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m ahrain}$  condemned the actions of two Israeli government ministers, Israeli Knesset members, and extremists who forcibly entered Al Aqsa Mosque and raised flags under the protection of Israeli police.

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## Gaza truce talks in Qatar

AFP | Doha

Israel and avert a wider war.

US, Oatari and Egyptian mediators participate. have invited Israel and Hamas for negotiations aimed at ending fighting mas-run Gaza Strip says has claimed part. nearly 40,000 lives in the Palestinian

atar will host Gaza ceasefire capital Doha, a source close to Hatalks today, sources close to the mas and a second source close to the negotiations said, seeking a so-negotiations said yesterday, though far elusive agreement that the United it remained unclear if the Palestinian including "a veto on certain prison-States hopes would stop Iran striking group - whose October 7 attack on ers" being released from its jails. Israel triggered the war - planned to

that the health ministry in the Ha- William Burns is scheduled to take

The office of Prime Minister Benja-

min Netanyahu told AFP the heads of The talks will be held in the Qatari Israel's Mossad spy agency and Shin

Bet secret service would go to Doha. On Tuesday, Netanyahu's office detailed Israel's conditions for a truce

Mediation efforts have repeatedly stalled since a week-long ceasefire in According to a US source familiar November - the only pause so far in with the Doha meeting, CIA director the war - when dozens of hostages were released by Hamas fighters in exchange for Palestinian prisoners held in Israeli jails.

### **HM King Hamad and HRH Prince Salman** greet India on 78th **Independence Day**

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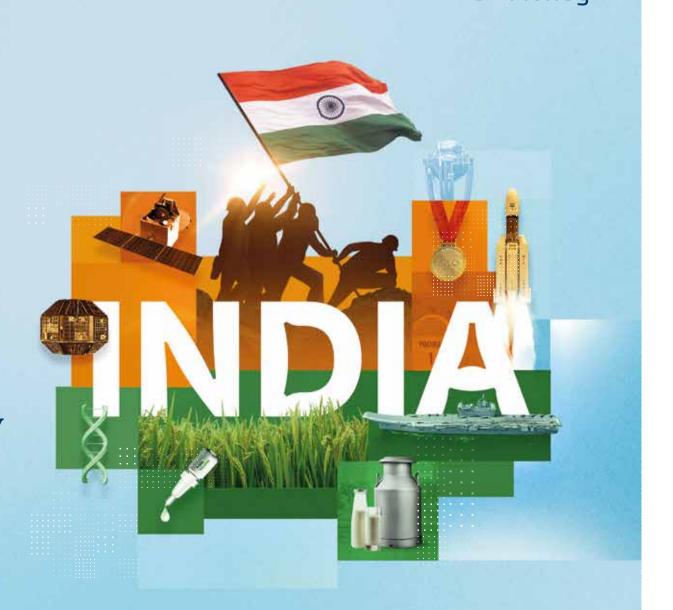
 $\mathbf{H}$ is Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khal-ifa and His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, sent cables of congratulations to Indian President Droupadi Murmu, on her country's 78th Independence Day.

HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister sent a similar congratulatory cable to Prime Minister Narendra Modi.



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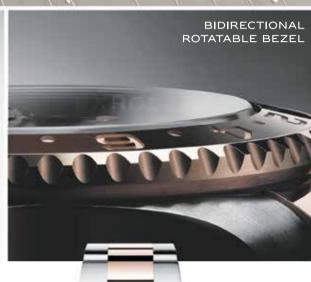
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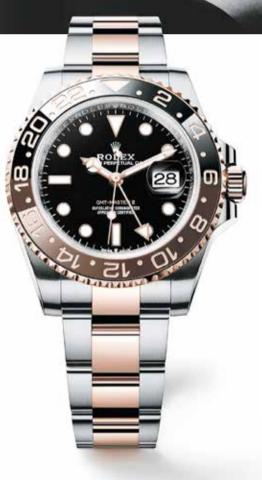




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## A tribute to strong ties



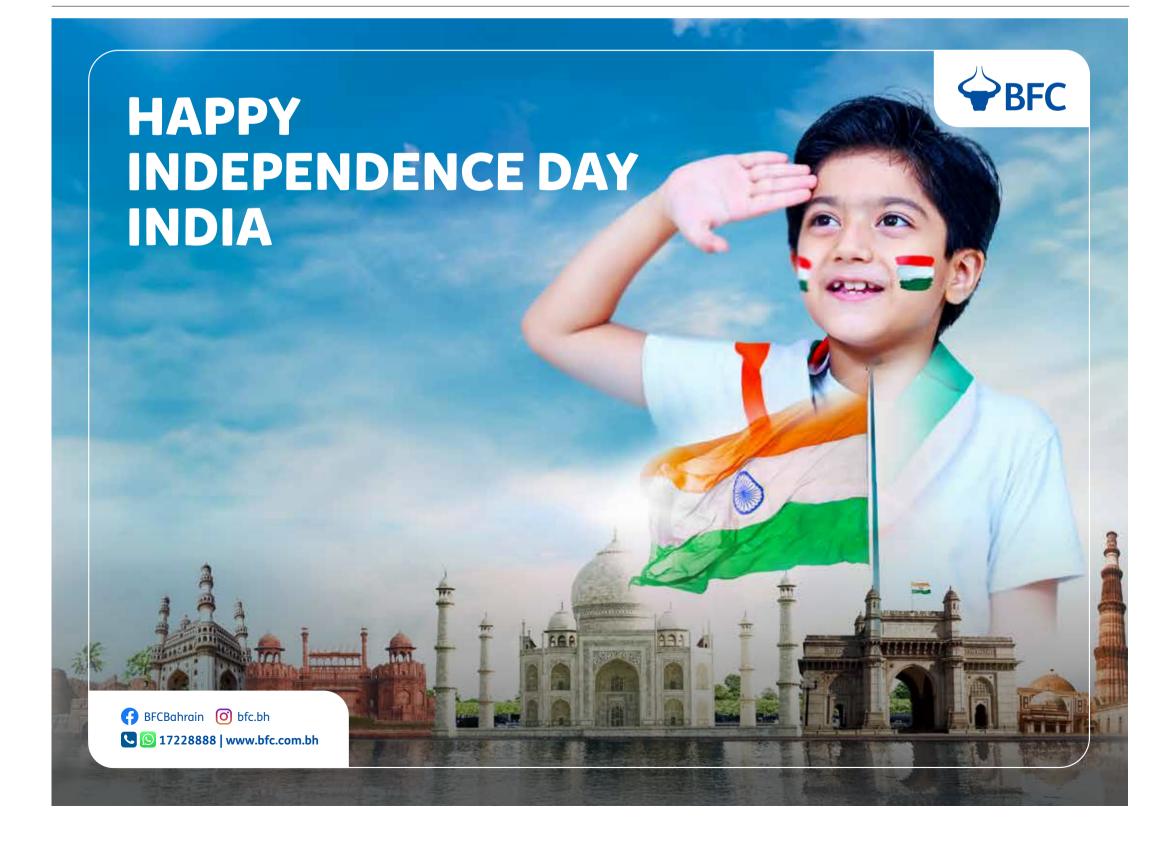
H.E. Ambassador Saqib Rauf reaffirms bond between Pakistan and Bahrain at 78th Independence Day's flag-hoisting ceremony







The Pakistani community in the Kingdom of Bahrain celebrated the country's 78th Independence Day yesterday with vibrant activities, highlighted by a flag-hoisting ceremony at the Embassy of Pakistan. His Excellency Saqib Rauf, Pakistan's Ambassador to Bahrain, led the event, joined by guests, embassy officials, and prominent members of the Pakistani community. Ambassador Rauf delivered a speech expressing heartfelt congratulations to Pakistanis living in Bahrain. His Excellency reaffirmed the commitment to strengthening the bonds of friendship and brotherhood between Pakistan and Bahrain, emphasising the goal of working towards a future where the ties between the two nations grow stronger, ensuring a lasting legacy of cooperation and mutual respect.



## Wrongly accused

Two Asian women acquitted of practising dentistry without a licence

High Appeals **Court overturns fines** and deportation

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¶he High Appeals Court has acquitted two Asian women of the charge of practising dentistry without a license, overturning a previous ruling that fined them BD1,000 and ordered their deportation.

The court determined that the women were present in the dentist's office solely for cleaning purposes, which was their designated job at the medical

Lawyer Shaikh Rashid Al were wrongly accused by the judicial police officer who filed the complaint, claiming they were practicing dentistry without a license.

of the clinic and assisting the Criminal Code.

were illegally practising den-

The prosecution charged the



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from the relevant authorities.

The lower criminal court in-Khalifa argued that the women itially found them guilty and imposed the aforementioned fine and deportation order.

However, the defendant's The officer's claim was based lawyer appealed the verdict, on the women's statement that arguing that the women did tasks in the dental department as defined by Article 22 of the

This article states that a per-The officer noted that the son cannot be punished for a dentist had confirmed his as- crime unless their actions disistant was on leave, leading to rectly resulted in it, and that the conclusion that the women individuals are only accountable for their own actions, not those insufficient evidence to convict ultimately accepted the lawyer's of others.

The lawyer further argued women with practising dentist- that the women did not perform nical or laboratory evidence or and preventing their deportary without a licence in Bahrain any actions constituting the even witness testimonies contion.

during 2023, claiming they were crime in question and that all operating without authorisation evidence supported this claim.

> He pointed out that there was no confession or admission from the women acknowledging they were practicing dentistry without a license. Instead, they confirmed their role was solely cleaning.

#### Cleaning

Furthermore, witnesses testhey were performing cleaning not commit any criminal act tified that all dental assistants ing duties. were licensed and that the women were only responsible for cleaning.

> Their presence in the dentist's office was solely for this purpose.

"The case lacked any tech-

The women were present in the dentist's office solely for cleaning purposes, which was their designated job at the medical centre.

firming their involvement in the alleged offense," he stressed.

#### **Duties**

The lawyer emphasised that the women's presence in the medical centre was natural, as it was their workplace for clean-

"Their presence in the dentist's office alongside the dentist and assistant was for cleaning purposes and nothing more," he pointed out.

The court, after reviewing He also argued that there was the evidence and arguments, defense and acquitted the two women, clearing their names

## for defrauding Tamkeen with forged certificates



**Labour Fund betrayal** 

Training institute owner faces verdict

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Atraining institute own-institute ou Aer awaits a verdict after of Bahrain. being accused of defrauding

scheduled to deliver its decision on August 26th.

The defendant allegedly ly receiving a total of BD4,470. that their signatures on attend-

defendant's lawyer pleaded for the defendant's request. their client's innocence and rewitnesses.

Meanwhile, the Public Prosthe Southern Governorate during the training period. and a member of the Advocahensive written and oral argu- during the training course. ment along with an electronic presentation showcasing the pointed to inconsistencies in

The Public Prosecution during the investigation.

highlighted the forged certificates attributed to a training institute outside the Kingdom

They presented a letter the Labour Fund, Tamkeen, from Tamkeen confirming the by submitting forged training disbursement of funds to the defendant's training institute, The High Criminal Court is as well as a letter from the institute itself confirming the certificates' invalidity.

Furthermore, the testimosubmitted falsified training nies of trainees confirmed certificates to claim support their non-participation in the funds from Tamkeen, ultimate- training course and revealed During the court session, the ance records were obtained at

The Public Prosecution quested the hearing of defense further investigated the case by contacting the Nationality, Passports and Residence Afecution, represented by the fairs (NPRA) to verify the entry Deputy Chief Prosecutor of and exit records of the trainees

It was revealed that some cy Unit, presented a compre- trainees were outside Bahrain

> The Public Prosecution also the defendant's statements

## Bahrainis abroad can now register for by-election

**Mohammed Darwish** TDT | Manama

Bahrainis citizens living abroad who are listed in the First Electoral Constituency in Muharraq can now register to vote in the upcoming by-election for the Council of Representatives either online through the election website or head over to their nearest embassy, consulate, or diplomatic mission.

Between 19 and 21 August 2024, Bahrain's diplomatic missions across the globe will be open for citizens to check and add their names to the voter list for the First Electoral District of Muharraq.

This ensures they will be eligible to cast their vote in the district where the election is taking place.



Ambassador Ibrahim Al eign Affairs, assured that Bah-stage of the by-election process,

Services at the Ministry of For- ready to assist citizens at every Meslimani, who heads Consular rain's diplomatic missions are from verifying voter registration fairs, and Waqf.

to the actual election day and even preparing for a possible rerun, should it be needed.

