

# HRH CP, PM orders 6,900 new housing services

Weekly Cabinet held at Gudaibiya Palace



HRH CP, PM chairing Cabinet meeting at Gudaibiya Palace,

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Thank you. The generous gestures of citizens and allied countries have made the celebrations of Bahrain's National Days truly special, said HRH Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and

Prime Minister.

Chairing the weekly Cabinet meeting at Gudaibiya Palace, HRH also extended his congratulations to all those celebrating Christmas in Bahrain and allied countries, wishing them peace and prosperity.

On this note, HRH Prince Salman affirmed the Kingdom's

commitment to further enhancing the living standards of its citizens.

As part of this, HRH said the government will launch 6,900 varied housing services for citizens.

The move, His Royal Highness said, is part of the Kingdom's dedication to ensuring adequate

living standards for all Bahrainis.

HRH also directed the expansion of the Mazaya Programme in 2024 to benefit an additional 1,400 citizens. It is noteworthy that the programme has already supported over 13,000 citizens since its inception.

The Mazaya Programme, spearheaded by the Ministry of

Housing and Urban Planning, provides financial support to help Bahraini citizens purchase their first homes. By offering subsidized housing loans in partnership with local banks, the programme enables beneficiaries to select properties from the private market, encouraging home ownership and reducing

reliance on government housing projects.

The Cabinet also commended His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa's address during the celebrations of Bahrain's National Days, which marked the 25th Anniversary of His Majesty's Accession to the Throne and other accompanying national events.

## Saudi previously sought extradition for Germany attack suspect: source close to government

AFP | Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Saudi Arabia had previously requested extradition for the Saudi suspect in Germany's deadly Christmas market attack, a source close to the government told AFP yesterday.

"There was (an extradition) request," said the source, without giving the reason for the request, adding that Riyadh had warned he "could be dangerous". The attack on Friday evening killed five people.

Saudi Arabia had warned Germany "many times" about Taleb Jawad al-Abdulmohsen, the source said. He did not explain in what way he was considered potentially dangerous.

The 50-year-old psychiatrist arrived in Germany in 2006 and was granted refugee status 10 years later, according to German media and a Saudi activist.



People mourn at a makeshift memorial outside the Johanniskirche (Johannes Church)

# Bin it right

New laws make waste disposal accountable

● Transporters must now equip vehicles with GPS systems

● Waste-hauling companies must obtain licences, with penalties for non-compliance

● The Supreme Council for Environment will oversee the monitoring system

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GPS and Individual Licences: Waste Disposal is Now Accountable

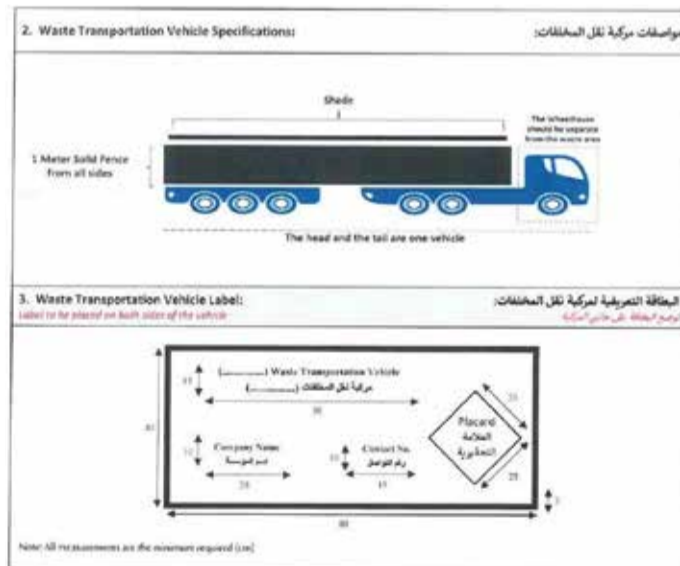
All waste-hauling movements in the Kingdom will now be tracked and recorded.

Non-compliance will attract strict penalties, including the permanent revocation of licences.

What's New?

Under the new rule, waste transporters in the Kingdom are required to equip every vehicle with GPS tracking systems.

In addition, they must obtain individual licences for their op-



erations. Officials say this move aims to improve oversight and protect the environment.

How It Works

To obtain a licence, transporters must submit proof of vehicle ownership, details of their waste transport activities, and a contingency plan for managing spills or accidents.

The GPS tracking systems and sensors installed on vehicles will be connected to an electronic monitoring system managed by the Supreme Council for Environment.

These rules are outlined in

Decision No. (7) of 2024, issued by His Highness Shaikh Abdullah bin Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, President of the Supreme Council for Environment.

Applicants must also fulfil all conditions and pay fees specified in previous government decisions.

Requirements

Transporters must dispose of waste only at approved sites and ensure all tracking and monitoring systems are fully operational.

Vehicles that fail to meet these requirements will be prohibited from transporting waste.



His Highness Shaikh Abdullah bin Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, President of the Supreme Council for Environment

Maintenance and Equipment

The Supreme Council for Environment may appoint an external company to supply and maintain the necessary equipment. However, all data must be shared with the relevant authorities.

Vehicles must also meet specific standards based on the type of waste being transported, as detailed in the regulations.

Penalties for Non-Compliance

Violations will lead to penalties, including licence suspensions of up to three months for offences such as providing false information or using unsuitable vehicles.

Repeated offences or a failure to address violations could result in the permanent revocation of the licence.

## Only 12 trucks delivered food, water in North Gaza Governorate since October: Oxfam



A boy reacts as he stands outside the morgue of the Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Yunis in the southern Gaza Strip

AFP | United Nations, United States

Just 12 trucks distributed food and water in northern Gaza in two-and-a-half months, aid group Oxfam said on Sunday, raising the alarm over the worsening humanitarian situation in the besieged Palestinian territory.

The Israeli authorities rejected the report, saying it was "deliberately and inaccurately" ignoring their humanitarian efforts.

"Of the meager 34 trucks of food and water given permission to enter the North Gaza Governorate over the last 2.5 months, deliberate delays and systematic obstructions by the Israeli military meant that just twelve managed to distribute aid to starving Palestinian civilians," Oxfam said in a statement, in a count that included deliveries through Saturday.



# Focus on Oil and Gas innovation, Bapco Modernization Project



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Bahrain remains committed to investing in the oil and gas sector to drive innovation, sustainability, and competitiveness, the Cabinet, chaired by His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, announced.

In this context, HRH also described the Bapco Modernization Project as a cornerstone in advancing Bahrain's energy sector, calling it the largest strategic initiative in the Kingdom's his-

tory. The project was officially inaugurated by His Majesty the King as part of Bahrain's National Days celebrations, marking the 25th Anniversary of His Majesty's Accession to the Throne, along with other accompanying national events.

The Cabinet commended the efforts of His Majesty's Representative for Humanitarian Works and Youth Affairs, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Bapco Energies, His Highness Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, for his significant contributions to advancing the

sector's capabilities.

The Cabinet also expressed its gratitude to the national workforce for their dedication to the Bapco Modernization Project and other energy initiatives, highlighting the project's role in strengthening the Kingdom's economy.

## Tamkeen

The Cabinet then turned to the success of the 2024 World Weightlifting Championships, hosted in Bahrain, and reviewed the outcomes of the Kingdom's Labour Fund, Tamkeen, for

2024.

