# Westlaw Middle East

This guide provides information on running a basic search and advanced search for Cases on Westlaw Middle East. It also demonstrates some efficient tips via Task based search examples.

## CASES

To run a search for Cases, the Cases tab provides a search form with basic and advanced search fields.

### **BASIC SEARCH**

- 1) To navigate, select the Cases tab located next to the Legislation tab
- 2) Enter your search term(s) within the free text field

Optional : Refine your search further with the subject and case number fields.

- Select one, some or all of the available jurisdictions from the browse section to set the jurisdiction
- 4) Click Search to run the search

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# ADVANCED SEARCH

Select the Advanced search option to activate additional search field such as Court and Legislation Cited

Alternatively, browse the case law of different jurisdiction via the Browse Cases section. They are categorized by year or by subject.

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# CASES RESEARCH

#### TASK BASED SEARCH

Task : I need to find a case quickly. I have some keywords and I am sure it is from the Abu Dhabi Court of Cassation. How do I locate it quickly?

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| 1)                               | to the Legislation tab  | Court                 | "Abu Dhabi Court of Cassation" |  |  |
|                                  |   | Legislation Cited     |                                |  |  |
| 2)                               | Use the Advanced Search option  | Date of<br>Judgment   | Range                          |  |  |
| 3)                               | Type in the keywords in the Free text field. Use the Date of                                | 01/06/2014            | 30/06/2018                     |  |  |
|                                  | Judgement field if you know the year or a range. Use the Court field to type the court name | Terms in Context      |                                |  |  |
| 4)                               | Click Search  |                       | Search Clear Fields            |  |  |

Home / Cases

Use the filters in the results screen if you would like to narrow your search down further – by subject for example:

| Home / Cases / Search Results  |   |  |  |  |  |
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| Search within results Q  | Select to print, save or e-mail   |  |  |  |  |
| Edit Search   New Search   | Cases   |  |  |  |  |
| Filter by  | 1. Abu Dhabi Court of Cassation, 82/201<br>Subject: Custody   |  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Subject (145)</li> <li>(Cassation Appeals No. Jurisdiction<br/>"Territorial Jurisdiction" (1)</li> </ul>  | Keywords: Custody; School's Fares; Unflawed Rea<br>Jurisdiction: UAE<br>— Hit terms in context:   |  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>(Cassation Appeals No. Passport (1)</li> <li>Alimony (1)</li> </ul>   | Custody   |  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>Alimony "treatment alimony" (1)</li> <li>Ancillary Appeal (1)</li> <li>Appeal (2)</li> <li>Appeal "grounds of Appeal. What is not accepted thereof" (1)</li> <li>Appeal to the court of appeal (1)</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Abu Dhabi Court of Cassation, 243/20<br/>Subject: Custody<br/>Keywords: Custody; Judgment Enforcement; Unflar<br/>Jurisdiction: UAE</li> <li>Hit terms in context:<br/> Abu Dhabi Court of Cassation<br/> Custody</li> </ul> |  |  |  |  |