#### **Diplomatic mission**

Every embassy, consulate, and diplomatic mission will form a committee, led by the ambassador or mission chief and two other officials.

These teams will handle the voting and counting in each country, ensuring that everything goes well.

Election Day is set for Tuesday, September 3, 2024, with a probable rerun on September

The voting hours will be 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. local time.

The by-election will be run under the rules for voters outside Bahrain, as laid out in Resolution No. 65 of 2024, issued by HE Nawaf Al Maawda, the Minister of Justice, Islamic Af-



Man jailed for arson attempt

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50-year-old man has been A sentenced to three years fendant earlier that day, who in prison for attempting to set had inquired about the wherefire to a car.

The man, who mistakenly rity cameras and a glove found the victim's car. at the scene.

arson and possession of can- him from a photo lineup.

and his mental health condi-

The incident occurred on actions. March 30, 2024, when the victim discovered his car engulfed ence of cannabis in his system.

driving a specific car and wear- history.

ing a glove.

A witness corroborated the victim's account, stating that he had encountered the deabouts of a specific individual.

Later that evening, the witset fire to a different vehicle, ness learned that the man he was identified through secu- had spoken to had set fire to

The defendant confessed to The High Criminal Court the crime during the investigafound the defendant guilty of tion, and the witness identified

The report issued by the The court considered his Directorate of Civil Defense confession during the investi- confirmed the fire was intengation, his history of drug use, tionally set, and a psychiatric evaluation determined the defendant was responsible for his

Drug tests revealed the pres-

The defendant's lawyer, He immediately called the Reem Al Mahari, argued for police and reviewed security leniency, citing her client's footage from his home, identi- mental health condition, drug fying the perpetrator as a man addiction, and lack of criminal

## 'Arsonist' spared jail, placed in psychiatric care

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39-year-old woman ac-Acused of setting fire to her father's home has been spared imprisonment and instead placed in psychiatric care pending her recovery.

who was found to be mentally erratic behaviour and shouting. the fire with water. The father incompetent and therefore not responsible for her actions.

The incident occurred on unsuccessful.

March 14th, when the defendthe lives and property of her the defendant's room.

reported that he had observed a bathroom, with burning blanchange in his daughter's behav- kets and thick smoke filling the The High Criminal Court iour in the days leading up to room. ruled in favour of the defendant, the incident, characterised by

tried to calm her down but was time his daughter had started

On the day of the fire, the deant allegedly set fire to belong- fendant's sister alerted their ings in her room, endangering father to smoke emanating from

Upon entering the room, the Her father, a 66-year-old man, father discovered a fire in the

He managed to extinguish He further stated that he had stated that this was not the first

### New sewage network in Nabih Saleh

TDT | Manama

The Ministry of Works has revealed that a new sewage network project in Blocks 381 and 382 of Nabih Saleh has been completed.

This development will now cater to 141 properties, addressing the need for modernisation in both urban and investment zones across Bahrain.

**Empire of Trebizond surrenders** to forces of Sultan Mehmet II - last Byzantine Empire remnant to fall. **Emperor David exiled and later** 

Mayflower sets sail from Southampton, England, with 102 Pilgrims



The Boxer Rebellion: In China, the Empress, her family and court retainers flee while foreign troops move through Peking in an attempt to quell the rebellion

India gains independence from Great Britain, remains a dominion until 1950

## THE TIDUNE

QUOTE **OF THE** DAY

WINNING ISN'T EVERYTHING, BUT **WANTING TO WIN IS.** 

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2024

VINCE LOMBARDI

#### **News in brief**

#### Russian police have detained a US citizen in Moscow for

"violence" against a law enforcement officer, investigators said yesterday. "At night on August 12, 2024, a US citizen was brought to a Moscow police station in connection with his hooliganism," Russia's Investigative Committee said in a statement.

"The suspect refused to provide his violence against a law enforcement officer," it said. The statement said the



man, who was not named, would be charged and investigators would ask a court that he be remanded in custody. The incident comes two weeks after the release of US reporter Evan Gershkovich, former US marine Paul Whelan and 14 others from Russian jails in the biggest East-West prisoner exchange since the Cold War

#### Russia reintroduces ban on petrol exports till year end announced yesterday that it was

♦ The Russian government reintroducing a ban on petrol

exports for another six months to "maintain a stable situation" on the domestic fuel market after major price hikes. The government said in a statement that it has "brought in a restriction on exports of petrol from September 1 to December 31, 2024". The measure is intended to keep prices stable "during a period of continued seasonal demand and planned repairs on oil refineries", the government said. Russia in March introduced a six-month ban on petrol exports, but then suspended it temporarily between May and July, saying the domestic market was saturated.

◆ Japanese Prime Minister Fumio Kishida announced Wednesday he will step aside next month, ending a three-year term plagued by low popularity ratings and a spluttering economy. The ruling Liberal Democratic Party, which has governed almost uninterrupted for decades, is due to hold a leadership contest next month, with the winner to become prime minister. Kishida said

Wednesday he will not seek re-election as party chief. "In this (party) presidential election, it is necessary to show the people that the LDP is changing and the party is a new LDP," Kishida



Unpopular Japan PM Kishida to step down

told reporters in Tokyo. "For this, transparent and open elections and free and vigorous debate are important. The most obvious first step to show that the LDP will change is for me to step aside," he said.

### Spotlight

### Ukrainian army 'moving further' into Russia, Zelensky savs

AFP | Kyiv, Ukraine

President Volodymyr Zelensky said yesterday that Ukrainian troops are "moving further" into Russia, as Kyiv's biggest cross-border attack stretched into a second week.

The Ukrainian army entered Russia's Kursk region on August 6, capturing dozens of settlements in the biggest offensive by a foreign army on Russian soil since World

"In the Kursk region, we are moving further. From one to ed Ukrainian troops had adtwo kilometres (0.6-1.2 miles) in different areas since the beginning of the day," Zelensky said on social media.

Interior Minister Igor Klymenko said Ukraine would create a "buffer zone" in the region to prevent Russian cross-border strikes.

zone in the Kursk region is a step to protect our border communities from daily hostile shelling," he said.

region of Belgorod declared captured territory in southits own state of emergency, as ern and eastern Ukraine and the governor warned the situ- subjected Ukrainian cities to ation was "extremely difficult" missile and drone barrages. due to Ukrainian shelling and

Study of War (ISW) indicat- out.



Ukrainian servicemen operate an armoured military vehicle in the Sumy region, near the border with Russia

vanced over an area of at least 800 square kilometres (310 square miles) of Russia as of Monday.

Russia said it had repelled Ukrainian attempts to push further into five areas of Kursk.

"The attempts by enemy mobile units using armoured "The creation of a buffer equipment to break through deeper into Russian territory have been repelled," its defence ministry said.

Since launching its invasion The neighbouring Russian in February 2022, Russia has

After re-capturing some lost territory in 2022, a long-await-An AFP analysis of data pro- ed Ukrainian counter-offenvided by the Institute for the sive last year largely petered

## Military, NATO bases in Germany stuck by security scares

AFP | Frankfurt, Germany

German military base Awas sealed off for several hours yesterday as authorities investigated suspected sabotage while a NATO airbase in the country faced an attempted trespassing incident, officials

The Bundeswehr base in Cologne-Wahn was locked down because of "a suspicion of an attempted intrusion and a suspicion of sabotage," defence ministry spokesman Colonel Arne Collatz told reporters in Berlin.

A hole was discovered in a fence near drinking water storage facilities, the military's territorial command said on X.

The perpetrators had not been found and the site's water was being checked as a precaution. The base re-opened later in the day, it added.

Der Spiegel magazine reported that soldiers and civilians on the Bundeswehr base had been advised not to drink the tap water over concerns that the water

The Cologne-Wahn base, located near Cologne-Bonn airport, houses several military and civilian facilities of the German armed forces as well as aircraft used by Chancellor the Cologne-Wahn base, the for government travel.

for Ukraine. Ukrainian soldiers with the safety of its supply. regularly fly home from there,



Representative picture

via Poland, after receiving and continued operating at

#### Security stepped up

A NATO base in the western meanwhile faced an attempted trespassing incident late Tuesday, the military alliance said in a statement.

An individual attempted to enter the base but was stopped and sent away, a spokesman sabotage skills". supply "may be contaminated". said, adding that a "routine" sweep of the site and people the incident.

Following the lockdown at invasion of Ukraine.

The base was not sealed off tary support for Ukraine.

training in Germany, Spiegel full capacity, the spokesman The airbase is home to NATO

AWACS reconnaissance aircraft. Marcus Faber, a German law-German town of Geilenkirchen maker from the liberal FDP party and chairman of parliament's

defence committee told Bild daily that with the two incidents coming so close together "one can assume that an enemy actor wants to demonstrate his

Germany -- a key ally of Kyiv -- has been on high alert for there was conducted after- sabotage and attacks on milwards. Police are investigating itary facilities in the country in the wake of Moscow's 2022

In April, investigators arrest-Olaf Scholz and his ministers NATO site also increased its se- ed two German-Russian men on curity level and conducted rou- suspicion of spying for Russia The base is also an importine checks of its water supply and planning attacks in Gertant hub for military support but added it had no concerns many -- including on US army

## India to host third Global South Summit

**TDT** | agencies

Tndia will be hosting the third Ledition of the Global South Summit next month, around August 17. The summit, which will take place in virtual mode, will be chaired by Prime Minister Narendra Modi alongside the meetings at ministerial level. Currently, New Delhi is sending out invites, with sources in various global capitals confirming that they have received the invites.

The August 2024 edition of Modi the summit will be the first  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right$ third term in power.

Officially referred to as the the year of India's G20 pres-



under Prime Minister Modi's tives, challenges, and priorities dian side. on a common platform.

summit, plans to provide a plat- Unity of Purpose', and the south countries.

theme of the second summit was 'Together, for Everyone's

Growth, with Everyone's Trust'. The summits have seen participation from over 120 countries and focus on issues such as climate change, sustainable development, global governance, and international cooperation. The ministerial sessions took place at the level of foreign ministers, education ministers, finance ministers, environment ministers, energy ministers, health ministers, and commerce/trade ministers.

The summits have seen key such edition of the summit South to share their perspec- announcements from the In-

These include PM Modi in-The second edition of the augurating the Global South 'Summit of the Global South', summit took place in November Center of Excellence, known the first edition of the summit 2023 after the New Delhi G20 as 'Dakshin' - meaning the took place in January 2023 in leaders' summit in September. South – which will work as an The theme of the inaugural interface for forging stronger idency. India, by hosting this summit was 'Unity of Voice, collaboration between global







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Wonderful to meet Mr. Young Liu, the Chairman of Hon Hai Technology Group (Foxconn). I highlighted the wonderful opportunities India offers in futuristic sectors. We also had excellent discussions on their investment plans in India in states like Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh.

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#### PRESIDENT OF INDIA, DROUPADI MURMU

y Dear Fellow Citizens, dependence Day greetings.

I am delighted to see the nation prepare to celthe tri-colour unfurl on this occasion, be it at the Red Fort, at state capitals or in local neighbourhoods, always thrills our hearts. It is an expression of the joy of being part of our great nation Just as we celebrate various festivals with our forces around the world. families, we celebrate our Independence Day and Republic Day with our family that comprises

On 15th of August, in all parts of the country and also abroad, Indians participate in the flag-hoisting ceremonies, sing patriotic songs, and distribute sweets. Young children participate in cultural events. When we hear them talking about our great nation and about the privilege of being a citizen of it, we find in their words echoes of what our great freedom fighters chain that binds the dreams of those who particiits full glory in the years to come.

Realising that we are links of this chain of history is humbling. It makes us recall the days made supreme sacrifices. We salute their memory. Thanks to their unceasing labour, the soul of India awoke from centuries of torpor. Different traditions and values that had continued to live 
In India, we view science and technology on beneath the surface found new expressions as part of the quest for knowledge as well as in several generations of great leaders.

#### **Diversity of traditions**

Nation and our lodestar. Alongside, there were great leaders like Sardar Patel, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose and Babasaheb Ambedkar as well as Bhagat Singh, Chandrashekhar Azad and many others. It was a nationwide movement, in which there were Tilka Manjhi, Birsa Munda, Laxman Naik and Phulo- Jhano, among many more whose sacrifices are now being appreciated. We is showing results. have started celebrating the birth anniversary of Bhagwan Birsa Munda as Janjatiya Gauray Divas. contribution to the national re-awakening.

