

**OMAN TAKES PART IN ARAB  
FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING**

**DOHA:** The Sultanate took part in the consultative meeting of the Arab foreign ministers, which was held in Doha on Tuesday. Oman was represented in the meeting by Mohammed Nasser Al Wahaibi, Undersecretary of the Foreign Ministry for Administrative and Financial Affairs. — **ONA**



**OMAN AND IRAN REVIEW BILATERAL RELATIONS**



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# GIVING JOBS TO OMANIS A TOP PRIORITY

His Majesty, at a meeting of the Council of Ministers, hailed efforts unveiled recently to provide employment for job seekers

**MUSCAT:** His Majesty Sultan Haitham Bin Tarik presided over a meeting of the Council of Ministers at the Cabinet's premises in Muscat on Tuesday.

At the outset of the meeting, His Majesty the Sultan gave thanks and praise to the Almighty Allah for the bounties He has bestowed on Oman and its noble people.

He prayed that these bounties be eternalised for all people in Oman and that the coronavirus pandemic be lifted from all humanity.

Then, His Majesty the Sultan reviewed local and regional conditions. He said that the issue of employment of Omani job seekers tops the government's priorities, and he underscored the sig-

nificance of exerting maximum efforts to help the unemployed find jobs or professions across different sectors.

In this context, His Majesty the Sultan laid emphasis on the integration of efforts of state departments, exhorting them to cooperate towards realising concrete results and enabling youth to contribute to the march of development and nation building.

His Majesty the Sultan commended the package of initiatives unveiled recently to provide employment opportunities for job seekers.

His Majesty the Sultan blessed the launch of the National Employment Programme (NEP), which stems from Oman Vision 2040, as

it is accorded continuous attention.

The NEP targets the development of sustainable solutions for the issue of employment in all of state sectors (civil, military and security), as well as private sector companies.

The NEP analyses job seekers data on a regular basis till they join the labour market. It also seeks other options to fill the gap of knowledge and skills needed by the labour market so that the unemployed immediately get jobs when they are available.

The NEP is carried out in accordance with a specific executive plan and timeframe linked to performance indicators that are monitored on a regular basis to ensure the attainment of the desired goals.

His Majesty the Sultan gave directives to the departments concerned to empower the National Employment Programme and provide all means of support to the NEP so that it could achieve its objectives.

With the context of His Majesty's Royal attention to develop education, upgrade the quality of school education and adapt its outcomes to labour market needs in accordance with Oman Vision 2040, His Majesty the Sultan underlined the importance of accelerating procedures necessary for analysing the requirements of technical and vocational education for the post-basic education stage to fit labour market needs.

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**TOP THREE INSIDE STORIES**

## OMAN Over 100 COVID-19 deaths in six days

**1** Oman has recorded more than 100 deaths from COVID-19 in the past six days alone. > **A3**

## WORLD India reports 60,471 new COVID-19 cases

**2** India reported 60,471 new COVID-19 cases while the daily positivity rate dropped to 3.45 per cent. > **A6**

## MARKET Treasury bills worth OMR218.4mn issued

**3** Oman's central bank raised OMR218.4 million by way of allotting treasury bills on Tuesday. > **B1**





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# Meeting Omanisation targets to help firms save on expat visa fees

The decision to raise fees does not affect the companies that meet Omanisation targets, as they will receive discounts based on the percentage of nationals employed by them

*Times News Service*

**MUSCAT:** The recent increase in expat hiring fees will not significantly affect companies that have the right Omanisation rates, the Minister of Labour has said.

“The aim of the ministry’s decisions is to empower job seekers in the labour market, and the Ministry of Labour does not aim to change labour policies in the market in a way that harms investors and business owners,” said Dr Mahad bin Said bin Ali Al Ba’owain, the Minister of Labour, in a meeting with the Oman Chamber of Commerce and Industry (OCCI).

He added that the ministry pays attention to the stability of the labour market, and the decision to raise fees does not affect the companies that meet Omanisation targets, as they will receive discounts based on the percentage of nationals employed by them.

