United Arab Emirates activities to celebrate the 2008 International Ozone Day

This year the UAE had the following activities:

- 1. Attractive steps on floors of the public malls with messages like "Do you know about Ozone" and others lead to a desk where ozone friendly products and posters about the ozone were on display. There was also a quiz competition for the public; this was be done in many malls and supermarkets, targeting the general public.
- 2. Had talks and programs on the radio.
- 3. Press releases were issued to all daily newspapers.
- 4. Increased internal awareness within the Environment Agency.
- 5. Shared the *Ozzy Ozone* cartoon movie with all Environment Agency employees and their families. Already copies of these have been distributed to schools on an earlier occasion.
- 6. Presentation to some private sector companies on the issue.

Some pictures of the first activity have been pasted overleaf.