We are celebrating the 75th year of the Coneligible voters stood at nearly 97 crore. This was Day!

a historic record, making it the largest electoral I extend to you all my heartiest In- exercise humankind has ever witnessed. The Election Commission of India should be congratulated for the smooth and flawless conduct ebrate the 78th Independence Day. Witnessing of such a gigantic event. I thank all officials and security personnel who braved the heat and helped electors. When such a large number of people exercise their franchise, it is a resounding vote for the idea of democracy. India's successful along with more than 1.4 billion fellow Indians. conduct of elections strengthens democratic

#### **Fastest growing**

From 2021 to 2024, India has been among the fastest growing major economies, with an average growth rate of 8 percent annually. This has not only put more money in the hands of people, it has also drastically reduced the number of people living below the poverty line. As for those who continue to suffer from poverty, all efforts are being made not only to provide a helping hand to them, but also to bring them out used to say. Then we realise that we are part of a of it. Climate change has become a reality. It is all the more challenging for developing nations pated in the freedom struggle and the aspirations to change their economic paradigm. Yet, we have of those who will witness the nation regaining already made more progress in that direction than expected. India is proud to be at the forefront of humankind's battle to save the planet from the worst effects of global warming. I also when the nation was under a foreign rule. Pa- urge you all to make small but effective changes triotic and brave souls took immense risks and in your lifestyle and contribute to the cause of dealing with the challenge of climate change.

#### **Quest for knowledg**

instrument for humanitarian progress. Our achievements in the field of digital applications, for example, are being used as templates in oth-Unifying the diversity of traditions and their er countries. In recent years, India has made expressions was Mahatma Gandhi, Father of the unprecedented advances in space exploration. Along with you all, I also eagerly look forward to the launch of the Gaganyaan Mission next year, which will take a team of Indian astronauts into space aboard India's first human spaceflight.

The world of sports is another arena in which all communities participated. Among tribals, the country has made great progress in the last decade. The Government has rightly prioritised the development of sports infrastructure, and it

With the nation all set to celebrate Independence Day, let me once again extend my greetings Celebrations of his 150th birth anniversary next to you, particularly our brave jawans of Armed year will be an opportunity to further honour his Forces who guard our freedom, risking their lives. I convey my greetings to the police and security personnel who keep vigil all across the country. I stitution. The journey of the newly independent also extend my greetings to the members of the junation was not without obstacles. Remaining diciary and the civil services, as well as the officials firm on the Constitutional ideals of justice, of our missions abroad. My greetings also to our diequality, liberty and fraternity, we are on the aspora: You are part of our family, making us proud mission to enable India to reclaim its rightful with your achievements. You are great representposition on the global stage. As general elections atives of India's culture and heritage. Once again, were held in our country this year, the number of *I wish everyone a very Happy Independence* 

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An inspiring address by Rashtrapati Ji on the eve of our Independence Day. It motivates us to keep working to build a prosperous and developed India.



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## Viksit Bharat

#### H.E. VINOD K JACOB, AMBASSADOR OF INDIA TO BAHRAIN



take this opportunity to to continue to convey my warm greet- actively supings and felicitations to the port the rapmembers of the Indian com- id growth of munity and friends of India India-Bahrain relationship. in Bahrain on the occasion of relations. the 78th Independence Day of India.

ence Day 2024 is "Viksit by the vibrant Indian com-Bharat" (developed India) munity in Bahrain. They are which is in sync with Govt a key pillar in our two-way of India's vision to transform relationship. country into a Developed

is committed to taking polit- Bahrain.

ical exchanges, defence and higher education cooperation, trade and economic relations and people-to-people

linkages with the friendly Kingdom of Indian Bahrain to community and call upon in Bahrain. the Indian They are a community

India's rich culture is appreciated across The theme for Independ- the world and is exemplified

key pillar

two-way

in our

On this occasion, I wish con-Nation by 2047, marking the tinued progress, well-being 100th year of Independence. and prosperity to the friend-Embassy of India, Bahrain ly people of the Kingdom of

## LuLu Exchange Bahrain wishes all Indians on Independence Day

uLu Exchange has become a beacon of trust and reliability in the cross-border payments sector, providing expatriates across the Kingdom of Bahrain with a secure and reliable channel to triate community has evolved prehensive network that cov- aligns with LuLu Exchange's make sure the benefit of their into an integral part of Bahrain's ers the breadth of Bahrain, commitment to innovation hard work reaches their families back home. On the occasion of India's Independence development of both nations. currency exchange, and other access to innovative financial Day, LuLu Exchange extends heartfelt wishes to all Indians worldwide.

and cultural exchanges over the experience. recent years. The Indian expa-







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immense contributions to the remittance services, foreign suring that customers have Their hard work here has confinancial products tailored to services. tributed to India's economic meet the needs of its diverse growth and community devel- clientele. India and Bahrain have al- opment. For many years, LuLu

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ways had historical ties, and Exchange has been alongside forefront of the digital revo- of Indians worldwide and rethese bonds have been tight- them, providing a seamless and lution in the sphere of remit- affirms its commitment to supened through increasing trade secure cross-border payment tances, with its innovative LuLu porting the Indian communi-Money App. The app allows us- ty with cutting-edge financial

rates, initiate transfers with just a few taps, and track their transactions in real-time, making it an essential tool for those who rely on remittances to support their families back home. This digital-first approach cultural fabric and has made offering secure and efficient and customer satisfaction, en-

> On India's 78th Independence Day, LuLu Exchange rec-LuLu Exchange is also at the ognises the spirit & endeavour

## From traders to Trailblazers: The Dawoodi Bohra Community's 139-Year legacy of integration and innovation in Bahrain

Ibrahim Zakiuddin Spokesperson, Dawoodi Bohra community is a cornerstone of nity. Through initiatives like active engagement in time-honcommunity, Bahrain

Tailing from India, mem-Hairing from India, bers of the Dawoodi Bohra community travelled to Bahrain has significantly contributed to Bahrain's growth.

Today, the 800-strong Bohra of the Dawoodi Bohra commu- cultural endurance. Through continue to inspire us all.

Bahraini society. Our entrepre- tree planting, waste reduction, oured customs, we have forged neurial spirit thrives across var- and resource conservation, our a profound sense of belonging. ious sectors, from construction community members in Bah- Our existence is a harmonious and engineering to retail and rain work hard to protect and blend of tradition and moderhospitality.

in 1885. What began as a journey tan al Bohra Syedna Mufaddal arm 'Project Rise' unites comof traders seeking prosperity has Saifuddin, the Dawoodi Bohras munity members across the dependence Day of India, we since evolved into a deep-root- prioritise commitment to faith, world in these efforts. The re- cherish the diversity and unity ed presence that blends Indian community service and social cent focus in Bahrain on tree that define both India and Bahheritage with Middle Eastern welfare. Our commitment to ed- planting and composting is par- rain. On this auspicious occaculture. Our simple lifestyle, ucation, healthcare, and social ticularly inspiring, amongst oth-sion, I extend my heartfelt conrooted in humility and service, welfare demonstrates a deep er similar sustainable initiatives. gratulations to all Indians, both desire for peaceful coexistence.

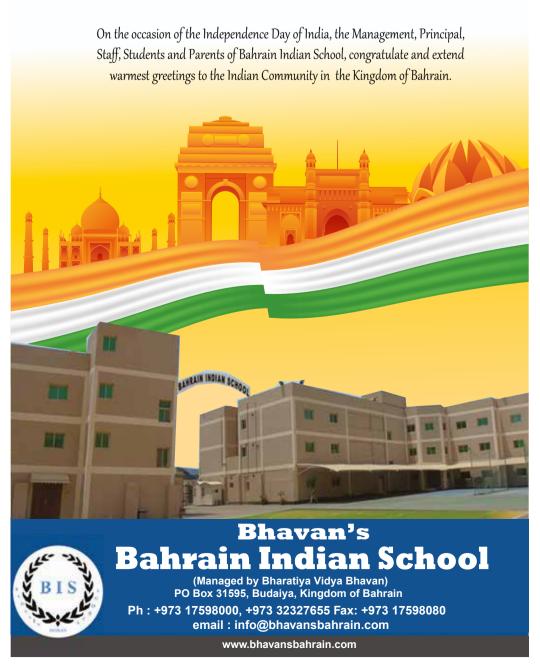
Under the guidance of Sul- Datwoodi Bohras' philanthropic of Bahraini culture.

Sustainability is a core value rain are a living testament to spirit of patriotism and unity

preserve the environment. The nity, resonating with the pulse

As we celebrate the 78th In-The Dawoodi Bohras of Bah- here and back home. May the

## **15th** Happy Independence Day









# Bongiyo Samaj, Bahrain: A Pillar of the Bengali Community in Bahrain

Deepshikha Baneriee President, Bongiyo Samaj, Bahrain

India's Independence Day is just not about celebrating our freedom, but to honour our past by building a strong future.

As an Indian, Bahrain has always felt like a home away from home. The warmth of its people and the way it has embraced



o p e n arms, offering the comfort of familiarity while

me with

introducing me to the beauty of diversity. The strong Indian community here is a testament to the bonds that bridge our nations, and for that, I am forever grateful. No matter where life takes me, Bahrain will always hold a special place in my heart.

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Ashesh Mukhopadhyay Director- Sales, GBM Patron, Bongiyo Samaj, Bahrain

Tndia's Independence Day is a testament to the strength of unity and the power of realised ambition. As we celebrate India's 78th Independence Day in Bahrain, it's a moment to reflect on the enduring relationship between the two countries. Living in Bahrain since 2004, my experiences here have underscored the profound love



and respect Bahrainis have for Indian people. Therefore, it is no surprise that Indians constitute one fourth of Bahrain's population. The flag hoisting ceremony at

the Indian embassy on Independence Day, which I have attended over the years with my son, serves as a testament to this bond. India and Bahrain, despite their varied traditions and histories, have both adopted modernism while maintaining their individual identities. Together, they embody the essence of growth and harmony in an ever-evolving world.

club has been a vibrant hub for flect the rich cultural heritage of the broader society. Among the population and well-wishers is a home away from home for the Bengali diaspora, fostering Bengal. From social gatherings many festivals celebrated, Duracross neighbouring countries. the Bengali community in Bah-Established in 1999, Bongi- a strong sense of community to cultural performances, edu- ga Puja holds a special place as Durga Puja is a time of joy, de- rain. And it proudly plays the the flagship event. Celebrated votion, and community spirit, role as the cultural ambassadors, the oldest Bengali community decades. Throughout the year, initiatives, and sports events to over four to five days, this grand showcasing the vibrant cultural preserving and promoting the club in the Kingdom of Bahrain. Bongiyo Samai, Bahrain organ-lecture series, the activities are festival draws the largest partic-traditions of Bengal in the heart essence of Bengali culture while Registered under The Minis- izes and celebrates a wide array designed to engage and enrich ipation, not only from the mem- of Bahrain. Bongiyo Samaj, Bah- contributing positively to the ditry of Social Development, the of events and festivals that re- the lives of our members and bers but also from other Indian rain is more than just a club; it verse fabric of Bahraini society.

**Director of Projects - Gulf Hotel Group** Patron, Bongiyo Samaj, Bahrain

am lucky to have spent a substan-Ltial part of my life in Bahrain – in a country which is peace-loving and tolerant in a turbulent world. Bahrain is the second home for thousands of Indians who have reached the shores of this beautiful island nation in pursuit of their



dreams. The law of the land which depicts that humanity triumphs over everything has eased the process of set-

ting up a home away from home. On this 78th Independence Day of India - on behalf of fellow Indians - I render my gratitude and respect to the visionary leaders and all citizens of Bahrain. May the Almighty create an everlasting journey of love and friendship between these two countries.

**Uijal Mukherjee** Chief Executive Officer, Al Jazira Group Patron, Bongiyo Samaj, Bahrain

My heartfelt Independence Day to all Indians across Bahrain! On the Ty heartfelt Independence Day wishes occasion of India's 78th Independence Anniversary, I am proud to see India on the path to becoming a global powerhouse. Its economy has demonstrated remarkable resilience compared to global trends.