“The ministry is also ready to discuss any challenges facing these companies in obtaining Omani job seekers, in case the required type of worker is not available to them,” added Ba’owain.

“This will be done through a database that the ministry is developing. In the event of non-availability of the right worker, these companies can be allowed to bring in expatriate employees.”

The minister’s comments came after the OCCI had recommended a review of the expatriate hiring fee structure, which was set up for foreign workers taking up jobs at senior management level, with a technical specialisation, or across a number of other roles, including farmers and domestic workers.

“The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the national economy is not hidden,” said Redha Al Saleh, OCCI chairman.

“There has been a decline in GDP by 15 per cent in 2020 compared to 2019, in addition to the impact on small and medium enterprises. The activities of many businesses were required to close due to losses incurred, and many nationals working in the private sector lost their jobs, which led to an increase in the number of job seekers, affecting the growth of the national economy, and our stability.”

A number of senior officials were present at this meeting, including Dr Said bin Mohammed Al Saqri, the Minister of Economy, Qais bin Mohammed Al Yousef, the Minister of Commerce, Industry, and Investment Promotion, and Dr Mahad bin Said Ba’owain, the Minister of Labour.

Also present were Nasr bin Amer Al Hosani, the Undersecretary of Labour at the Ministry of Labour, and Dr Saleh bin Saeed Masan, the Undersecretary for Commerce and Industry at the MOCIIP.

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## HOLIDAY PACKAGES

# Oman Air, WebBeds join hands

*Times News Service*

**MUSCAT:** Oman Air Holidays on Tuesday announced that it has partnered with WebBeds (a division of Webjet Limited) to enhance its digital booking experience and provide greater choice, flexibility and convenience to guests in search of innovative custom holiday packages in Oman.

WebBeds' global distribution network will be available to Oman Air Holidays as well as its outstations in international markets through seamless platform-to-platform API connectivity providing access to WebBeds' extensive inventory of accommodation and other services including tailor-made travel arrangements, transfers and guided excursions.

Mundher Al Shaikhani, Senior Manager at Oman Air Holidays, explained how the partnership with WebBeds brings booking versatility, expediency and reliability to travellers around the world in search of custom stays and experiences in Oman.

“Oman has captured the world’s imagination as a unique bucket-list destination in the Middle East and demand for a wide range of accommodation across the country has increased significantly in recent years. Our partnership with WebBeds boosts the inventory of rooms and services available to customers of Oman Air Holidays and allows us to provide real-time pricing and availability when creating our fly-and-stay itineraries and tailored packages.”



EFFORTS TO TACKLE COVID-19 COMMENDED



# His Majesty chairs Council of Ministers meeting

**< FROM A1** His Majesty the Sultan stressed the importance of devising a comprehensive plan to realise this objective and determine the expertise and human resources required to achieve it.

His Majesty the Sultan pointed out that the next stage requires the collaboration of efforts of all state institutions towards rendering top quality services and eliminating any obstacles that might impede the march of comprehensive development.

This involves the formulation of a new, efficient mechanism of action to ensure the smooth operation of all sectors, to refine and accelerate output, His Majesty said.

His Majesty the Sultan also commended the efforts made to tackle coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. He thanked all health workers and expressed his appreciation for their valuable contribution to curb the pandemic.

His Majesty the Sultan also stressed the significance of pressing ahead with the national immunisation campaign and the importance of raising the awareness of citizens and residents about commitment to adhere to measures set by the departments concerned in this respect.

Speaking about regional issues, His Majesty the Sultan laid emphasis on the continuation of the GCC economic cooperation programmes.

He also reaffirmed the Sultanate's permanent stands and principles advocating rapprochement among countries to achieve security and establish stability for all.

His Majesty also spoke about other issues of concern to citizens and the country.

At the conclusion, His Majesty the Sultan wished success for all. — ONA



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## MEETING

## Oman and Iran review bilateral ties

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The Omani side was headed by Sheikh Khalifa Ali Al Harthy, Under Secretary for Diplomatic Affairs in the Foreign Ministry whilst the Iranian side was chaired by Ali Asghar Khaji, Senior Adviser to the Iranian Foreign Minister.

