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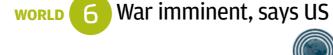
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REHC hosts final two races of 10 £50,000 handicaps today with Al Sakhir Cup and Vision 2030 Cup | **P12** 





Mark Wahlberg reflects on 30-pound weight gain for 'Father Stu'

**BUSINESS** 

UAE, India to sign trade, investment deal today



### **HM King Hamad** names BQA CEO

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 $\mathbf{H}$ is Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa yesterday appointed Dr Tariq Mohammed Abdulrahmam Al-Sindi as Chief Executive Officer of the Education and **Training Quality Authority** for a four-year term.

The Prime Minister shall implement the provisions of this decree, which takes immediate effect, and will be published in the Official Gazette.



His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, yesterday chaired the 418th meeting of the Coordination Committee remotely. The Coordinating Committee reviewed the developments of the afforestation plan and the latest developments in establishing the American Trade Zone. The meeting also discussed the latest developments in dealing with the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and related procedures.

### Iran nuclear deal draft puts prisoners, enrichment, cash first, oil comes later





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# No testing, quarantine for travellers @ airport

Bahrain ends precautionary guarantine for contacts of active COVID-19 cases

Tests are only for those having symptoms

Decision valid also for those without "Green shields" on **BeAware application** 

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who do not have a "Green Shield" on their BeAware app, are no COVID-19 pandemic yesterday.

h entry procedures at Bahrain Starting from Sunday, 20 February 2022

Taskforce officials also said they are limiting the requirerating Sunday, people who ment of taking the COVID-19 test COVID-19 symptoms should first booster dose in raising a perare contacts of active COV- to those having symptoms, in a conduct a rapid COVID-19 test. ID-19 cases, including those move further easing Coronavirus-related protocols.

longer required to stay in quarthe Bahrain Civil Aviation Afcentres for taking a PCR test. antine, said the National Medi- fairs announced cancelling PCR passengers arriving at the Bah- pital or use BeAware app or call safety of all.

streamline the process of travel taking a COVID-19 PCR test. for tourists. These new entry

ficials said people should take holding a Green Shield on the COVID-19 tests only if they have 'BeAware' app. symptoms.

### First rapid test

If the results are positive, that

rain International Airport to 444 to book an appointment for

Taskforce statement also clarprocedures and other updates ified that the decision to cancel will come into effect on Sunday. quarantine for existing contacts Explaining the newly updat- follows the previous decision ed procedures, Taskforce of- to drop quarantine for those

The new decision, the Taskforce said, is in line with national indicators showing the Meaning, a person having effectiveness of vaccination and son's immunity.

The Taskforce further called person should go directly to one on all to adhere strictly to pre-Following the announcement, of the drive-through testing ventive measures and other decisions to continue battling the Those who turned positive COVID-19 pandemic effectively cal Taskforce for Combating the tests and quarantines for all could also reach a private hos- and preserve the health and

### **Kuwait's** emir accepts resignations of defence, interior ministers

Reuters | Kuwait

Kuwait's issued a decree vesterday accepting the resignations of

the ministers of interior and defence, the information ministry said on Twitter.

The Emiri decree appointed Foreign Minister Sheikh Ahmad Nasser Al-Mohammad Al-Sabah as caretaker defence minister, replacing Sheikh Hamad Jaber al-Sabah, and Oil Minister Mohammad Al-Fares as caretaker interior minister, replacing Sheikh Ahmad Mansour al-Sabah.

The current government was appointed in December - the third in 2021 - in a bid to resolve a long-running standoff with the elected parliament that has hindered state efforts for fiscal reform.

### Driving the change

## Job advt for 30 train drivers attract 28,000 women in Saudi

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Saudi Arabian rail compa-Any's advertisement seeking 30 female train drivers attracted 28,000 applications.

It is the first time such roles have been advertised for women Picture courtesy of BBC in the kingdom.



The successful candidates will Medina after a year of training. drive high-speed trains between The Spanish railway company,

academic certificates and Eng- doubled over the past five years sued a historic decision allowing applications to half.

rest of the list by mid-March, of last year. said a Guardian report.

Renfe currently employs 80 had ismale drivers in Saudi Arabia and is training another

The participation of womthe holy cities of Mecca and Renfe, said online assessment of en in the workforce has almost

more women than men entered June 2018. The company would filter the the workforce in the first half

lish language skills helped it cut to 33% in Saudi Arabia, and women to drive on the 24th of