We have also observed significant business



and bilateral commercial growth between India and Bahrain in the recent past. The Indian Embassy and the Bahrain India Society are two major catalysts contributing to these

success stories in Bahrain.

Under the dynamic leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, India is strengthening its position as one of the leading nations in the world. On this Independence Day, I hope our nation's strength continues to grow each day, and that we achieve even greater success and peace. Happy Independence Day!

Partha Chatterjee **Engineer- Project Construction** Patron, Bongiyo Samaj Bahrain

Bahrain and India are both truly prized nations with God-gifted inherent ability to flourish, by harnessing people-skills and cultural-divergence of multiple ethnicities.

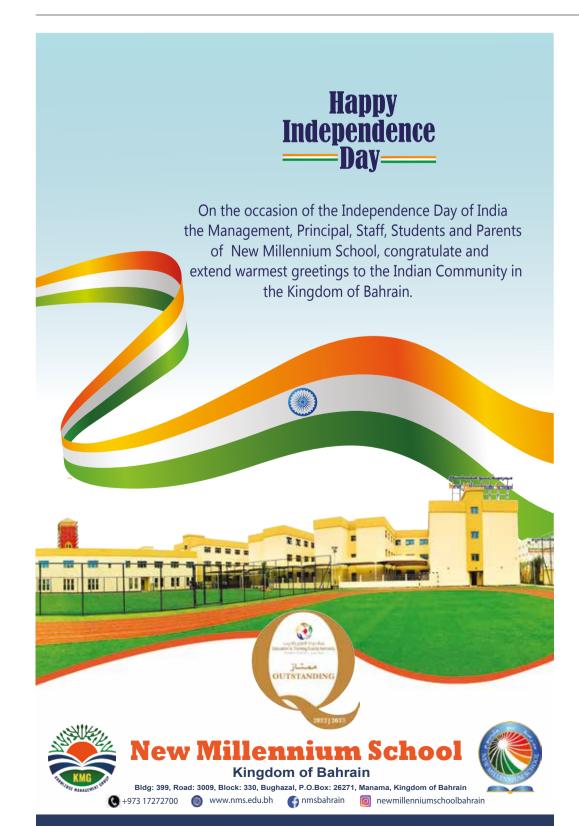
Peaceful, happy and prosperous co-existence of a variety of

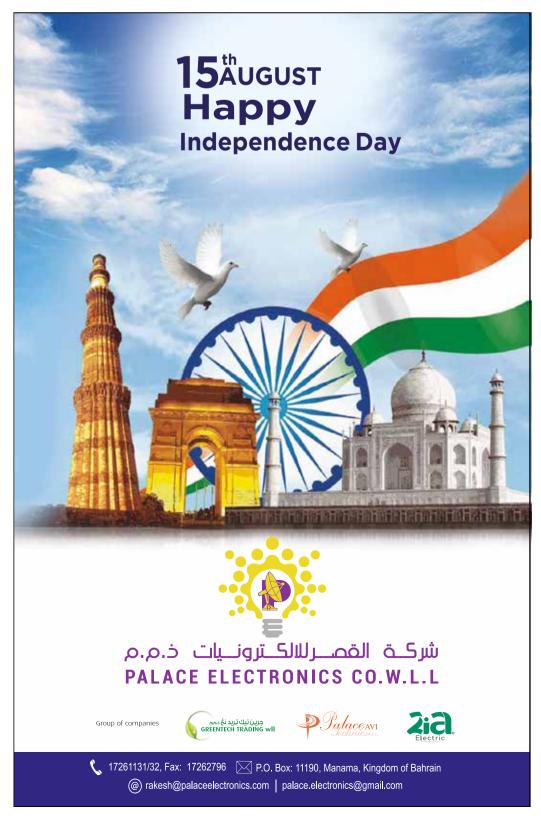


people is the unique convergence point for our two countries. On India's Independ-

ence Day, let's pray for the very best for both Bahrain and India.

Bahrain and India's time-tested long friendship testifies how our both nations function as glowing examples to the world with our free and independent minds but being respectful and interdependent of each other.







## BFC: Pioneering innovation and customer service in Bahrain's financial landscape

 $B^{ ext{ahrain Financing Company}}_{ ext{(BFC), the leading money}}$ transfer and currency exchange company with a rich heritage dating back to 1917, continues to set the standard for innovation and customer service in Bahrain.

BFC has a long history of adapting to market trends. From its humble beginnings trading gold bullion to its current offerings, the company has consistently expanded its services.

Today, BFC boasts an extensive network of over 50 branches across Bahrain, with plans ary licensed as an Ancillary Ser- the support extended over the for further expansion.

receive money securely to electronic payment solutions currency exchange. over 150 countries anytime, for businesses and individuals. With a network spanning anywhere. Available on all Fully compliant with the over 140 branches worldwide major app stores, it offers a Wage Protection Scheme and partnerships with Moneyconvenient and user-friendly (WPS), BFC Payments offers Gram and TransFast, the comexperience.

Beyond individual needs, BFC clients. understands the challenges "Bringing convenience to our As the parent company of

Through its corporate servic- says BFC's Chief Executive Of- Bahrain Exchange Company, es, companies can access com- ficer, Deepak Nair. "We are con- BFC Forex, and BFC Payments, petitive foreign exchange rates, stantly innovating and intro- the Group operates in Bahrain, flexible payment methods, and ducing new services to meet the Kuwait, and India. timely settlements. Businesses evolving needs of our clients." Moreover, BFC Group were can learn more by visiting the BFC and its management a founding member of Bahrain BFC website and requesting a would like to give a special FinTech Bay, contributing to

BFC Payments. BFC's subsidi- and the Indian community for ecosystem.



BFC is at the forefront of activities of Card Processing Happy Independence Day.

customers is our top priority," Bahrain Financing Company,

vice Provider with permitted years and wishes them a very

financial technology (Fin- and Payment Service Provider BFC Group Holdings is a glob-Tech) solutions. Its BFC Pay by the Central Bank of Bah- al financial services leader spe-App allows users to send and rain (CBB), provides innovative cializing in money transfer and

> peace of mind and security for pany offers seamless, competitive services across the globe.

> thanks to our Indian colleagues the region's growing FinTech

## India's neighbourhood first policy

Pankaj Saran **Member, National Security Advisory Board Former Deputy National Security Adviser** Convenor, NatStrat, India

**r**ndia's Neighbourhood ▲ First Policy is a reflection of the truism that neighbours are a primary foreign policy priority for any country. India has historically com-

mitted its largest and best resources to its neighbourhood,

Policy has helped to raise democracy.

unprecedented and repre- ed system.



The Policy is rooted in the India has come to the aid security concerns. The phiphilosophy of 'vasudaivku- of its neighbours in times of losophy is that security is tumbakam', or the world is difficulty such as during the mutual and not a zero-sum but one family and the policy Covid crisis or the energy game, whether it relates to of 'sabkasaath, sab ka vikas and food price shocks after terrorism or climate change. sab ka vishvas'. It thereby the Ukraine conflict, or even Capacity building is a key embodies the principles of in time of natural disasters. means to achieving security universality, equity and fair- Notable examples in the re- for all. ness. Apart from develop- cent past include provision In recent years, the vision ment, regional integration of urgent humanitarian aid of the neighbourhood has is a key objective. This is to Afghanistan, economic extended to regions beyond achieved by putting in place bail out of Sri Lanka, sup- the sub-continent. These inasymmetric and resilient con- ply of vaccines and essential clude the Indian Ocean Re-

people movement, air, rail, and budgetary support to the States, Central Asia and East be it economic, political or sented an altogether new way road links, energy pipelines Maldives immediately after Asia. These regions are givdiplomatic. Today, India's of engaging with neighbours. and supply and value chains. the pandemic. India is thus en priority in allocation of Neighbourhood First Policy The presence of the Leaders Neighbours are given the first not only a first responder but resources and attention so as is the foundation of its global was a celebration of a com-right of access to the Indian also a safety net for its neight to rebuild the linkages that mon sub-continental identity. market, Indian educational bours. Within the country, the It was also a celebration of institutions and Indian medical facilities. by country specific target- India's influence and imprint awareness about the impor- India, by virtue of its size The growth of the Indian ed interventions rather than in this wider geography is tance of the neighbourhood, and resource endowments, economy serves as the en- a one size fits all approach, growing rapidly

education to disaster prepar- The record shows that the between Nepal, Bhutan and of trying to contain India in The decision by Indian edness. They have impacted economic performance of Bangladesh passing through its neighbourhood. Prime Minister Narendra millions of beneficiaries and those who have moved fast- Indian territory.

nectivity involving people to commodities to Bangladesh gion, West Asia and the Gulf existed in the pre-colonial

above all in the Government is the partner of choice for gine of regional growth. It Focus on building mutual- For reasons of its own makof India. Given the diverse its neighbours. India's aid commits India to share its ly beneficial bilateral part-ing, Pakistan has remained an nature of the country and programmes amounting to economic successes and en- nerships lies at the heart of outlier in the sub-continent's cross-border linkages root- billions of dollars at highly able neighbours to benefit the Policy. Where necessary, integration process. China, ed in history and culture the concessional terms extend from economies of scale. The mechanisms have been put in which also shares a long bor-Policy is paying dividends by to all walks of life and all sec- Neighbourhood Policy is the place to promote sub-region- der with India, has to come to promoting regional integra- tors. These range from hard embodiment of the principle al cooperation. A sub-region- terms with a rising India and tion and advancing peace and infrastructure to skilling and of 'prosper thy neighbour'. al power grid is taking shape needs to abandon the policy

Modi to invite the Heads of transformed the remotest re- er with integration has been It is recognized that peace First Policy is ambitious and all neighbouring countries gions in a sustained manner. better than others. Converse- and security are indispen- bold. It is neither dogmatic for his swearing-in ceremony Over time, the Neighbour-ly, those countries who have sable conditions for pro-nor doctrinaire. It is successon three successive occasions hood First Policy has evolved integrated more with India gress. The Policy is geared ful because it is responsive in 2014,2019 and 2024 was into a well-knit and integrat- have better withstood exter- to be sensitive to and respect and sensitive to the needs of each other's sovereignty and the times.

## Forging a New Era: A Message from the Chairperson of ICAI Bahrain Chapter

Cince the inception of the Sahrain Chapter in 1985, the torchbearers of our profession have ensured that the Bahrain Chapter of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) remains an active. vibrant, and well-recognized overseas chapter. Our predecessors have consistently kept the ICAI flag high, fostering a strong sense of pride and commitment within our profession. As we stand at the thresh-

old of a new era, the Executive Committee for the term 2024- Vivek Gupta, Chairperson 2025 is deeply honored to carry we embark on a journey that NEW future where our profesforward this rich legacy. With seeks to awaken the NEW age sion not only thrives but also



a profound sense of gratitude, accountant within each of us, leads to a purpose and a vision.

embracing the demands of a changing world. A new era demands new ways.

Our committee is dedicated to creating an environment filled with opportunities for Networking, professional Enrichment, and the Welfare of society at large. We are committed to fostering a spirit of collaboration and innovation, ensuring that the Bahrain Chapter continues to be a beacon of professional excellence, both regionally and globally.

Together, we aim to forge a

progress, and unity **Mohammad Man-**Chairman, Saara Advisory Board,

A journey of pride,

**Board Member, Bah**rain India Society My heart swells with pride not just on India's Inde-

**Bahrain Cricket** 

Federation,

pendence Day, but



every time I witness Mohammad Mansoor

the remarkable achievements of our Indian com munity in Bahrain. The dedication, enterprise, and skills of our fellow countrymen have significantly contributed to Bahrain's vibrant landscape.

Having called Bahrain home for over three decades, I've experienced firsthand the warmth and generosity of its people. This nation has embraced me and my community with open arms, creating a second home filled with love and belonging. My global travels have solidified my belief that there's no place quite like Bahrain.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to my Bahraini friends from all walks of life for their unwavering kindness and support. Your warmth has enriched the lives of countless Indians, making our journey here truly exceptional.

India is more than a nation to me; it's an intrinsic part of my identity, a feeling, an emotion and a piece of my heart. The remarkable progress our nation has made both domestically and globally fills me with immense pride. Our reputation for intelligence, humility, and deep cultural roots is a testament to our character.