Tamkeen was celebrated for its remarkable achievement in supporting the employment and career development of 41,000 Bahrainis in the private sector. Additionally, the Cabinet noted that small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) made up 51% of beneficiaries under enterprise support programmes and 54% of those receiving financial assistance.

The Cabinet attributed these accomplishments to the unwavering efforts and support of His Highness Shaikh Isa bin Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Isa bin Salman Education Charitable Trust and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Tamkeen, as well as the Ministry of Labour. The Cabinet also emphasized the importance of initiatives such as the Skills Bahrain Initiative and the Employability Skills Portal, which reflect a unified vision for enhancing the Kingdom's labour market.

## The Cabinet reviewed and approved several memorandums:

1. A memorandum from the Ministerial Committee for Legal and Legislative Affairs on the appointment of the administrative body and minister for private entities in the youth field, and their competencies.
2. A memorandum from the Minister of Transportation and Telecommunications seeking approval for Bahrain's signing of the 2023 Radio Regulations by the International Telecommunication Union.
3. A memorandum from the Minister of Cabinet Affairs, also Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Education and Training Quality Authority, approving the Authority's reports.
4. A memorandum from the Ministerial Committee for Legal and Legislative Affairs on the government's response to three proposals submitted by the Council of Representatives.

## The Cabinet also reviewed the following reports:

1. Outcomes of the Republic of India's Minister of External Affairs visit to Bahrain for the fourth ministerial meeting of the High Joint Commission.
2. Bahrain's participation in the Arab Ministerial Contact Committee on Syria.
3. Bahrain's involvement in the Zakat, Tax, and Customs Conference.
4. Bahrain's participation in the 113th meeting of the OAPEC Council of Ministers.
5. Preparatory meetings for the upcoming visit of His Majesty the King to Oman.
6. Bahrain's participation in the 27th session of the Arab Ministerial Council for Tourism and the 35th session of its Executive Office.
7. Outcomes of Bahrain's participation in the Executive Office meeting of the Arab Information Ministers Council.

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## LMRA holds 272 inspection campaigns and visits

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The Labour Market Regulatory Authority (LMRA) announced the completion of 272 inspection campaigns and visits from 15 to 21 December 2024. These efforts led to the detention of 39 workers found to be in violation of regulations, while 95 violators were deported.

The LMRA also identified a range of violations related to the Labour Market Regulatory Authority and Residency Laws in Bahrain, with legal action taken against those found in breach.

Of the total inspections, 261 visits were carried out across various shops in all governorates, and 11 joint inspection campaigns were conducted. These included 8 campaigns in the Capital Governorate, 1 in Muharraq Governorate, and 2 in the Southern Governorate.

The Ministry of Interior participated in these campaigns through the Nationality, Passports and Residence Affairs (NPRA), alongside the respective Police Directorates, the General Directorate of Crime Detection and Forensic Evidence, the General Directorate of Verdict Enforcement and Alternative



### Participating Government Entities



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Sentencing, and the Bahrain Tourism and Exhibitions Authority.

The LMRA emphasized its continued collaboration with government agencies to intensify inspections across all governorates, addressing violations that threaten the stability, competitiveness, and social security

of the Kingdom's labour market. The Authority urged the public to support efforts against illegal labour practices by reporting violations via its website at [www.lmra.gov.bh](http://www.lmra.gov.bh), the LMRA call centre at 17506055, or through the government's Suggestions and Complaints System (Tawasul).



## Visit to Work visa conversion fee jumps by over 400%

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The cost of converting a visit visa to a work visa has seen a dramatic increase. According to the Ministry of Interior, the fee for converting a visit visa to a work visa under the same sponsor has risen from BD 60 to BD 250, reflecting an increase of



over 400%.

Additionally, the fee for converting a visit visa to a family reunification visa and for changing a family reunification visa to a work visa will now also be BD 250.

These new fees came into effect on December 20, 2024, following a decree issued by Min-

ister of Interior, General Shaikh Rashid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa.

Decree No. (119) of 2024 amends the provisions of Decree No. (196) of 2014, which pertains to fees for services provided by the General Directorate of Nationality, Passports, and Residence Affairs. The decree, published in the Official

Gazette on December 19, 2024, also introduces two new clauses (74 and 75) related to family visas.

The third article of the decree mandates the Undersecretary of the Ministry for Nationality, Passports, and Residence Affairs to enforce its provisions, effective the day after its publication.

## New youth centre proposed for Southern Muharraq

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A new youth centre has been proposed for southern Muharraq, with the suggested location being a vacant plot near Halat Bu Maher Health Centre. An alternative site within the area may be considered if necessary.

The proposal, put forward by Mohammed Al Olaiwi and Hisham Al Awadhi, aims to create a space for young people to engage in social, cultural, and recreational activities.

"This centre would serve residents in the third and fourth constituencies of southern Muharraq," states the explanatory



Mohammed Al Olaiwi, MP

memorandum.

"By bringing young people together to share ideas and experiences, the centre would

foster a sense of community and prepare the next generation to contribute meaningfully to the country," it continues.

The proposal highlights the area's growing population and geographical expansion as key reasons for the initiative. It draws parallels with the Muharraq Model Youth Centre in the northern part of the city, which has been praised for fulfilling similar needs.

The initiative has been filed under Article 68 of the Constitution, which allows members of Parliament to submit requests to the government. A formal response is expected within six months.

## New holding company to focus on investments: EWA



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The newly established National Electricity and Water Holding Company will not affect the current operations of the Electricity and Water Authority or its employees, the Ministry of Electricity and Water Affairs confirmed.

The company's purpose is to own or invest in businesses within the electricity and water sectors, as well as related fields.

Importantly, the Ministry assured that this development will not impact the services provided to citizens, in response to an inquiry from MP Eman Showaiter.

The Ministry also clarified that the holding company and its subsidiaries are not involved in government support for citizens' electricity and water bills. The government will continue to manage such support and regulations according to existing practices.

Furthermore, the Ministry reiterated its commitment to a comprehensive strategic plan aimed at enhancing the electricity and water sectors in Bahrain. This initiative will focus on several projects, with particular emphasis on improving the infrastructure of both electricity and water networks.

## New measures could see fines and leadership removal for Youth Clubs

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Harsher measures, including removal from leadership positions and administrative penalties, have been proposed for youth clubs and societies.

If approved, the proposal will allow authorities to impose fines of up to 50 dinars for non-compliance, with repeat offenders facing even stricter penalties.

Parliament is set to debate the proposed amendments to the law on Tuesday. The Cabinet has already approved the amendments, paving the way for lawmakers to review them.

Fines, which could be doubled for repeated offenses, will be directed into a fund to support associations and private



Representative picture

institutions.

The amendments, introduced by Deputy Prime Minister Khalid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa,

aim to modernise the 1989 law governing societies, social and cultural clubs, and private institutions.

Attached to Decree No. (110) of 2024, the draft legislation proposes replacing certain penalties with more practical administrative measures.

The proposal also includes a grievance process, allowing those penalised to appeal decisions within specific timeframes, ensuring fairness in the procedure.

The Legislative and Legal Affairs Committee has been tasked with reviewing the draft law and reporting back to Parliament.

Supporters argue that the changes will improve enforcement while maintaining accountability within youth and sports organisations.

