



Counterfeit auto parts worth Dh600,000 seized in Al Ain

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The Commercial Protection Section at the Abu Dhabi Business Centre, an affiliate of the Department of Economic Development - Abu Dhabi (DED Abu Dhabi), has seized 2,030 counterfeit auto parts, tyres and accessories worth Dh600,000 during field inspection of over 39 shops in the industrial area of Al Ain City.

DED said the inspections were carried out in cooperation with Al Shaali & Co law firm which represents ten owner companies and manufacturers of the original auto products.

The inspections led to violations filed against thirty of these shops for transgressing the commercial activities rules and regulations of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi

The client companies of the law firm conducted training to Abu Dhabi Business Centre's inspectors on identifying the difference between counterfeit and original products using state-of-the-art techniques.

Abu Dhabi Business Centre praised DED's strategic partners in the government, semi-government entities and the private sector for their efforts and role in the realisation of the centre's strategy which is aimed at setting up a competitive business environment in the Emirate Abu Dhabi.

On its part, the law firm praised the Al Ain branch of the Department of Economic Development- Abu Dhabi for its efforts to protect consumers from counterfeit products.

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