Independence Day for me is not merely a historical marker but a living, breathing symbol of

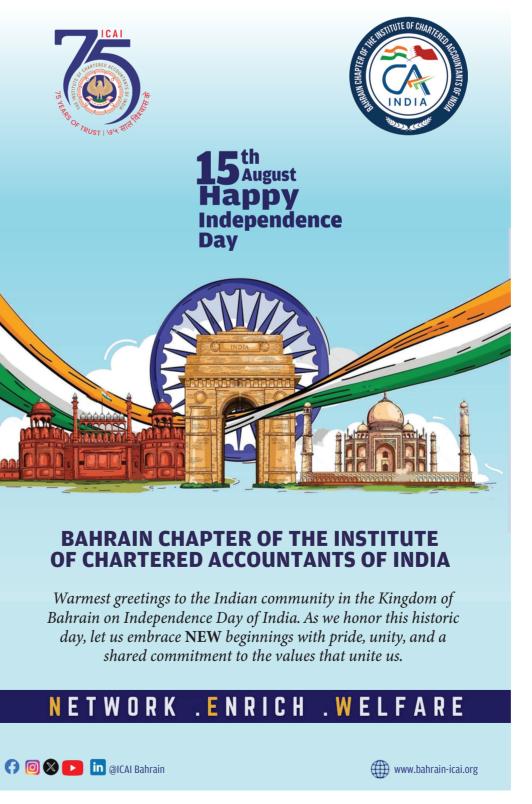


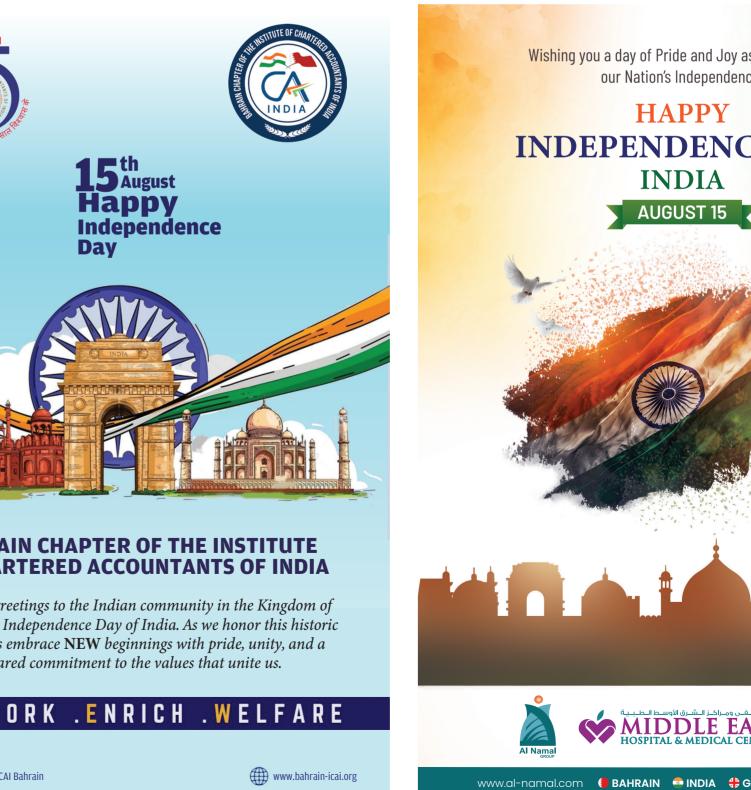


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## Embracing freedom through service and unity

Fr. Johns Johnson, Parish Vicar - St. Peters **Jacobite Syrian Orthodox** Church, Bahrain

s we come together to cel $oldsymbol{\Lambda}$ ebrate our nation's Independence Day, I extend to you all my heartfelt greetings and blessings. This day is not only a reminder of the freedom and privileges we enjoy but also a call to reflect on the responsibilities that come with that freedom.

In the spirit of our faith, let us remember that true freedom is found in service to others and in the pursuit of justice,  $\mbox{ Fr. Johns Johnson }$ 



peace, and unity. As we honor the sacrifices made by countless men and women for our nation's liberty, may we also commit ourselves to building a society that reflects the values of compassion, understanding, and respect

Let this Independence Day be a time of prayer and gratitude. May we be inspired to contribute to our community and country in ways that foster harmony and the common good.

May God bless you and your families abundantly on this special day.

## Celebrating Indian Independence Day: A tribute to freedom and unity in Bahrain

**Nithin Shetty President, Bunts Community Bunts Bahrain** 

t is with great joy and pride that I celebrate Indian Independence Day here in Bahrain. As a tribute to the rulers and citizens of Bahrain who care so deeply for humanity and freedom, I am honoured to commemorate this special day in the midst of the warm and welcoming Bahraini

Bahrain has truly become a home away from home for many Nithin Shetty



of us. Here, we are able to cherish the freedom and respect for humanity that multiplies the joy of our Independence Day celebrations. The freedom and acceptance we experience in Bahrain make this an even more meaningful occasion.

I wish all Indians residing in Bahrain, as well as those back home in mother land India, a heartfelt Happy Independence Day. May our nations continue to strengthen their bond and may we always stand united in our love for liberty and justice.

## Honouring freedom and unity: A Heartfelt Independence Day tribute to India and Bahrain

Jyoti Eshwar Structural Engineering Professional Executive Member, Basava Samithi Bahrain

s we celebrate India's Independence Day,  $\mathbf{A}$ I am filled with pride and gratitude for the sacrifices made by our ancestors, which have paved the way for the freedoms we enjoy today.

India's Independence Day is not just a commemoration of our freedom; it's a celebration of our rich cultural heritage, diversity, and the enduring spirit of unity that binds us as

India's journey to independence is unique and special because it was achieved through non-violence and the unwavering determination of our leaders and people. This day reminds us of the strength in unity and the power of collective resolve.

To Bahrain, I extend my deepest apprecia- can thrive together in peace. tion. Living here has enriched my understandexpress my gratitude to Bahrain for being a spect that both our nations hold dear. home away from home and for fostering an



Jvoti Eshwar

environment where our diverse communities

May the bonds between India and Bahrain ing of the importance of cultural harmony and continue to grow stronger, and may we always mutual respect. On this special day, I want to cherish the values of freedom, unity, and re-

Happy Independence Day to all!

## Celebrating the spirit of freedom

Shilpa Shamith Kunder President, Mogaveers Bahrain

 $\mathbf{M}$  ay the spirit of independence bring positivity and progress to our country.

Wishing everyone a day filled with joy, love, and pride as we py Independence Day to all celebrate the essence of being Indians.

May the spirit of freedom fill our heart and inspire all to achieve greatness.

It's proud moment to see our country accomplish great heights year on year. Hap-



Shilpa Shamith Kunder







## Billawas community reaffirms commitment to India-Bahrain ties on Independence Day

**Harish Poojary** President, Bahrain Billawas **Guru Sava Samithi** 

n behalf of the Billawas Community in Bahrain, I would like to convey our heartfelt gratitude for the warm hospitality and opportunities provided to us.

We are proud to be part of the vibrant Bahraini society. This Independence Day, we reaffirm our commitment to strengthening the bonds between India and Bahrain, fostering mutual respect, and contributing positively to the growth and prosperity of both Harish Poojary



India's Independence Day is a momentous occasion that echoes deeply within every Indian's heart. It symbolizes the unwavering spirit of freedom, unity, and diversity that defines our nation.

To the Billawa and Kannada community, it is a celebration of our rich cultural heritage, embodied in the language, literature, art, and traditions of Karnataka, especially Tulu. Independence Day is a time for us to reflect on the sacrifices of our freedom fighters, honour our roots, and inspire future generations.

### Gratitude to Bahrain: A partnership in growth and coexistence post-independence

**Shree Shivanandha Patil** Founder, Basava Samithi **Bahrain** 

We thank those all who stood by us socially, financially and politically during our growth and development of our country post-Independence, especially Kingdom of Bahrain who gave ample opportunities to Indian professionals, workers, technicians and investors to flourish.

India being shelter for all religions from many years stands as classic example of happy and cordial coexistence on the surface of earth.



Shree Shivanandha Patil

The land gives the message of love all and serve all under the greatest human principles taught by great thinkers like Basaveswara, Aadi Shankracharya, Ramanuja, Mahatma Gandhi and Ambedkar.

Their principles of truth, non-violence, social, cultural and financial justice to all, plus equal opportunities to ensure human race, definitely works as a great torch bearer for all countries.

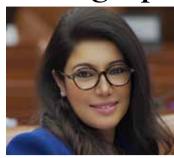
Kingdom of Bahrain works hand in hand with us to grow and flourish together for better lives for its citizens and

## Bahraini-Indian relations: A legacy of trade and strategic partnership

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m ahraini ext{-}Indian}_{
m are}$  based on a long history of joint trade cooperation, which has witnessed growth and prosperity over the past years, reflecting the keenness of the leaderships of the two friendly countries to expand the horizons of bridges of trade, economic, investment and cultural cooperation.

In a statement issued on the eve of the 78th Indian Indetries include many vital and aimed at unifying visions and cooperation in various fields. ideas towards the topics that and renewable energy.

dom of Bahrain and India en- countries. India has become and peoples, the MP stated.



MP Maryam Al Dhaen

joy strong relations spanning pendence Day, MP Al Dhaen decades, founded on a solid noted that the existing partner- foundation of trade, economic tors, which flourish and grow to velopment and expansion in and their friendly peoples, and the leaderships of the two counthere are continuous efforts tries to enhance prospects for

one of the most important trade and investment partners of the Kingdom of Bahrain, and vice versa, with a shared focus on developing vital sectors such as energy, infrastructure and tourism.

Cooperation between India and Bahrain is not limited to economic and commercial aspects, the MP said, pointing out that there is close coordination and coordination between Bahrain and India at the parliamentary and international ships between the two coun- and cultural cooperation. This levels, which enhances mutual strategic partnership is con- understanding and convergent developmental fields and sec- stantly witnessing further de- visions on issues of common international interest, such as the benefit of the two countries light of the shared keenness of climate change and renewable energy.

The presence of the large Indian community in Bahrain On the commercial and eco-deepens the social and cultural are discussed and debated at nomic level, the MP stressed ties between the two friendly the level of international parliathat Bahrain has been the main countries, and that this cultural mentary conferences and meet- gateway for India to the Ara- and social interaction has had ings, which contributes to con- bian Gulf region throughout a a positive impact on enhancsolidating the bonds of friend- long history. The Bahraini pearl ing mutual understanding and ship based on mutual respect, trade was linked to the Indi- respect between the peoples of appreciation and continuous an spice trade, and this tradi- the two countries. In general, support that aims to achieve tional commercial interaction Bahraini-Indian relations repgrowth and development for formed a solid foundation for resent a distinguished model the two friendly countries and the development of contem- of strategic partnership based peoples, pointing to what unites porary economic relations," on solid foundations of history the two countries regarding the noting that these relations are and common interests, which common international interest currently witnessing growing continue to witness further dein the issues of climate change prosperity, with the diversity of velopment and prosperity in a investment opportunities and way that serves the aspirations The MP further said the King- economic growth in the two of the two friendly countries

## Embracing challenges and inspiring future generations

**Kiran Mangle President, Indian Ladies** 

support each other, and walk generations. Jai Hind! paths that may seem chal-

lenging but lead to growth and success.

With determination, courage, and unity, we can achieve s we stand together on any goal we set our hearts on. As we stand together on any goal.

Athis journey, let us emTogether, we inspire, empowbrace the strength within us, er, and pave the way for future



Kiran Mangle

## Celebrating unity and progress: Reflections on Bahrain-India ties

**Amarnath Rai** President, Kannada Sangha **Bahrain** 

On the occasion of India's Independence Day, I would like to congratulate the Indian diaspora and send them my best wishes.

Over the years, the relationship between Bahrain and India have grown enormously on the government level and on people-to-people level too. Here, organisations like Kannada Sangha play a major role by facilitating such exchanges.



Amarnath Rai

Kannada Sangha, which re- motes India's culture and tracently opened the Kannada dition in major way. It also fa-Bhavana, the first facility of cilitates businesses from both nomic prosperity. Long live its kind outside of India, pro-sides to network and increase Bahrain, Long live India!

trade partnerships.

It is a remarkable coincidence that both India and Bahrain celebrate their Independence on the same day, the 15th of August-India in 1947 and Bahrain in 1971. The bilateral relationship between our two nations has been consistently strong, with the Bahraini government extending unwavering support to the Indian expatriate community in all aspects, from growth to cultural preservation.