## Shura Council committee debates medical liability bill

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The Shura Council's Services Committee, chaired by Dr Jameela Al Salman, continued its discussion on Monday of a proposed law concerning medical liability.

The bill, submitted by members Dr Al Salman, Dr Jihad Al Fadhel, Dalal Al Zayed, Dr Ibtisam Al Dalal, and Dr Hani Al Sa'ati, aims to establish a comprehensive framework for medical malpractice in Bahrain.



The proposed law seeks to create a Supreme Committee for Medical Liability, unifying

existing provisions on medical responsibility into a single act. A key objective is to provide pro-

tection for both medical professionals and patients, ensuring their safety and supporting the

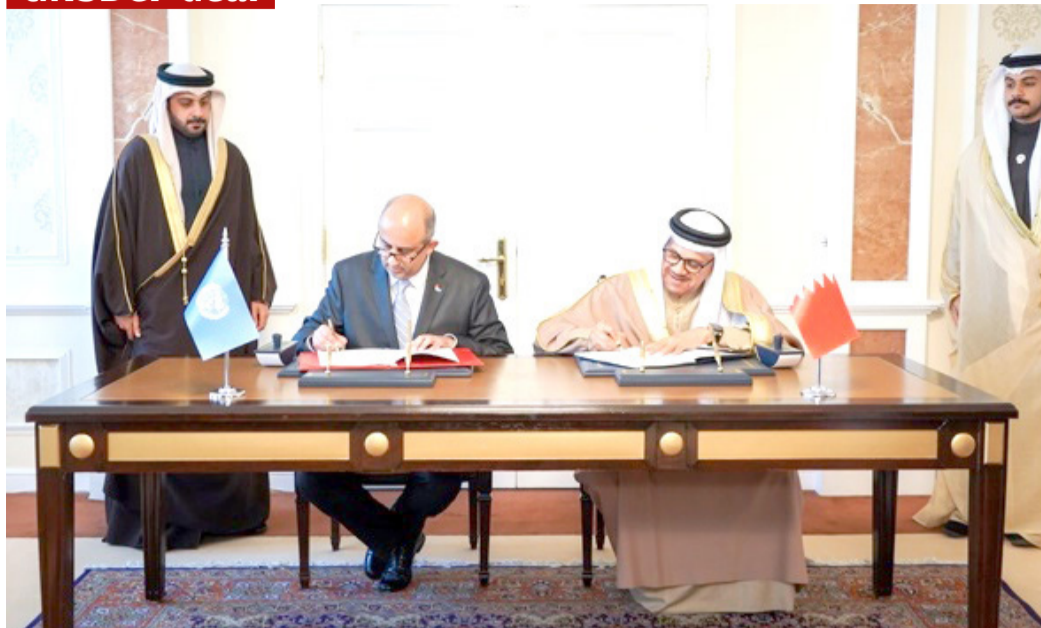
growth of medical tourism in the Kingdom.

The draft legislation com-

prises eight chapters and 31 articles, covering the duties and responsibilities of healthcare providers, patient rights, procedures for investigating medical professionals, and insurance against civil liability for medical errors.

During the meeting, the committee reviewed the opinions of the Legislative and Legal Affairs Committee and the Association of Private Healthcare Institutions. A comparative table outlining similar legislation in other countries was also examined.



**UNSDCF deal**

Dr. Abdullah bin Rashid Al Zayani, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Khaled Abdul Salam Al Mekwad, the United Nations Resident Coordinator in Bahrain, signed the United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework (UNSDCF) (2025 - 2029) between the Government of Bahrain and the United Nations. The minister noted that the framework reflects Bahrain's commitment to strengthening its relations with the United Nations and enhancing joint efforts to achieve sustainable development.

**Man gets three years in jail for renewing ex-wife's residency with fake documents**

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A Bahraini man has been sentenced to three years in prison for renewing his ex-wife's residency, despite her remarriage to another Gulf national, using a forged marriage certificate.

The Cassation Court upheld the ruling, rejecting an appeal against the High Criminal Court and the High Appeals Court's judgment. In addition to the prison sentence, the court ordered the deportation of the ex-wife after she completes her sentence. She had earlier been sentenced to three years in prison.

The case began when a visa



technician reported that the defendant had approached the administration to request the cancellation of his ex-wife's residency. Investigations revealed that although the man had divorced his wife in 2013, she had remained under his sponsorship since then. He had continued renewing her residency by falsely claiming they were still married, as her visa required a request from a spouse.

The defendant presented forged documents to support his claim of marriage. During investigations, he admitted to the divorce in 2013. The ex-wife confirmed this, stating that she had remarried another man but had reached an agreement with her ex-husband to renew her residency.

The prosecution charged the defendant with manipulating records at the General Directorate of Nationality and Passports with the assistance of another employee, who acted in good faith. The defendant was also convicted of forging official documents, including visa stickers in the ex-wife's passport, again with the help of the employee.

**Camping: Southern Governorate launches joint campaign**

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Under the patronage and supervision of His Highness Shaikh Khalifa bin Ali Al Khalifa, Governor of the Southern

Governorate, a joint campaign has been launched to ensure a safe and successful spring camping season.

The initiative, a collaboration between the Southern Governorate, the Ministry of Health, the Southern Municipal

Council, the General Directorate of Civil Defence, and the Southern Governorate Police Directorate, focused on raising awareness and inspecting commercial establishments near the Tree of Life in the Southern Governorate.

The campaign aimed to verify that businesses meet all health and safety regulations. Inspectors checked for compliance with health standards and ensured that businesses adhered to safety and security protocols.

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BAHRAIN BRANCH****Condensed statement of financial position**

As at 30 June 2024

	30 June 2024 (Unaudited) BD	31 December 2023 (Audited) BD
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Right-of-use assets	26,896	2,758
Investment securities:		
Financial investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)	18,429,330	19,260,154
Financial investments at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)	20,407,129	20,735,664
Insurance contract assets	2,887	4,350
Reinsurance contract assets	132,097	34,759
Prepayments and other receivables	290,114	305,795
Cash and bank balances	2,047,606	1,597,775
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>41,336,059</b>	<b>41,941,255</b>
<b>HEAD OFFICE FUNDS AND LIABILITIES</b>		
<b>Head Office Funds</b>		
Head Office account	7,213,393	6,472,158
Cumulative change in fair value of securities	(1,286,141)	(1,004,475)
<b>Total Head Office Funds</b>	<b>5,927,252</b>	<b>5,467,683</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Provision for employees' end of service indemnity	18,026	13,454
Insurance contract liabilities	33,326,267	34,857,133
Reinsurance contract liabilities	1,093,561	786,689
Accounts payable	946,573	813,413
Lease liability	24,380	2,883
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>35,408,807</b>	<b>36,473,572</b>
<b>Total Head Office Funds and liabilities</b>	<b>41,336,059</b>	<b>41,941,255</b>

Country Manager  
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**Condensed statement of profit or loss**

