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H.E. Mr. Abdulla Bin Hamad Al Attiyah

Premier Minister Grade
President of the Administrative Control
and Transparency Authority



- Born in the State of Qatar in 1952.
- HE has more than 30 years of experience in the Oil and Gas Industry, holding numerous senior positions in the Ministry of Finance & Petroleum and Ministry of Energy & Industry.
- In September 1992, he was appointed as the Minister of Energy & Industry, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Managing Director of Qatar Petroleum.
- In 1998 he was appointed as the Chairman of the Planning Council in the State of Qatar, while retaining his other positions, from January 1999 to 2000 he was appointed as Minister of Energy, Industry and Electricity & Water.
- In September 2003, he was appointed as the Second Deputy Premier, while retaining his post as Minister of Energy & Industry.
- On April 3, 2007, he was appointed as the Deputy Premier and Minister of Energy & Industry.
- On January 18, 2011, he was appointed as the Chief of Amiri Diwan. while retaining his position as Deputy Premier.
- On December 20, 2011, he was awarded by the Amiri order number (12) for the year 2011 the grade of Premier Minister.
- On October 29, 2011, he was appointed as the President of Administrative Control & Transparency Authority.
- On January 2012, he was appointed as the Chairman of the Oversight Committee for COP 18 Conference.

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He also holds the following positions on the local boards:

- Since 1975: Chairman of Gulf Helicopters Company,
- 1986 – 2002: Member of Gulf Air Board of Directors,
- Since 1992: Chairman of Qatar Radio Amateur Association,
- Since 1999: Chairman, Qatar General Electricity & Water Corporation,
- Since 2002: Chairman of Woqod Company,
- Since 2011: Member of the Board of Trustees of Qatar Museum Authority,

- He was elected as Chairman of the United Nations Commission on Sustainable Development (CSD-15) in May, 2006 for one year,
- He was awarded an honorary Doctorate from Texas A&M University on May 5, 2011
- He has participated in numerous OPEC and OAPEC Ministerial Conferences, Symposiums and Forums, and has been elected several times to preside over the OPEC Conferences. He has delivered various speeches/lectures in the field of energy and industry at many international and regional conferences.

He has been awarded the following orders and medals:

- **His Excellency the President of the French Republic** has awarded him the *Medal of Honor with the rank of Senior Officer, Paris (2014)*
- **Her Majesty Queen Beatrix of the Kingdom of Netherlands** has awarded him the *Grand Cross in the Order of the Orange Nassau (2011)*.
- **His Imperial Majesty Emperor of Japan** has conferred the *Grand Cordon Order of the Rising sun* on him in recognition of the great achievements and efforts made in promoting and strengthening friendship relations and cooperation with Japan (2008).
- **The Lebanese Government** has awarded him the following medals in recognition of his outstanding contributions in the academic and promotion of bilateral relations:
 - The National Order of the Cedar (Grand Officer) in 2000,
 - Lebanon Order of Merit (1st Grade) in 2005,
 - Teaching Staff Medal for the Alumni of the Faculty of Engineering, American University in Beirut (2006)

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- **Sheikha Al Mayassa bint Hamad Al Thani** presented the ROTA Lifetime Achievement Award to **His Excellency Abdulla bin Hamad Al Attiyah**, Deputy Prime Minister, in recognition of his outstanding dedication and commitment to Qatar's progress.

- **HH the Emir Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani** grants HE Deputy Premier and Chairman of the Administrative Control and Transparency Authority, **Abdullah bin Hamad Al Attiyah** the Necklace of Independence in recognition of the role he has played in the fight against corruption and his efforts he made in the progress of the national economy.

- Leisure interests include: Football, Radio Amateur, Fishing, Traveling and Reading.