We hope the relationship Bahrain and India enjoy will grow further as both countries develop further and enjoy eco-



## **Expanding Business Horizons**

Bahrain Chamber pushes for enhanced trade with Rwanda. Bosnia. and Ecuador





In pictures, the deal signing

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ameer Nass, Chairman of the Bahrain Chamber of Commerce and Industry, underscored the critical need to bolster trade and investment cooperation between Bahrain and three key nations: Rwanda, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Ecuador. The emphasis was on expanding collaboration in areas



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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THREE-MONTH ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	31 March 2024	31 December 2023
	USD '000	USD '000
	(Reviewed)	(Audited)
ASSETS	(11011011011)	( 1001100,
Balances with banks	2,251	2,116
Placements with		
financial institutions	2,456	1,608
Investments	20,796	25,984
Funding to project companies	2,206	2,242
Other assets	1,369	1,193
Right-of-use asset	3,288	3,326
Property and equipment	4,021	3,999
TOTAL ASSETS	36,387	40,468
LIABILITIES		
Employee accruals	250	257
ljarah liability	3,588	3,612
Other liabilities	27,166	36,557
Total liabilities	31,004	40,426
EQUITY		
Share capital	1,005	1,005
Statutory reserve	5,441	5,441
Investment fair value reserve	45	45
Accumulated losses	(25,491)	(29,252)
Equity attributable		
to Shareholders	(19,000)	(22,761)
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1)	24,383	22,803
Total equity	5,383	42
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	36.387	40,468

Three-me	Three-months ended					
	2024 SD '000 iewed)	2023 USD '000 (reviewed) (Restated)				
Management fee	3,123	5,693				
Other investment income	48	13				
Net change in fair value of investments carried at fair value through income	(134)	2,420				
Net realised fair value gains on exit of investment	1,291	_				
Rental and other income	932	491				
Total revenue	5,260	8,617				
EXPENSES						
Staff cost	717	791				
Legal and professional fees	226	283				
Finance expense	43	81				
Depreciation	95	97				
Loss on settlement of liabilities	546	34				
Other expenses	479	546				
Total expenses	2,106	1,832				
PROFIT BEFORE IMPAIRMENT ALLOWANCES	3,154	6,785				
Impairment of investments	(43)	(3,603)				
Provision for credit losses	608	(679)				
Impairment of property and equipment	42	-				
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	3,761	2,503				

Extracted from the financial statements audited by KPMG and approved for issue by the Board on 14th August 2024

Mohamed Duaij Khalifa Al-Khalifa Chairman of the Board

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OWNERS EQUITY

Ahmed Abdulrahman Acting CEO and Vice Chairman

the significance of certain matters for which they could not obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence

Note: "These financial statements have been audited by KPMG who have issued a disclaimer of opinion due to

2024 (Reviewed)	Share capital	Statutory reserve	Investment fair value reserve	Accumulated losses	Equity attributable to shareholders	Subordinated mudharaba AT1	USD '000 Tota
Balance at 1 January 2024	1,005	5,441	45	(29,252)	(22,761)	22,803	42
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1)	-	-		-	-	1,580	1,580
Profit for the period	-	-	-	3,761	3,761	-	3,761
Balance at 31 March 2024	1,005	5,441	45	(25,491)	(19,000)	24,383	5,383
2023 (Reviewed and Restated)							
Balance at 1 January 2023	1,005	5,441	537	(23,258)	(16,275)	-	(16,275)
Profit for the period	-	-	-	2,503	2,503	-	2,503
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1) issuance cost				(130)	(130)		(130)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	51		51	-	5
Balance at 31 March 2023	1,005	5,441	588	(20,885)	(13,851)	=	(13,851)

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

**OPERATING ACTIVITIES** Adjustments for: 3,603 mpairment of property and equipmen (42)ealised fair value gains on exit of investment (1,291)

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CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE PERIOD 2,032 4,463 Represented by: 1.966 2.251 2,212 66 4,463

> "In Rwanda you have small communities with a few thousand people that doesn't justify a big reactor system, but you could put a microreactor there and it could serve up to 3,000 people for 20 years without need

Ambassador Mirenge of cal and communications sectors, Rwanda reaffirmed his coun-Nass's comments came during bilateral ties and advancing joint a meeting yesterday at his office. cooperation for mutual bene-The meeting was attended by fit. Similarly, Bosnia and Her-John Mirenge, Ambassador of zegovina's Ambassador Joki Rwanda to Bahrain; Bojan Joki, expressed enthusiasm for deep-Ambassador of Bosnia and Her- ening business relations with zegovina to Bahrain; and Denys Bahrain. He commended the Toscano Amores, Ambassador of business connections and high-In his address, Nass expressed lighted Bahraini investments

mitment to enhancing bilateral urging further exploration of trade with these countries. He opportunities. emphasized the importance of increasing trade volume, facili- cano Amores stressed the sigtating economic delegation ex- nificance of reciprocal visits in changes, and addressing logisti- enhancing trade relations. He cal challenges to unlock prom- encouraged Bahrain's business ising investment opportunities. community to explore opportu-Khalid Najibi, First Vice nities in Ecuador's tourism and

Chairman of the Bahrain Chamber, echoed Nass's sentiments, welcoming the prospect of in- presence of Khalid Najibi, First tensified cooperation with these Vice Chairman; Mohammed Al friendly nations. Najibi high- Kooheji, Second Vice Chairman; lighted the need to invigorate and Board Members Yusuf Salatrade and investment across various economic sectors.

try's dedication to strengthening Chamber for its role in fostering the Bahrain Chamber's com- in Bosnia's real estate sector,

> Ecuador's Ambassador Tosfood security sectors.

The meeting also featured the huddin, Abdulwahab Al Hawaj, and Yaqoob Al Awadhi.

### Rwanda signs deal with US nuclear firm for mini-reactors

AFP | Kigali, Rwanda

Rwanda said it signed yestheir locations.

Rwanda, a co US company to further develop million people, currently gennuclear energy by constructing erates about 51 percent of its mini-reactors in the East African country.

Under the memorandum of understanding, Nano Nuclear Energy Inc will provide technical assistance, training and education, as well as build an unspecified number of small modular reactors (SMRs) and microreactors, the Rwanda Atomic Energy Board (RAEB) said. Construction of the SMRs and microreactors would take place in the "next few years", Nano Nuclear CEO James Walker told a press conference in Rwanda, foreseeing a "very smooth path towards a very developed civil nuclear programme".

for refuelling."

SMRs produce roughly a third of the power generated by traditional reactors, according to the International Atomic Energy

Agency, but can be mass-produced and then transported to

Rwanda, a country of about 13 electricity from thermal sources, followed by hydro-power at around 44 percent and around four percent from solar power.

The deal aims to ensure that Rwanda has a "robust ability to maintain a self-sustaining domestic nuclear energy industry", RAEB said.

The MoU follows a deal Kigali reached with Canadian-German start-up Dual Fluid last year to build a nuclear reactor, expected to be operational in 2026.



ni nuclear reactors, also known as small modular reactors (SMRs), are designed to be more flexible and scalable compared to traditional large reactors. They can generate up to 300 megawatts of electricity, making them suitable for smaller grids or remote locations.

## Global oil demand growth slowing: IEA



picture for representation only AFP | Paris, France

Uslowed in the second marily due to weaker demand quarter of the year, primarily for gasoil (diesel) and naphdue to softer construction and tha, products used by the conindustrial activity in China, the struction and manufacturing International Energy Agency industries. said Tuesday.

than 1 mbd (million barrels per natural gas or batteries was day) in both 2024 and 2025," said the IEA in its monthly oil report.

slower than last year's 2.1 manufacturing, rapidly accelmbd increase and slower than erating deployment of vehicles pre-pandemic expansion.

sumption to come in at 103.06 post-reopening baseline," said mbd in 2024, up from 102.09 the Paris-based IEA, which admbd last year and 100.6 mbd vises oil-consuming nations on

Europe will be the only continent to see a drop in overall cars have also been strong, citdemand, with the Americas ing data from the China Pasrising only marginally.

Demand will continue to exing that they accounted for pand apace in the Asia-Pacific more than 50 percent of sales region, including in China, ac- in July, and are up by third for cording to the IEA.

Yet the IEA noted Chinese oil demand fell in June for the **▼** lobal oil demand growth third consecutive month, pri-

The IEA noted that the rising "Demand is set to rise by less number of trucks running on also eroding demand for diesel. "Chinese oil demand growth has gone into reverse due to a That growth rate is far slowdown in construction and powered by alternative fuels The IEA expects global con- and comparison to a stronger energy policy.

It noted that sales of electric senger Car Association showthe first half of the year.

## SpaceX plans first manned mission over Earth's poles



**Washington, United States** 

SpaceX is aiming to break new barriers in polar exploration with the first manned space mission over the Earth's poles -- a private flight commanded by a crypto entrepreneur later this year, the company said Tuesday.

The mission, dubbed "Fram2" after a 19th century polar expedition schooner, is due to last between three to five days, and was purchased by Chun Wang, a wealthy bitcoin pioneer who founded f2pool and stakefish, for an undisclosed amount.

He will be joined by three polar experts: Norwegian filmmaker Jannicke Mikkelsen, German robotics researcher Rabea Rogge, and Australian

polar adventurer Eric Philips.

It is the latest foray by the aerospace industry into private space tourism, growing fast in the United States in recent years.

"From mission proposal, planning, trajectory design, to crew selection, everything has been done by the customer," Wang, reportedly born and raised in China but now a Maltese citizen, said in a post on X.

"A new chapter in space exploration is unfolding before our eyes," he said.



The mission will use a SpaceX Dragon capsule equipped with an observation dome. The craft will fly at an altitude of between 265 and 280 miles (425 and 450 kilometers), according to SpaceX, owned by mercurial billionaire Elon Musk. The crew plans to conduct research including taking the first X-ray images in space and studying an aurora-like light phenomenon, according to SpaceX.

## Yabeela announces **August Promotion**

All Games for Just 350 Fils to BD 1!

TDT | Manama

**∠∠**Yabeela", the Kingdom's largest indoor entertainment centre, announced a special promotion running from August 15 to August 31. For this limited-time period, all games at "Yabeela" will be available for an unbeatable price of just 350 Fils to BD 1! With over 150 games and attractions, this promotion promises an unmatched experience for families, children, and thrill-seekers alike.

Located in the vibrant Al Liwan in Hamala, "Yabeela" offers Bahraini heritage, alongside a filled day of adventure.



multitude of other innovative

a plethora of interactive rides od, "Yabeela" invites the com- ern décor. With a high ceiling of and games designed to captivate munity to indulge in their fa- 12 metres, the centre is designed visitors of all ages. Among its vourite games at an incredibly to facilitate a wide range of ac- rable celebration. star attractions are the "Dawa- low price, allowing everyone to tivities for all age groups - chilwind), as well as Burj. Visitors interact with state-of-the-art to enjoy. can also explore the enchant- technology and explore various ing "Tree of Life", inspired by rides, all while ensuring a fun-

"Yabeela" spans an impressive 6,000 square metres and boasts During the promotional peri- elegant Bahraini-inspired mod-

tures an expansive hall perfect adventure.



for children's birthday parties, complete with interactive packages tailored to create a memo-

Don't miss this unique opporma" (Vortex), known for its create lasting memories togeth- dren, adults, and families. The tunity to experience "Yabeela" thrilling circular motion, and er. Children can experience the diverse game areas ensure that at a never-before-seen price. the dizzying "Afour" (Whirl- excitement of wall climbing, every visitor can find something Gather your friends and family, unleash your competitive In addition to the exceptional spirit, and immerse yourself in games and rides, "Yabeela" fea- the magical world of fun and

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ONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

### ESTERAD BANK B.S.C. (C)

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE SIX-MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	30 June	31 December	
	2024	2023	
	USD '000	USD '000	
ASSETS	(Reviewed)	(Audited)	
Balances with banks	4	0.440	
Placements with	1,733	2,116	
financial institutions	5,313	1,608	
Investments	18,970	25,984	
Funding to project companies	2,206	2.242	
Other assets	1,485	1,193	
Right-of-use asset	3,250	3.326	
Property and equipment	4,022	3,999	
Property and equipment	4,022	3,999	
TOTAL ASSETS	36,979	40,468	
LIABILITIES			
Employee accruals	275	257	
Ijarah liability	3,566	3,612	
Other liabilities	28,621	36,557	
Total liabilities	32,462	40,426	
EQUITY			
Share capital	1,005	1,005	
Statutory reserve	5,441	5,441	
Investment fair value reserve	45	45	
Accumulated losses	(27,201)	(29,252)	
Equity attributable			
to Shareholders	(20,710)	(22,761)	
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1)	25,227	22,803	
Total equity	4,517	42	