For the six month period ended 30 June 2024

	2024 (Unaudited) BD	2023 (Unaudited and restated) BD
Insurance revenue	4,129,173	3,585,900
Insurance service expenses	(3,270,127)	(2,766,702)
Insurance service result before reinsurance contracts held	859,046	819,198
Net (expense)/income from reinsurance contracts held	(252,422)	64,216
<b>Insurance service result</b>	<b>606,624</b>	<b>883,414</b>
Interest income from financial investments at FVTOCI	354,200	393,996
Realised and unrealised gain on financial investments at FVTPL	1,518,066	1,594,324
Other investment income - net	31,189	54,457
<b>Net investment income</b>	<b>1,903,455</b>	<b>2,042,777</b>
Finance expenses from insurance contracts issued	(1,431,248)	(1,680,374)
Finance income/(expenses) from reinsurance contracts held	33,694	(125,989)
<b>Net insurance finance expenses</b>	<b>(1,397,554)</b>	<b>(1,806,363)</b>
<b>Net insurance and investment result</b>	<b>1,112,525</b>	<b>1,119,828</b>
Other income/(expenses)	45,317	(14,991)
Other operating expenses	(426,206)	(430,067)
<b>Profit for the period</b>	<b>731,636</b>	<b>674,770</b>
<b>Condensed statement of comprehensive income (unaudited)</b>		
<b>For the six month period ended 30 June 2024</b>		
	2024	2023
<b>Profit for the period</b>	<b>731,636</b>	<b>674,770</b>
<b>Other comprehensive (loss)/income:</b>		
<i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>		
Net changes in the fair value of financial investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)	(281,666)	48,460
<b>Total other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period</b>	<b>(281,666)</b>	<b>48,460</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period</b>	<b>449,970</b>	<b>723,230</b>

Auditors  
**Deloitte & Touche (M.E.)**

**Court awards family BD 5,200 after child loses tooth in accident**

● **BD 3,000 for the child's dental injury and additional compensation for his father and sister, who also sustained injuries**

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Lawyer Zahra Hussain

A Bahraini court has awarded BD 5,200 in compensation to a family following a traffic accident in November 2022, where an 11-year-old boy lost a tooth. The Civil Court held both the driver and the insurance company responsible for the incident.

The ruling, detailed by lawyer Zahra Hussain, includes BD 3,000 for the child's dental injury and additional compensation for his father and sister, who also sustained injuries.

The accident occurred due to the negligence of the first defendant, the driver, whose vehicle was insured by the second defendant. A criminal court had previously fined the driver. The family filed a civil suit seeking compensation for physical and emotional dam-

ages. The court outlined the injuries: the mother suffered soft tissue damage to her hand, leg, and neck, with a 2% permanent disability, resulting in BD 1,000 for physical damage and BD 500 for emotional distress. The boy suffered injuries to his leg, abrasions, a fractured incisor, and a laceration to his lip. His 5% permanent disability led to BD 2,500 for physical damage and BD 500 for emotional distress. The father received BD 500 for emotional distress, while the daughter received BD 200.

In total, the court ordered the defendants to pay the father BD 3,700 and the mother BD 1,500, bringing the total compensation to BD 5,200.

**Notice with respect to the revocation of the conventional wholesale license granted to Standard Chartered Bank's branch in the Kingdom of Bahrain**

The Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB) hereby announces the issuance of Resolution No. (47) of 2024 with respect to the revocation of the conventional wholesale license granted to Standard Chartered Bank's branch in the Kingdom of Bahrain, issued on 5 December 2024.

The CBB notes that the retail branch of Standard Chartered Bank in the Kingdom of Bahrain, registered under commercial registration No. (280) continues to provide retail banking services.

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# NBB names top 10 teams advancing to Digital Banking Challenge Incubation Programme

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The National Bank of Bahrain (NBB) has announced the selection of the top 10 teams advancing to the next phase of its Digital Banking Challenge, held in partnership with Bahrain Fintech Bay (BFB). The teams, chosen from the intensive two-day bootcamp, will take part in a six-week incubation programme that will help them transform their ideas into business-ready digital banking solutions.

The incubation offers the selected participants an immersive learning experience with a



comprehensive curriculum that will combine technical and entrepreneurial training with engaging workshops. The sessions



will cover critical topics such as digital banking trends, design thinking, business modelling, customer-centric innovation,

branding, crafting compelling pitch decks, and securing funding. Attendees will also explore key advancements in payments and transactions to enhance their understanding of Bahrain's fintech ecosystem.

Industry experts and NBB professionals will mentor the participants, enabling them to refine their solutions and prepare them for implementation. By the end of the incubation period, participants will have the acumen to effectively navigate the evolving fintech space and further hone their skills to become future leaders in the sector.

# ASRY holds annual ISPS Combined Exercise

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The Arab Shipbuilding and Repair Yard Company (ASRY), in coordination with the Ministry of Interior, carried out its yearly International Ship and Port Facility Security (ISPS) exercise to sharpen its emergency response.

The drill brought together The Civil Defense, The Coast Guard, and The Port Police. Participants worked through emergency and rescue scenarios, putting their coordination and quick-thinking skills to the test under realistic conditions.

Mahmood Abdulaziz, ASRY HSSE Manager, explained that the exercise aimed to improve readiness and refine the team's



skills. 'By simulating real-world scenarios, we ensure our team is prepared to handle all types of risks and emergencies with professionalism and precision,' he said.

## Tamkeen offers over 1,000 Tech Training with Global Digital Platform Pluralsight



● The platform will offer the opportunity to over 1,000 candidates to access its extensive library of more than 7,000 courses

● The initiative aims to enhance tech skills for Bahrainis employed in the private sector

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The Labour Fund (Tamkeen) announced its partnership with the global online training platform Pluralsight in a first-of-its-kind initiative to offer virtual training for Bahrainis. Through this initiative, the platform will offer 1,000 candidates access to its extensive library of more than 7,000 courses. eers and enhancing their competitiveness in the labor market.

This initiative will provide Bahrainis employed in the ICT sector with a wide range of training courses across vari-

ous specialties in addition to skill assessments, and practical labs to help participants gain relevant tech skills through the platform. Furthermore, participants will gain access to personalized learning paths tailored for them, ensuring that they achieve their learning objectives effectively.

On this occasion, Ms. Maha Abdulhameed Mofeez, Chief Executive of the Labour Fund (Tamkeen) commended Bahrain's highly skilled workforce, which is a source of pride for the Kingdom, highlighting Tamkeen's ongoing efforts to supporting this workforce by providing promising opportunities that will help them achieve success and career growth. "Our commitment to enhancing the tech skills of our national talent aligns seamlessly with our strategic priorities due to the vital role of the ICT sector in our national economic development"

"We're honored to have the opportunity to partner with Tamkeen and provide critical tech education to the Bahraini workforce," said Erin Gajdalo, CEO of Pluralsight.

# Beyon renews deal with Ericsson

To support sustainability and circular economy practices

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Beyon announced it has renewed its sustainability Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Ericsson to expand their joint sustainability initiatives and circular economy practices for building energy-efficient networks in Bahrain.

The MoU renewal was signed by Beyon Chief Communications & Sustainability Officer Shaikh Bader bin Rashid Al Khalifa and Vice President and Head of Gulf Council Countries at Ericsson Middle East and Africa, Nicolas Blixell.

They also announced the successful outcomes of their sustainability collaboration, signed in early 2024, for accelerating the journey to a Net Zero future for both companies and managing Waste from Electronic and Electrical Equipment (WEEE). Key achievements during the year include the initiation of 'Ericsson Product Take-Back Programme', which addresses the issue of e-waste and enables recycling of end-of-life electronic and electrical equipment in a responsible and sustainable



Officials following the deal signing

way.