The talks reviewed aspects of cooperation between the two friendly countries and stressed keenness on enhancing them on different areas.

The two sides also exchanged views on a range of regional and international issues of common concern. The session was attended by Ali Najafi, Ambassador of Iran to the Sultanate and a number of officials from the Foreign Ministry. — **ONA**



## SENIOR ADVISOR RECEIVED

Sayyid Badr bin Hamad Al Busaidi, Foreign Minister received, yesterday, Ali Asghar Khaji, Senior Advisor to the Iranian Foreign Minister for Special Political Affairs. **ONA**



## SPAR MADINAT QABOOS

## Sri Lankan products expo in Oman reports record sale

Times News Service

**MUSCAT:** Three-quarters of the Sri Lankan goods that were exported recently to SPAR Oman under the initiative by the Sri Lankan Embassy in Oman, have been sold after just 15 days highlighting the demand and success of this initiative.

"SPAR Oman has recently added 78 Sri Lankan SKUs to the assortment of 24 of its neighbourhood stores in the capital, Muscat," SPAR International, said in a statement.

"Since COVID-19 regulations have curtailed travel opportunities, SPAR customers in Oman, comprising local and international residents, have welcomed the expanded international range," the statement added.

Over the past years, SPAR Oman has regularly purchased fresh fruit and vegetables from Sri Lanka, which have proven popular among shoppers. Based on this success, the company decided to expand the range with more processed groceries.

An invitation to participate in a business conference hosted by His Excellency Omar Lebbe Ameer Ajwad, the Honourable Ambassador of Sri Lanka to Oman, presented an opportunity to interact with Sri Lankan companies.



This event fostered closer collaboration between SPAR Oman and the SPAR operator in Sri Lanka, Ceylon Biscuits Limited, resulting in SPAR Oman placing a product order worth US\$10,000.

The launch was celebrated at an event at SPAR Madinat Qaboos, hosted by the Honourable Ambassador and SPAR Oman CEO Sridhar Moosapeta on 11 May.

After just 15 days, three-quarters of the goods have been sold,

highlighting the demand and success of this initiative.

The embassy jointly with the EDB recently initiated export of Sri Lankan food products to SPAR Supermarkets chain in Oman under the Economic Diplomacy programme of the Foreign Ministry and Ambassador Ameer Ajwad together with SPAR Oman CEO Sridhar Moosapeta had recently opened an exclusive stall for Sri Lankan products at MSQ SPAR outlet in Muscat.

## VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

## Oman attends FAO conference

**MUSCAT:** The Sultanate on Tuesday took part in the 42nd session of the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) virtual conference, being held from Monday until Friday (June 14-18).

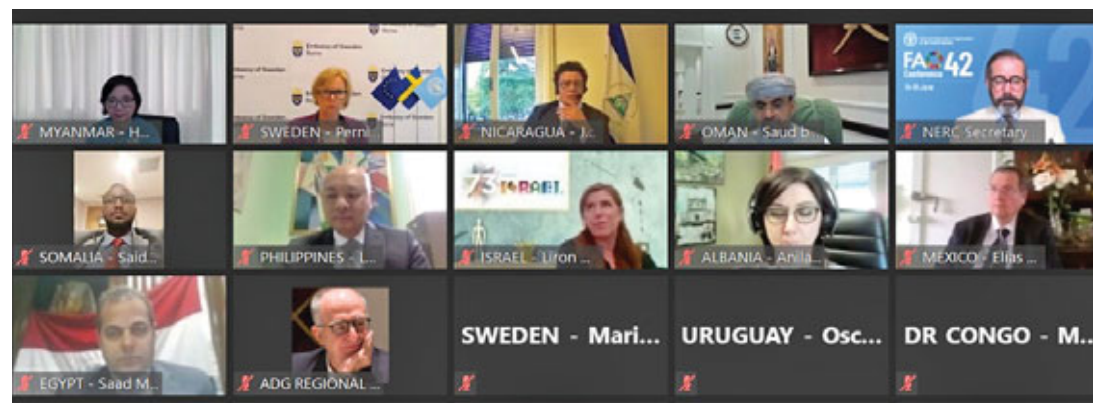
Dr Saud Hamood Al Habsi, Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Water Resources chaired the Sultanate's delegation.