Six-months period ended 30 June 20	24			
Thr	ee-months e	nded 30 June	Six-months er	nded 30 June
(REVENUE	2024 USD '000 Reviewed)	2023 USD '000 (Reviewed) (Restated)	2024 USD '000 (Reviewed)	USD '000 (Reviewed) (Restated)
Management fee	328		3,451	5.693
Other investment income	61	19	109	32
Net change in fair value of investment carried at fair value through income	ts	(6.987)	(607)	(4.567)
Net realised fair value gains on exit of investment	-	-	1,291	-
Rental and other income	404	614	1,336	1,105
Total revenue	320	(6,354)	5,580	2,263
EXPENSES				
Staff cost	765	882	1,482	1,673
Legal and professional fees	177	272	403	555
Finance expense	44	58	87	139
Depreciation	94	97	189	194
Loss on settlement of liabilities	2	402	548	402
Other expenses	354	727	833	1,307
Total expenses	1,436	2,438	3,542	4,270
(LOSS) / PROFIT BEFORE IMPAIRMENT ALLOWANCES	(1,116)	(8,792)	2,038	(2,007)
Impairment of investments	(107)	(191)	(150)	(3,794)
Provision for credit losses	(62)	651	546	(28)
Impairment of property and equipme	nt <b>18</b>	(310)	60	(310)
(LOSS) / PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	(1,267)	(8,642)	2,494	(6,139)

Extracted from the financial statements audited by KPMG and approved for issue by the Board on 14th August 2024

Mohamed Duaij Khalifa Al-Khalifa Chairman of the Board

Ahmed Abdulrahman Acting CEO and Vice Chairman

Note: "These financial statements have been audited by KPMG who have issued a disclaimer of opinion due to the significance of certain matters for which they could not obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OWNERS EQUITY

2024 (Reviewed)	Share	Statutory	Investment fair value	Accumulated	Equity attributable to	Subordinated mudharaba	USD '000
	capital	reserve	reserve	losses	shareholders	AT1	Tota
Balance at 1 January 2024	1,005	5,441	45	(29,252)	(22,761)	22,803	42
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1)	-	-	-	-	-	2,277	2,277
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1) 2% profit capitalised	-	-	-	-	-	147	147
Profit distribution to AT1 Sukuk holders	-	-	-	(443)	(443)	-	(443
Profit for the period	-	-	-	2,494	2,494	-	2,494
Balance at 30 June 2024	1,005	5,441	45	(27,201)	(20,710)	25,227	4,517
2023 (Reviewed and Restated)							
Balance at 1 January 2023	1,005	5,441	537	(23,258)	(16,275)	-	(16,275
Loss for the period	-	-	-	(6,139)	(6,139)	-	(6,139
Subordinated Mudharaba (AT1) issuance cost	-	-	-	(306)	(306)	-	(306
Other comprehensive income	-	-	51	-	51	-	5
Balance at 30 June 2023	1,005	5,441	588	(29,703)	(22,669)	-	(22,669

## Stocks diverge as US inflation data raises rate cut hopes

AFP | London, United Kingdom

lobal stock markets diverged yesterday after Jerry data showing US consumer price inflation eased last month raised the prospect of a September interest rate cut.

Eagerly awaited data showed the US consumer price index (CPI) rose 2.9% last month from a year ago, its smallest 12-month increase since March 2021 and a positive sign for the Federal Reserve as it weighs cutting interest rates.

On a monthly basis, prices rose by 0.2%, in line with expectations.

'Today's US inflation figure clears the runway for the Federal Reserve to initiate a rate cut at its September meeting," said Richard Carter, head of fixed interest research at investment management firm Quilter Cheviot.

the market will have wanted prior to the next meeting was any or 50 basis points." surprises in the data, and while consider still," he added.

Kenwell at eToro said: "It's no December. longer a question of 'if' or 'when'

**Key figures around 1330 GMT** 

New York - Dow: FLAT at 39,771.00 points New York - S&P 500: UP 0.2% at 5,443.33

New York - Nasdaq Composite: UP 0.3% at 17,243.55

London - FTSE 100: UP 0.4% at 8,265.13 Paris - CAC 40: UP 0.6% at 7.319.15

Frankfurt - DAX: UP 0.5% at 17,901.68

EURO STOXX 50: UP 0.7% at 4,727.05

Tokyo - Nikkei 225: UP 0.6% at 36,442.43 (close)

Hong Kong - Hang Seng Index: DOWN 0.4% at 17,113.36 (close)

Shanghai - Composite: DOWN 0.6% at 2,850.65 (close)

Euro/dollar: UP at \$1.1022 from \$1.0998 on Tuesday

Pound/dollar: DOWN at \$1.2842 from \$1.2867

Dollar/yen: UP at 147.40 yen from 146.80 yen

Euro/pound: UP at 85.86 pence from 85.46 pence

West Texas Intermediate: UP 0.1% at \$78.42 per barrel

caused worries that the Fed had

Brent North Sea Crude: UP 0.2% at \$80.83 per barrel

"The last thing the Fed and the Fed will cut rates, but rather, this month, including a rise in whether the Fed will cut by 25 the unemployment rate to 4.3%,

some may still appear, inflation tipped to cut US rates by 25 ba- ting interest rates and that the overdone. On Wednesday, Tois at least playing ball and that is sis points at their September world's largest economy might kyo extended gains and Euthe most important data point to meeting -- with some observers fall into recession. eyeing as much as 50 -- followed US Investment Analyst Bret by at least one more cut before calmed those fears, market ex- traders digested an expected

A weak US jobs report earlier liver bigger interest rate cuts Prices Index.

have grown.

Weak inflation and jobs data "may give the Federal Reserve greater confidence to accelerate its pace of interest rate cuts," said Mahmoud Alkudsi, Senior Market Analyst at ADSS.

With the inflation data coming in as expected, Wall Street stocks wobbled after the start of trading.

"The markets appear to have been positioned for an even softer figure after yesterday's PPI," noted market analyst Kyle Chapman at currency brokerage Ballinger Group.

Data on Tuesday showed US wholesale prices (PPI) rose less than forecast last month, and Wall Street stocks closed sharply higher.

The Nasdaq jumped more than two% on a rally in tech titans including Amazon, Nvidia and Apple, which sank earlier this month on worries their Monetary policymakers are waited too long to begin cut- surge this year may have been rope's main indices were solidly While subsequent data has higher in afternoon trading, as pectations that the Fed will depickup to Britain's Consumer

INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## Tamkeen unveils enhanced oversight measures



Intensifies efforts to monitor wage support applications

Grants Tamkeen inspectors the authority of judicial officers

**TDT** | Manama

The Labour Fund "Tam-keen" has announced significant enhancements to its oversight procedures, aiming to bolster the effectiveness of has significantly increased its its support programs and ad- inspection activities, conductdress any instances of misuse. ing over 2,450 visits to enter-The initiative includes a comprises benefiting from wage prehensive monitoring plan support programs. These indesigned to unify efforts, in- spections have led to the discrease oversight, and strength- covery of 237 violations. In en legal frameworks.

intensifying monitoring activ- authority to reclaim support ities related to wage support funds or deny future access applications. The organizato support programs if misuse tion is committed to maximiz- is confirmed. Cases involving ing the impact of its support criminal suspicion are referred programs while minimizing to the relevant authorities for potential misuse. As part of further action. this initiative, several Tamkeen employees have been authoring its oversight of enterprise ized as judicial officers, em- support programs, especialpowering them to collaborate ly those involving equipment closely with relevant authori- purchases. Payments are made ties and take necessary actions only after verifying that maagainst detected violations.

new programs, Tamkeen said and ensuring compliance with it has implemented updated oversight standards to better quent visits. align with these initiatives. effectively with the Ministry of port@tamkeen.bh. Labour and other authorities

to address suspected violations. A whistleblowing hotline has also been established to allow affected individuals to report any suspicions.

A new proactive monitoring mechanism has been introduced, combining advanced data science models with personal site visits by Tamkeen's team. This updated automated system features warning indicators to flag potential violations, such as discrepancies in employee numbers or inconsistencies related to the enterprise's size and economic sector.

In recent months, Tamkeen accordance with violation reg-Tamkeen's efforts involve ulations, Tamkeen retains the

Tamkeen is also enhancchinery and equipment meet Since the introduction of the specified requirements contract terms through subse-

Tamkeen encourages both The new monitoring plan fo- beneficiaries and non-beneficuses on increasing inspection ciaries of its support programs efforts for enterprises and in- to report any violations or misdividuals, maintaining regular conduct through the desigcommunication with benefi- nated whistleblowing hotline ciaries, and coordinating more at 17383383 or via email at re-

#### INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF INCOME Six months ended 30 June 2024 697 17,277 7,429 Cash and balances with banks Due from banks Profit on Investment in sukuk 50 233 266 272 Investment in sukuk 11,197 Investment in equities and funds Investment in real estate 4,293 19,421 4,293 19,421 615 538 283 288 569 Investment banking fees 1044 337 Rental income TOTAL ASSETS 50,042 49,336 441 LIABILITIES AND OWNERS' EQUITY OPERATING INCOME 632 1,987 1,344 2,675 **Liabilities** Staff payables Other liabilities **EXPENSES** (204)(176)(361)(6) (127) General and administrative expenses Total liabilities 1,229 1,306 (725) OPERATING EXPENSES (385) (309) (661) Owners' Equity 59,039 Reserves NET INCOME FOR THE PERIOD BEFORE (16,904)2,014 Total owners' equity 48,813 48,030 Net charge for expected credit losses 164 (9) 164 (9) TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OWNERS' EQUITY 50,042 49,336 NET INCOME FOR THE PERIOD 411 2,005 1,669 783 INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OWNERS' EQUITY For the six months ended 30 June 2024 Accumlated Total owners Share capital Statutory reserve US\$ '000 US\$ '000 US\$ '000 Balance at 1 January 2024 (Audited) 59,039 4,452 2,226 6,678 (17.687)48,030 Net profit for the period 783 Balance at 30 June 2024 (Unaudited) 59,039 4,452 2,226 6,678 (16,904)48,813 Accumlated Total owners Total equity US\$ '000 US\$ '000 US\$ '000 US\$ '000 US\$ '000 US\$ '000

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INTERIM CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS	Unau Six months e	
For the six months ended 30 June 2024	2024 US\$ '000	2023 <b>US\$ '000</b>
Net cash flows (used in) / generated from operating activities	(3,156)	3,064
Net cash flows generated from investing activities	49	443
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(3,107)	3,507
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	3,804	9,676
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 30 June	697	13,183

\* Note: The full consolidated statement of cash flows is available in LMC's website.

Balance at 1 January 2023 (Audited)

Balance at 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

Net profit for the period

Bader Al Abbasi Mohamed Al Sharif Ameer Abdul Ghani Acting Chief Executive Office Director

These were extracted from the Financial Statements on which Deloitte & Touche Middle East issued an unqualified opinion dated 13th August 2024 which are available on LMC website.

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(17,845)

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- These Consolidated Financial Statements have been Authorized for issuance in accordance with a resolution of the board of Directors dated 12th August 2024.
- Liquidity Management Centre B.S.C. (c) is Licensed by the Central Bank of Bahrain as Wholesale Banl
- The Group's total equity as at 30th June 2024 is US\$ 48.813 million (31st December2023: US\$ 48.030 million) which is less than the minimum capital requirement of US\$ 100 Million required under LR Module of Volume 2 of the Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB) rule book (LR- 2.5.2B), and the Shareholders of the Bank, in their Extraordinary General Meeting ("EGM") held on 27 April 2020, passed a resolution approving the conversion of the Bank's license from an Islamic Wholesale Bank to a Bahrain Shareholding Company subject to CBB approval.

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## Mars to acquire Pringles maker Kellanova for nearly \$36 bn

AFP | Washington, United States

Mars and Snickers maker Mars said Wednesday that it would acquire snack food business Kellanova, marking a multibillion dollar agreement set to result in a new industry giant.