Additionally, the implementation of this MoU has so far resulted in a 30 percent energy reduction on Batelco's network by the deployment of the Ericsson 5G Radio Access Network product. Furthermore, the collaboration also focused on knowledge sharing, with monthly sessions involving

global experts discussing climate action, circularity, and the collective efforts required to achieve Net Zero goals.

Beyon Chief Communications & Sustainability Officer Shaikh Bader bin Rashid Al Khalifa commented on the renewed MOU saying, "Our partnership with Ericsson demonstrates the substantial progress that can be

made through focused sustainability initiatives."

Nicolas Blixell, Vice President and Head of Gulf Council Countries at Ericsson Middle East and Africa said, "By leveraging our expertise and technologies, we have been able to deliver measurable energy savings and support Beyon in their journey towards Net Zero."

## Russia says oil spill may have polluted 200,000 tonnes of soil

AFP | Moscow, Russia

An oil slick from two damaged tankers off the coast of southern Russia this month may have polluted up to 200,000 tonnes of soil, Russia's minister of natural resources said on Monday.

"The volume of polluted soil could reach 200,000 tonnes," Alexander Kozlov said at a meeting broadcast by the Zvezda channel on Telegram.

On December 15, two Russian oil tankers, the Volgoneft-212 and the Volgoneft-239 were hit by a storm in the Kerch Strait, with one sinking and the other running aground.

The strait separates southern Russia from the Ukrainian peninsula of Crimea, which

it annexed in 2014. The ships were carrying 9,200 tonnes of fuel oil, around 40 percent of which may have spilled into the sea, according to Russian authorities.

President Vladimir Putin last week called it an "ecological disaster".

Fuel oil was found along dozens of kilometres of beach, with the seaside resort of Anapa particularly hard hit.

The port city of Kerch, in annexed Crimea, also saw patches of fuel oil arrive on its shores, according to images broadcast by local authorities.

Volunteers in white protective clothing have been clearing up beaches in the region, according to images published on Monday by regional governor Veniamin Kondratyev.





News in brief

Cyclone Chido death toll rises to 120 in Mozambique... Cyclone Chido killed at least 120 people in Mozambique in its deadly rampage through the Indian Ocean last week...

Canada's Trudeau losing support within his party: MPs... Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau's support within his own party appeared to falter further on Sunday...

Ex-US Marine pilot to be extradited from Australia to US... Australia's attorney general has decided an ex-US Marine pilot accused of illegally training China's military will be extradited from Australia to the United States...

CURIOSER & CURIOSER

Picturesque Japan hot spring town limits day trippers



A tourist enjoys the snow in Ginzan Onsen in Obanazawa, Yamagata Prefecture

post-pandemic travel boom. "Traffic jams have sometimes been caused by cars getting stuck in the snow, because travellers were driving with normal tyres..."

Medics expose Syria chemical cover-up

Medical professionals reveal coercion by Assad regime to deny 2018 Douma chlorine attack

- Three medical staff describe threats and intimidation to falsify chemical attack testimony
Syrian security forces used family threats and armed intimidation to force false statements
Doctors' televised testimonies were edited to support government's denial of the attack

AFP | Washington

Two Syrian doctors and a nurse told AFP in a series of interviews over the weekend that Bashar al-Assad's government coerced them into providing false testimony to international investigators after a deadly 2018 chlorine attack.



Girls sits near damaged buildings in the devastated Hajar al-Aswad area near the Yarmuk camp on the outskirts of Damascus

North Korea suffers 1,100 casualties in Russia-Ukraine war: Seoul

AFP | Seoul

More than 1,000 North Korean soldiers have been killed or wounded in Russia's war with Ukraine, South Korea's Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS) said yesterday.



North Korean leader Kim Jong Un greets soldiers as he inspects a tank unit of the Korean People's Army (file photo)

ry earlier this year. "Through various sources of information and intelligence, we assess that North Korean troops who have recently engaged in combat with Ukrainian forces have suffered around 1,100 casualties..."

Sweden says China blocked prosecutors' probe of ship linked to cut cables

AFP | Stockholm

Sweden's foreign minister said yesterday that China had denied a request for prosecutors to conduct an investigation on a Chinese ship linked to two severed Baltic Sea cables...



The Yi Peng 3 had been anchored in the international waters of the Kattegat strait between Sweden and Denmark

countries in advance," Mao said. "China is willing to maintain communication and cooperation with the countries involved to advance the follow-up handling of the incident..."

Philippines says to acquire US Typhon missile system



Philippine and US Marines take part in a live fire exercise during annual joint military drills in the northern Philippines (file photo)

AFP | Manila

The Philippines said yesterday it planned to acquire the US Typhon missile system as part of a push to secure its maritime interests, sparking warnings from China of a regional 'arms race'.

The Typhon missile launcher has a range of 300 miles and will enable the Philippine army to 'project force' up to 200 nautical miles to protect the country's maritime assets

the interest of protecting our sovereignty," he said, adding the total cost of the acquisition would depend on "economics".

Musk, president? Trump says 'not happening'



US President-elect Donald Trump and Elon Musk watch the launch of the sixth test flight of the SpaceX Starship rocket (file photo)

- Musk's influence in Trump administration sparks criticism
Democratic camp portrays Musk as 'President Musk'
Musk's social media posts raise concerns over unelected power

AFP | Phoenix

Could Elon Musk, who holds major sway in the incoming Trump administration, one day become president? On Sunday, Donald Trump answered with a resounding no...

Elon Musk, born in South Africa, is ineligible to become US President due to the natural-born citizen requirement

SpaceX boss, who was born in South Africa. The US Constitution requires that a president be a natural-born US citizen.

Lebanon urges US, France to help 'accelerate' Israeli withdrawal

AFP | Beirut

Lebanon's prime minister called on the United States and France to help speed up Israeli forces' withdrawal from his country nearly a month into a fragile ceasefire between Israel and Hezbollah.



A man sets up a Christmas tree amidst the rubble of the Melkite Church, in the southern Lebanese village of Derrghaya

As part of the truce agreement, the Lebanese army and peacekeepers will deploy in southern Lebanon as the Israeli army pulls out over a period of 60 days.

the crowd: "No, no that's not happening." The influence of Musk, who will serve as Trump's "efficiency czar," has become a focus point for Democratic attacks...

TOP 4 TWEETS

01



What is becoming one of my favourite parts of traveling to our country offices: engaging and listening to our staff. Here with the wonderful @UNOCHA colleagues in Amman.

@UNReliefChief

02



2024 came with some changes, both in the world and in my own life. As I sort my thoughts into chapters, I want to wish you happy holidays and a calm start to the new year.

@jensstoltenberg

03



Today, we hit a new milestone in the rollout of NextGenEU, our investment plan for the future. €300 billion have been disbursed under the plan. And the results on the ground are visible.

@vonderleyen

04



Spare a thought for the Serbians & Georgians protesting against Kremlin backed regimes. While traitor PM of Slovakia Fico shakes the blood drenched hands of Putin. 2025 will be a decisive year for Europeans fighting for their freedom & liberty from corrupt politicians.

@guyverhofstadt

Disclaimer: (Views expressed by columnists are personal and need not necessarily reflect our editorial stances)



# CAMPUS

## The American University of Bahrain Celebrates Bahrain's National Day

TDI | Manama

The American University of Bahrain (AUBH) hosted its annual celebrations to mark the Bahraini National Day and the anniversary of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa's accession to the throne.

