the Executive Regulation for Vegetation Cover Development and Combating Desertification:

Violation	First-Time Violation Penalty (SAR)	Second-Time Violation Penalty (SAR)	Third-Time Violation Penalty (SAR)	Clarification



Use of vehicles within Vegetation Cover Lands in a manner that includes dune-bashing maneuvers, stunt driving, that cause the dispersion of dust and sand, resulting in harm to Vegetation Cover Lands.	500 SAR	1000 SAR	2000 SAR	Per truck, car, vehicle, or motorcycle
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Third: The RCU shall take all necessary measures to ensure compliance with the provisions of this Resolution.

Fourth: This Resolution shall be published in the Official Gazette and on the RCU's website and shall come into effect thirty (30) days following its publication in the Official Gazette.

Fifth: This Resolution shall be communicated to whoever is required to implement it.