The all-cash transaction would value Kellanova which is behind snacks like Pringles and Pop-Tarts -- at \$35.9 billion.

The deal "accelerates ambition to double Mars Snacking in the next decade, in alignment with global consumer demand trends," said Mars in a statement.

It added that the move would also bring two new billion-dollar brands, Pringles and Cheez-It, into its business. "Snacking is a large, attrac-

tive and durable category that continues to grow in importance with consumers," Mars added.



is that they are technically not considered "potato chips" because they are made from a blend of dehydrated potato flakes, cornstarch, and other ingredients, which are then shaped into uniform, stackable chips. This unique production process allows Pringles to have a consistent shape and size, and they are packaged in a distinctive, cylindrical can to maintain their integrity.

## Classifieds



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## City's title grip under threat

Manchester City's dominance challenged by off-field issues and strengthening rivals

Guardiola's future at Man City uncertain

City faces 115 Premier League charges hearing

Arsenal emerges as strong title contender

Liverpool adapts to post-Klopp era

Top clubs compete fiercely for Champions League spots

AFP | London

anchester City's grip unprecedented four years but Premier League charges for aloff-field doubts surround the leged breaches of financial rules new season.

Pep Guardiola turned City into titles in the past seven seasons.

Guardiola, though, is enterand the City boss has offered sanctions. no guarantees that he plans to extend his stay at the Etihad Stadium to a decade.

said during pre-season. "I want consequences this season. to be sure it's the right decision.



Manchester City's players celebrate on stage with their trophies following an open-top bus victory parade for their European Cup, FA Cup and Premier League victories, in Manchester (file photo)

the players."

title has reached an long-awaited hearing into 115 end of the year.

the dominant force in English any wrongdoing over the allegafootball with six Premier League tions, some of which date back to 2009.

However, if they are found ing the final year of his contract guilty, they could face severe

Everton and Nottingham Forest received points deductions "Nine years today in the same and sustainability rules (PSR), club is an eternity," Guardiola with Leicester set to face similar

The need to meet those reg-Not just for me, for the club, for ulations and a summer of both

start to the transfer window from Premier League clubs.

City have only added Brazil-English champions ahead of the expected to take place before the ian winger Savinho and appear weaker for the impending sale City have vehemently denied of Julian Alvarez to Atletico Ma-

#### Arsenal the coming force?

Arsenal look the best-placed challengers to take City's crown same level as last season," Guarthe past two seasons.

The 89 points amassed by more and more difficult." last season for breaches of profit Mikel Arteta's men last season Premier League title in 2003/04. Klopp's reign.

Italian defender Riccardo

European Championship and Calafiori is Arsenal's only ma-Another cloud hangs over Copa America action have been jor close-season signing to date, on the Premier League City's title defence, with the blamed for an unusually slow strengthening what was the best defence in the league last season.

> But the Gunners are the coming force in the English game.

Arteta's squad was the third youngest in the league last season and features a host of stars such as William Saliba, Bukayo Saka and Gabriel Martinelli yet to hit their peak years.

"I see Arsenal playing at the after finishing second in each of diola said. "They are on fire. Every year it looks like they are

Liverpool ran City and Arseis only surpassed in the Gunners' nal close for the majority of last history by the unbeaten "Invin-season before a dip in form cost cibles", who won Arsenal's last them a glorious finish to Jurgen

Arne Slot has been given the Bridge after only one season.

daunting task of replacing the charismatic Klopp, who won the Premier League and Champions League during his time at Liverpool.

The former Feyenoord boss needs a fast start to ensure there is no hangover from Klopp's departure and resounding friendly victories over Arsenal, Manchester United and Sevilla were a step in the right direction.

"We both like the fans to come into the stadium and see a team that plays with a lot of energy, that plays good football," said Slot on the similarities between his and Klopp's style.

Manchester United manager Erik ten Hag survived an internal review into his position after their worst-ever Premier League finish of eighth.

Ten Hag held onto his job final win against Manchester City last season.

The Dutch boss has been Ratcliffe, with the signings of Leny Yoro -- who will miss the first three months of the season due to injury -- and Joshua Zirkzee expected to be followed by a swoop for Bayern Munich defenders Matthijs de Ligt and Noussair Mazraoui.

But United face stiff competition to try and get back into the last season who all failed to beat Champions League.

Chelsea are also under new management after Enzo Maresca replaced Mauricio Pochettino, who departed Stamford home to Liverpool on the open-



Arsenal's 89 points last season is only surpassed by their unbeaten "Invincibles" team in 2003/04. making them strong contenders to dethrone Manchester City

However, Maresca inherits a chaotic situation with more than 50 players on Chelsea's books largely thanks to a shock FA Cup after another free-spending window snapping up young talent from around the globe.

Newcastle and Tottenham will backed by United co-owner Jim expect to improve after missing out on the top four last season, while Aston Villa have strengthened ahead of their first Champions League campaign since

> At the other end of the table, Ipswich, Leicester and Southampton are hoping to avoid the fate of the three promoted sides

> Ipswich are back in the topflight for the first time in 22 years and face a baptism of fire at ing weekend.

## Crew ousts Messi-less defending champ Miami in Leagues Cup

**AFP** | Miami

Diego Rossi's two second-half goals launched the reigning MLS champion Columbus Crew over defending champion Inter Miami 3-2 to reach the Leagues Cup quarter-finals on Tuesday.

The Uruguayan forward lifted the host Crew level in the 69th minute and netted the decider in the 80th to dethrone Miami, this season's overall MLS season Miami star Lionel Messi did

not play, as he was still sidelined with a right ankle injury suffered a month ago in Argentina's Copa America final win over Colombia.

With the victory, the Crew will play host to a Saturday quarter-final against New York City, who won 2-1 over Tigres.

Paraguayan midfielder Matias Rojas gave Inter Miami a 1-0 lead in the 10th minute



Columbus Crew striker Diego Rossi (R) celebrates after scoring

Christian Ramirez answered for after arriving in Florida. the Crew in the 67th, setting the stage for Rossi's winning brace. the last eight.

The tournament features MLS

and compatriot Diego Gomez and Liga MX Mexican sides, doubled the margin with a goal with Messi leading Miami to last in the 62nd before US striker year's inaugural crown shortly

New York City rallied to reach

Argentine midfielder Gui- victory.

The Leagues Cup tournament features teams from both **Major League Soccer** (MLS) and Liga MX (Mexican league), with **Inter Miami winning** the inaugural edition last year shortly after

do Pizarro, the Tigres captain, opened the scoring with a header in the 18th minute but New York City netted the equalizer in the 20th through another Argentine midfielder, Maxi Moralez.

Uruguayan Santiago Rodriguez scored the final goal in the 65th minute from the left side on a left-footed shot inside the far post to give NYCFC the

## Manchester United sign Bayern's De Ligt and Mazraoui

**AFP** | Manchester

Manchester United have signed Matthijs de Ligt and Noussair Mazraoui from Bayern Munich, the Premier League club announced Tues-

Fees for the pair were not disclosed by the English giants, but British media reports estimated the duo had arrived at Old Trafford for a combined £60 million (\$77 million, 70 million euros).

Hag, having played under him they saw for me in it. at Dutch side Ajax, after agreethe option of another year.

Manchester United wanted work with him again." me, I felt an excitement about lenge at such an historic club," said De Ligt.

"In the conversations that Bayern (Germany).



Bayern Munich's Noussair Mazraoui and Matthijs de Ligt ahead of a match (file photo)

Netherlands defender De followed, I was impressed by Ligt, 25, will now join up again the vision that the football with United manager Erik ten leadership set out, and the role

"Erik ten Hag shaped the ing a five-year contract with early stages of my career so he knows how to get the best "As soon as I heard that out of me and I cannot wait to

De Ligt has already won the opportunity of a new challeague titles in three different countries with Ajax (Netherlands), Juventus (Italy) and

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**AFP** | New Delhi

Morne Morkel as its bowling board said yesterday.

Morkel will assist the World

The duo has previously know Super Giants in the In- to his name.

dian Premier League (IPL) and India has appointed former the Durban Super Giants in the South Africa's formats -- South Africa's leading wicket-taker in the 2015

Morkel's name was recomcoach, the country's cricket mended by Gambhir, ESPN Cricinfo reported.

The 39-year-old, who was Cup-winning Indian batter Pakistan's bowling coach until Gautam Gambhir who took over last December, replaces former as the team's head coach last India fast bowler Paras Mham-

Morkel, a strapping quickie, against New Zealand. worked together at the Luc- has 544 international wickets

While he was formidable World Cup -- Test cricket was his forte.

He picked up 309 scalps in the 86 Tests he played during his 12-year-long career.

India will host Bangladesh in their next outing in September, followed by another home series

Later in the year, the team will travel to Australia.

Morne Morkel

## Ligue 1 faces post-Mbappe era challenges

French football grapples with TV deal woes and PSG's uncertain dominance

**AFP** | Paris

hile France basks in the glow of the dazzling Paris Olympics, French football is trying to shake off a hangover from its own disastrous summer as the first Ligue 1 season of the post-Kylian Mbappe era begins this

A year after the departures in Ligue 1.

Mbappe finally move on, and he for the knockdown price of 500 has left behind a league in disarmillion (\$548m) euros annually. one of Ligue 1's most prominent ing for-

ahead of the season starting that the 624 million euros previously. mise the future." it had agreed a new domestic



PSG's players celebrate after a goal (file photo)

of Lionel Messi and Neymar, ened by the collapse of the re-Mbappe left Paris Saint-Ger- lationship with its long-time main too, signing for Real Mapartner, pay-TV giant Canal Plus, drid after eight and a half years the LFP finally signed a contract

ray after the fiasco surrounding International rights have inthe sale of its broadcast rights. creased to a reported 160 million The French league (LFP) only euros annually, but the domestic confirmed a couple of weeks deal is a considerable drop from but it allows us to not compro-

It is a sobering outcome for television deal for the next five the LFP, whose president Vin-

Its negotiating power weak- billion euros a year in broadcast contract with tradi-

#### **Any challengers for PSG?**

"We had to find the best soluwith British streaming platform tion for the clubs, in terms of when we Nobody was surprised to see DAZN and Qatar's beIN Sports exposure and cash flow," admit- s h o u l d ted Jean-Pierre Caillot of Reims,

"It is obviously not the result said. we imagined at the beginning,

The new deal leaves Ligue 1 be a less comfurther behind Europe's other petitive Ligue cent Labrune hoped to reach one leading domestic leagues than 1, in a land-

previously in terms of broadcast income.

The crisis goes on after the collapse of a 780 million-euro deal with Spanish company Mediapro months after it came into effect in 2020.

That was what led to Labrune reaching a deal with CVC Capital Partners, which saw the private equity firm offer 1.5 billion euros in exchange for a permanent 13 percent cut of the LFP's commercial income.

The new broadcast deal was pilloried by John Textor, the American owner of Olympique Lyonnais. "Signing a long-term tional distribu-

tion models is looking backwards, be lookwards," he

The upshot of all this could

Ligue 1's new domestic TV deal, worth 500 million euros annually, is a significant drop from the previous 624 million euros, raising concerns about the league's financial future

scape which has seen PSG win 10 of the last 12 titles.

But how Luis Enri-Mbappe, who scored 44 goals last season, will be unveiling. fascinating.

> ans have still now too. spent money, including up to 70 milmidfielder

Kylian Mbappe

from Benfi-

Barcola, Randal Kolo Muani and Warren Zaire-Emery they retain other French international stars.

#### **Bordeaux's demise**

The hope for the neutral has to be that France's other leading clubs can push PSG further this

The arrival of former Brighton coach Roberto De Zerbi could give Marseille a boost after they failed to qualify for Europe last season.

"I live off passion and emoque's team cope without tions. This team has always been different," De Zerbi said at his

Monaco, runners-up last sea-There has been no glam- son, and Lyon should be stronger, orous new signing to but Brest are unlikely to repeat replace Mbappe. their incredible performance Not yet anyway. in the last campaign, especially But the Parisi- with Champions League football

> Nothing symbolises French football's financial plight quite like the collapse of Bordeaux, lion euros the six-time champions who on Portugal have gone into receivership.

The former club of Alain Gir-Joao Neves esse, Jean Tigana and Zinedine Zidane were in Ligue 2 last season but have renounced their Ousmane professional status and look set Dembele, Bradley to restart in the fourth tier.