The event featured a diverse array of cultural activities that celebrated Bahrain's rich traditions and heritage. Highlights included pearl oyster shucking, artistic performances that showcased the Bahraini culture, traditional Bahraini games, and a culinary experience offering attendees the opportunity to savor authentic Bahraini cuisine.

On this occasion, the American University of Bahrain extended its heartfelt congratulations to His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, King of the Kingdom of Bahrain; His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Crown Prince, and Prime Minister; as



well as to the government and people of Bahrain,

AUBH President, Dr. Bradley J. Cook, emphasized the university's dedication to participating annually in this cherished national celebration as an expression of its pride in the Kingdom's remarkable achievements under its visionary leadership.

Dr. Cook stated: "The glorious National Day is a profound occasion that reflects the strong

bond between the leadership and the people of Bahrain. It is also a celebration of the Kingdom's rich history and heritage, which form the foundation for its continued progress and development. Moreover, the National Day highlights Bahrain's exceptional cultural diversity and its spirit of openness and tolerance, which have established the Kingdom as a global model for peaceful coexistence."



"At AUBH, we view this occasion as an opportunity to deepen our connections with the local community, reaffirming our role as a key partner in advancing Bahrain's Vision 2030. We firmly believe in the essential role of education and scientific research as cornerstones of sustainable development, as we are committed to cultivate future generations of visionary leaders, empowering them with the knowledge and skills required to drive Bahrain's prosperous future."



## BIS celebrates World Arabic Language Day

TDI | Manama

Bahrain Indian School (BIS) observed World Arabic Language Day with a series of enriching activities designed to celebrate the beauty and significance of the Arabic language. The event, held on 18th December showcased the talents and enthusiasm of our students while emphasizing the cultural heritage associated with Arabic.

The day commenced with a speech delivered by the Principal, who also included a few sentences in Arabic to highlight the importance of the language in fostering cultural understanding and communication. The speech set a positive tone for the day's activities, reinforcing the school's commitment to promoting linguistic diversity.

Students took center stage as they presented insightful talks about renowned Arabic scholars, showcasing their contributions to literature, science, and philosophy. The presentations not only educated their peers but also instilled a sense of pride in the rich history of the Arabic language.

In a creative twist, one student donned the role of a postman, delivering letters written



in Arabic. This interactive activity captivated the audience and served as a fun reminder of the practical applications of the language.

The Arabic Department hosted a language competition that challenged students to showcase their proficiency and creativity. Participants

demonstrated their skills in vocabulary, grammar, and conversation, culminating in an exciting awards ceremony. Winners were recognized with gifts, while all participants received certificates of achievement from the Principal, acknowledging their hard work and dedication.

"This celebration of World Arabic Language Day reflects our commitment to fostering a love for languages and cultural appreciation among our students," said Director Himanshu Verma. Director Ritu Verma stated "We are proud of our students' efforts in promoting the Arabic language and its rich heritage".

## NMS Bahrain organises sports day

TDI | Manama

The New Millennium School, Bahrain, hosted its much-awaited Annual Sports Day for the students of Grades VII to XII on 14th December, 2024, with resounding success. The event showcased the school's commitment to nurturing the spirit of sportsmanship and promoting physical well-being among students.

Principal, Dr Arun Kumar Sharma, inaugurated the sports meet with an inspiring speech that emphasized the importance of sports in fostering physical and mental fitness.

The students competed in a variety of events, including track races such as 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m and relays, as well as field events like shot put, triple jump and long jump.

Medals and Certificates were awarded at the conclusion of each event, creating an air of excitement and encouragement. The highlight of the celebration was the announcement of the Best House March Past Award and Individual Championship Awards for the best-performing boy and girl of the academic session 2024-25 which brought the crowd to a roar-



ing applause. Lincoln House bagged the prestigious House March Past Trophy. For Grade 7 and 8, Naithik Chandak and Disha Mangalpadi bagged the Individual Championship boy and girl awards respectively.

For Grades 9 to 12, Shiva Sundar and Izzah Shahib clinched the Individual Champion title boy and girl respectively.

Chairman Dr. Ravi Pillai and the Managing Director, Geetha Pillai lauded the school's efforts in promoting sports as an integral part of education. They also underscored the importance of sportsmanship in today's competitive world.

The Parents and teachers also participated in 100 & 200 metres races.



## Joy and Festivity: NMS Bahrain celebrates Christmas with enthusiasm

TDI | Manama

The spirit of Christmas filled the air as New Millennium School, Bahrain hosted its annual Christmas celebration on 23rd December 2024. The entire school reverberated with the

echoes of Christmas carols and wore a festive look with bells, streamers and beautifully decorated Christmas trees. Several activities such as decorating Christmas Trees and Stockings, making Christmas Cards and Hand-crafted bells were organ-

ized for the students.

The special assemblies highlighted the spirit of giving and sharing during Christmas. The tale about the birth of Lord Jesus and the legend of Santa Claus were enacted by the students.

The boundless joy of celebrating the festival was amply visible on the faces of the children especially when dressed up as little Santas, they moved around singing carols and spreading joy to all. The entire day was dedicated to reiterate faith in one

universal power.

Chairman Dr Ravi Pillai, Managing Director Geetha Pillai and Principal Dr Arun Kumar Sharma extended their festive wishes and warmest greetings for the New Year to the students, staff and parents.





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## De Minaur aiming for bigger and better 2025

AFP | Sydney

Alex De Minaur is coming off a breakthrough year that saw him reach a career-high world number six and the Australian is fired up for an even bigger 2025.

The 25-year-old won two titles last season and made the quarter-finals at three of the four Grand Slams while qualifying for the ATP finals.

A hip injury hampered him through the middle of the year but he is fit and raring to go again at the mixed-teams United Cup this week in the lead-up to the Australian Open from January 12.

"The way I see 2024, it was a breakthrough year, 100 percent," de Minaur, currently ranked nine, told reporters on Monday.

"I played some incredible tennis, reached a career-high six, reached the end-of-year finals for the first time -- but I still think I can do more.

"That's what I want, ultimately, that's what I'm working so hard for.

"Never satisfied. That's what the whole training is for."

He gets his season underway on Saturday at Ken Rosewall Arena in Sydney against world number 39 Tomas Etcheverry when the Lleyton Hewitt-captained Australia face Argentina.



Alex De Minaur in action during a match (file photo)

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ALEX DE MINAUR

Britain are also in their United Cup group, with de Minaur potentially playing a decisive mixed-doubles clash against his girlfriend Katie Boulter.

The tournament features 18 teams with ties comprising one men's and one women's singles and a mixed-doubles showdown.

"I wouldn't exactly say I'm thrilled at the thought of playing him again," Boulter, who also won two titles in 2024 and is now 24 in the world, told reporters.

"He's a top 10 player who knows how to play.

"Then there's the personal side of it which is difficult but also great for bragging rights."

The United Cup begins on Friday in Perth with Kazakhstan taking on Spain and China facing Brazil.

## Explosive batsman Jacobs gets New Zealand call-up

AFP | Wellington

Hard-hitting New Zealand batsman Bevon Jacobs earned a maiden call-up Monday for their T20 series against Sri Lanka, which marks the start of Mitchell Santner's tenure as white-ball captain.

Jacobs has turned heads since bursting on the domestic scene last year and was a surprise pick-up by Mumbai Indians in the Indian Premier League auction this month.

The Blackcaps face Sri Lanka in three T20s starting Saturday in Mount Maunganui followed by a three-match ODI series



Bevon Jacobs

from January 5 -- their last before the Champions Trophy hosted by Pakistan.

Jacobs was only included in the T20 squad.

"It's obviously an exciting time for Bevon and his family," said selector Sam Wells.

"He's a promising player with

a lot of talent and we're looking forward to exposing him to international cricket.

"He's clearly got a lot of power with the bat, but he's also shown in the longer formats that he has a decent technique and temperament."

Rachin Ravindra, Daryl Mitchell and Matt Henry all return to the white-ball squads after missing last month's trip to Sri Lanka to prepare for the just-finished England Test series.

Henry leads a youthful pace attack which includes Zac Foulkes, Will O'Rourke, Jacob Duffy and all-rounder Nathan Smith.

## Mancini admits regrets over leaving Italy for Saudi Arabia

AFP | Rome

Italy's Euro 2020 winning coach Roberto Mancini admitted Sunday that he had regrets over leaving the Italian national team to take control of Saudi Arabia.

Mancini left the Azzurri in August 2023 to take over as coach of the Saudis, but was fired from his role in October following a run of poor results during his 14-month stint in charge.

"If I could go back, I wouldn't take the decision to leave the Nazionale (Italian national team) again, because coaching this national team is the most beautiful thing," Mancini told public broadcaster Rai.

"Maybe the President of the Italian FA (Gabriele Gravina) and I didn't understand each other, maybe we were just going through a difficult period, maybe things could have turned out differently, but I have nothing against him."

After surprisingly resigning from the top job with Italy, the 60-year-old penned a deal worth a reported \$25 million a year with Saudi Arabia, which would run through to 2027.



Saudi Arabia's Italian coach Roberto Mancini looks on during the 2026 FIFA World Cup Asian qualification football match between Saudi Arabia and Japan

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But after just seven victories in 18 matches, the Saudi

federation decided to let go of the ex-Manchester City manager.

"My career speaks for itself," Mancini said, adding that he did not join the Gulf kingdom side for money.

Rumours currently link Mancini with the Roma job at the end of the current season.

However, the former Italy international insisted that he was "not in contact with anyone", before adding "but something will happen, it's only a matter of time".





# Arsenal's Saka out for 'many weeks' with hamstring injury

● **Saka injured his hamstring against Crystal Palace**

● **Raheem Sterling also injured, out for several weeks**

● **Arteta to rethink team strategy, may not sign replacement**

TDT | Manama

**B**ukayo Saka will be sidelined for "many weeks" after suffering a hamstring injury in Arsenal's 5-1 win at Crystal Palace, with manager Mikel Arteta describing his loss

Bukayo Saka

as a "huge" blow.

The England winger went down midway through the first half at Selhurst Park on Saturday and had to be replaced by Leandro Trossard.

"It is not looking good. He will be out for many weeks," Arteta said at a press conference yesterday, adding he could not be more specific.

The Spaniard said the loss of the 23-year-old, who has nine goals and 13 assists in all competitions this season, would force him into a rethink.

"Obviously he's a big player for us," he said. "You just have to see the impact that he has on the team, but it's going to be a really good exercise for all of us to think about ways to overcome another challenge, because we've already had a lot in the season."

Arteta said Saka was "gutted" and "really emotional" after discovering the extent of his injury.

He also revealed that fellow winger Raheem Sterling had

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injured his knee and would be out for a number of weeks.

"We have to look internally at what we have and be creative," said the Gunners boss, adding that he did not know if the club would sign a winger in the January transfer window.

Saka was filmed leaving Selhurst Park on crutches, souring what had been a comprehensive second win over the Palace in four days.

Arteta, whose third-placed

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Arteta revealed that Saka and Declan Rice have played over 130 games in two seasons, suggesting this heavy workload contributed to Saka's injury

that can take you out for a year. It's how you react to that, how you overcome that situation."

Arteta said he was "putting some ideas together" about how to cope in the winger's absence.

"We went through the period (this season without) Martin (Odegaard), we went through the period with five, six defenders missing, we went through the period without many other players," he said.

"We will continue to do that -- finding ways and taking it with positive energy."

Asked if the congested fixture schedule had played a part in Saka's injury, Arteta said the issue was more to do with consistently high workloads over many seasons.

"For example, Bukayo and Declan (Rice), they played over 130 games in two seasons," he said. "So what's going to happen in the second one, the third one or the fourth one, if that continues the same way? Probably it's unsustainable."

## Maresca 'absolutely happy' as title-chasing Chelsea drop points in Everton draw

AFP | London

**C**helsea manager Enzo Maresca insisted he was "absolutely happy" despite his side losing ground in the Premier League title race following a goalless draw away to Everton on Sunday.

The Blues could have leapfrogged Liverpool into top spot with victory at Goodison Park before the leaders kicked off at Tottenham Hotspur later in the day.

But instead Chelsea saw their eight-match winning run end as they failed to score for the first time since October.

And with Liverpool winning 6-3 in an extraordinary encounter in north London, it meant Chelsea ended the day in second place -- four points behind the Reds and having played a game more than the table-toppers.

Maresca -- speaking before Liverpool's victory was confirmed -- said: "I am absolutely happy. I just said to the players I am more happy today than I was



Chelsea's Italian head coach Enzo Maresca (L) speaks with Chelsea's Spanish goalkeeper #01 Robert Sanchez

after the Brentford game (which they won 2-1 last weekend).

"The reason why was I was quite worried about this game: tricky game, tricky stadium, tricky team."

He added: "Defensively they are top, they are one of the five best teams in Europe in terms of clean sheets so you struggle

to create chances against them.

"It was not an easy game and you have to learn how to play different games. Football is not only just how good you play on the ball, it is how you defend and how you deal with that."

This was Everton's first match since the Friedkin Group (TFG) completed their takeover of the

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Liverpool club, with new executive chairman Marc Watts among the Goodison crowd on Sunday.

This was struggling Everton's second successive goalless draw following last week's 0-0 at Arsenal but Toffees boss Sean Dyche, out of contract at the end of the season, knows it is wins alone that will impress the club's US-based owners.

## Salah happy wherever career ends after inspiring Liverpool rout

AFP | London

**M**ohamed Salah dropped another hint that his future could lie away from Liverpool as the Egypt star said he would be happy "wherever I am going to end my career" after starring in Sunday's 6-3 demolition of Tottenham.

Salah scored twice and provided two assists in the goal-spree in north London as Liverpool moved four points clear at the top of the Premier League.

The 32-year-old is the first Premier League player to bag at least 10 goals and 10 assists before Christmas, while his brace also took him into fourth place on Liverpool's all-time list of scorers with 229 in all competitions.

Salah's immense value to Arne Slot's team is clear, but Liverpool have been unable to persuade the forward to sign a new contract as speculation mounts about his future.

With Salah's current deal expiring at the end of this season, he will be free to sign a pre-contract agreement with a foreign club from January.

Having already made several comments earlier this season about this



potentially being his last campaign with Liverpool, Salah once again made a cryptic reference to his future.

"It's great to achieve that at such a big club, but the most important thing is that we won the game. Wherever I am going to end my career I am happy about it," Salah told Sky Sports.

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"no update" on his contract situation, but Slot will surely be desperate to extend his talisman's seven-year stay on Merseyside after he took his goal tally to 18 in all competitions this term.

With Salah to the fore, Liverpool have won 21 of their 25 games in all competitions since Slot replaced Jurgen Klopp as manager.

## FIFA adapts transfer rules after Diarra case

AFP | London

**F**IFA announced Monday it had adopted an "interim regulatory framework" regarding player transfers after a ruling earlier this year by the European Court of Justice (ECJ) in a case brought by Lassana Diarra.

The decision comes just over a week before the transfer market reopens in January and follows "close consultation with key stakeholders", world football's governing body said in statement.

The changes relate to article 17 of FIFA's regulations governing the status and transfer of players.

"The framework... addresses the rules about compensation for breach of contract, joint and several liability, inducement for breach of contract, International Transfer Certificates and proceedings before the Football Tribunal," FIFA said.

The objective is to provide "clarity and stability ahead of



Lassana Diarra

upcoming registration periods and upholding globally uniform rules", it added.

The European Union's top court, the ECJ, in October said that certain FIFA rules regarding transfers were contrary to the bloc's laws on freedom of movement, as it found in favour of former France midfielder Diarra.

The Diarra case goes back 10 years.

In August 2014, Lokomotiv Moscow terminated Diarra's contract citing contractual breaches by the player. The Russian club also sought 20 million euros (\$22 mn) compensation from Diarra, now aged 39.

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# Bahrain stun Saudi 3-2 in Khaleeji 26 opener



Action from the match

## Abduljabbar, Humaidan, and Marhoon scored for Bahrain

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The Bahrain national football team achieved a thrilling

3-2 victory over Saudi Arabia in the opening round of Group B in Gulf Cup 26, currently underway in Kuwait at Jaber Al Ahmed International Stadium in Kuwait City.

According to the Kuwait News Agency (KUNA), Mahdi Abduljabbar opened the scoring for Bahrain in the 19th minute after a corner kick by Mahdi

Humaidan, who added Bahrain's second goal in the 38th minute.

In the second half, Saudi Arabia scored their first goal in the 73rd minute through Musab Al Juwayr. Bahrain then extended their lead in the 76th minute with a goal by Mohamed Marhoon.

Saudi Arabia managed to

reduce the deficit in the 84th minute with a penalty scored by Saleh Al Shehri following a handball by Bahraini defender Amine Benadi.

Despite Saudi Arabia's attempts to equalise, Bahraini goalkeeper Ebrahim Lutfulla and the team's defence stood firm, securing Bahrain's thrilling win.

**Bahrain's Mahdi Humaidan provided the assist for the first goal and then scored the second goal himself in the first half against Saudi Arabia**

In another match, defending champions Iraq defeated Yemen 1-0, with Ayman Hussein scoring in the 64th minute with a brilliant header from a cross by Amjad Attwan.

Bahrain will face Iraq in the second round of the tournament next Wednesday at 8:30 pm, while Saudi Arabia will meet Yemen on the same day.

## India medical team rules out Shami for Australia Tests

AFP | Sydney

Cricket powerhouse India suffered a blow yesterday when a medical team ruled out pacer Mohammed Shami's participation in the final two matches of the ongoing five-match series against hosts Australia.

Shami has missed the first three matches of the series -- locked at 1-1 -- but was expected to join the Indian pace spearhead Jasprit Bumrah for the Boxing Day Test.

The right-arm pacer has been on a road to recovery and has played a few domestic matches since his right heel surgery, which kept him away from international cricket for months.

"However, his left knee has exhibited minor swelling due



Mohammed Shami appeals for a dismissal (file photo)

to increased joint loading from his bowling workload," Devajit Saikia of the Board for Control of Cricket in India (BCCI) said in a statement yesterday.

Both Indian fans and critics expected Shami to join Bumrah, rated as one of the best fast bowlers of this generation, for the final two games.

Bumrah has stood out for his match-turning performances in Australia but critics have argued that he has lacked support from the other end in Shami's absence.

"Based on the current medical assessment, the BCCI Medical Team has determined that his (Shami's) knee requires more time for controlled exposure to bowling loads," Saikia added.

"Consequently, he has not been deemed fit for consideration for the remaining two Tests of the Border-Gavaskar Trophy."

Earlier, India's ace off spinner-all rounder Ravichandran Ashwin announced a sudden retirement after the third game.

With series on the line, Australia have added teenage opener Sam Konstas to the squad for the first time.

## 'Incredible' Liverpool must stay focused: Slot



Liverpool's Dutch manager Arne Slot (R) shakes hands with Tottenham Hotspur's Greek-Australian Head Coach Ange Postecoglou (L)

AFP | London

Arne Slot urged "incredible" Liverpool not to step off the gas after the Premier League leaders thrashed Tottenham 6-3 to move four points clear at the top of the table.

Slot claimed Liverpool's goal-spree in north London on Sunday ranked as their best away performance since he arrived from Feyenoord to replace Jurgen Klopp in the close-season.

Mohamed Salah was the catalyst with two goals and two assists, while Luis Diaz also bagged a brace alongside strikes from Alexis Mac Allister and Dominik Szoboszlai.

Slot's side have won 21 of their 25 games in all competitions this term, a remarkable run that leaves them in pole position to win the title for the first time since 2020, while also competing for the Champions League, FA Cup and League Cup.

But despite their blistering form, Liverpool's concession

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ARNE SLOT

of two late goals to Dejan Kulusevski and Dominic Solanke was frustrating to Slot, who called on his team to stay focused until the end of every game.

"It was very good. Maybe it was our best performance away from home, although I really like what I saw from Man United as well," Slot said in reference to the 3-0 win at Old Trafford in September.

"Until the 60th to 65th minute, I really enjoyed what I saw. Of course we were caught one time in bringing the ball out from the back and it immediately led to a goal for Tottenham.

## Van Dijk says 'no deadline' on deciding Liverpool future

AFP | London

Virgil van Dijk says there is "no deadline" regarding his contract situation as the clock ticks down to the end of his Liverpool deal.

The Netherlands international's current contract expires at the end of the season and from January 1 he will be able to negotiate with overseas clubs.

However, it is understood the 33-year-old's preference is to stay at Anfield.

"There is no deadline at all. We will see what the future brings. Is there an update? No," he told reporters.

Van Dijk is one of three key players whose deals are entering their final six months, with Trent Alexander-Arnold and Mohamed Salah the others.



Virgil van Dijk in action during a match

Salah moved fourth on Liverpool's all-time list of scorers, to 229 goals, after his two strikes in their 6-3 hammering of Tottenham on Sunday.

The Egypt international has 18 goals so far this season, including 15 in the Premier League, and also has 15 assists. Salah scored 44 goals in all

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VIRGIL VAN DIJK

competitions during his debut season for Liverpool in 2017/18.

Van Dijk hopes the 32-year-old forward can go on to have his best campaign for the club, who are four points clear at the top of the Premier League.

"The numbers speak for themselves," he said.

"He's a very special athlete. He's done amazingly for the club and hopefully he can play his best season ever for the club, stay important with his goals and assists and be clinical.