During the conference, Dr. Saud previewed the crucial role of sus-

tainable agricultural and food systems, and utilising innovation to combat hunger and climate change.

The conference discusses the state of food and agriculture: 'Agriculture Food Systems Transformation: from Strategy to Action'.

It also touches on other subjective, managerial, legal and financial matters.

— **ONA**

## IN WILAYAT OF MUTTRAH



## One injured in tanker collision

**MUSCAT:** One person was injured due to collision of a tanker transporting bitumen with a heavy equipment vehicle in the Wilayat of Muttrah.

"The authority's teams in Muscat Governorate responded to a report of petroleum substance leakage as a result of a collision of a tanker transporting bitumen and heavy equipment in the Wilayat of Muttrah. The teams were able to contain the leakage," a statement issued online by the Civil Defence and Ambulance Authority (CDAA), said. "The accident resulted in a moderate injury to one person, he was transferred to the hospital for treatment," the statement further added.

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## DECLINING CASES

## With 60,471 COVID cases, India sees lowest spike in 75 days

**NEW DELHI:** India reported 60,471 new COVID-19 cases, the lowest count after 75 days, while the daily positivity rate further dropped to 3.45 per cent, according to the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. The daily positivity rate is below 5 per cent for 8 consecutive days. The active cases further declined to 913,378, taking the weekly positivity rate at 4.39 per cent, while the national COV-



ID-19 recovery rate has improved to 95.64 per cent. With the fresh cases, the country's tally of cases has climbed to 29,570,881, as per Union Health Ministry.

The COVID-19 death toll climbed to 377,031 with 2,726 fresh fatalities in the last 24 hours. The recoveries continue to outnumber daily new cases for the 33rd consecutive day. India witnessed 117,525 recoveries in the

last 24 hours, taking the recovery tally to 28,280,472.

According to the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), a total of 381,375,984 samples were tested for COVID-19, up to June 14 out of these, 1,751,358 samples were tested yesterday. The Union Health Ministry has informed that 259,044,072 vaccine doses have been administered so far under the nationwide vaccination drive. **ANI**

# Japan's lower house votes down no-confidence motion against PM Suga's Cabinet

The motion was filed after the ruling coalition turned down the opposition camp's request to end the current parliamentary session



**TOKYO:** Japan's lower house of parliament on Tuesday voted down a no-confidence motion against Japanese Prime Minister Yoshihide Suga's Cabinet jointly filed by the main opposition Constitutional Democratic Party of Japan (CDPJ) and three other opposition parties.

The motion was filed after the ruling coalition turned down the opposition camp's request for the end of the current parliamentary session, scheduled to end on Wednesday, to be pushed back by

three months to allow for more debate on matters related to the COVID-19 pandemic and the Tokyo Olympics. The request for the extension came as the CDPJ and other opposition parties have been critical of the government's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, believing that its efforts to curb the spread of the virus have been inadequate, particularly the slow pace of its vaccination campaign.

They have also taken issue with Suga's pledge that holding the Olympics this summer in Tokyo from July 23 will be "safe and secure" as the COVID-19 pandemic

has yet to be brought under control.

The parties believe more time is needed in the parliament to debate these highly pressing topics.

CDPJ leader Yukio Edano has accused Suga of being an unfit leader for not allowing the current parliament session to be extended during a national crisis.

Edano lambasted the Japanese leader for "stopping the highest institution of the state from functioning for an extended period during the worst crisis since the end of the (Second World) War."

"On that point alone, he is unfit to be a leader during an emer-

gency," Edano said before the vote on the no-confidence motion was held in a lower house plenary session in the afternoon.

Including the three other parties - the Japanese Communist Party, the Democratic Party for the People and the Social Democratic Party - jointly filing the motion, the opposition camp is also concerned the capital is currently under the third COVID-19 state of emergency, along with nine other prefectures, due to the spread of the virus and its highly contagious variants, as the entire nation continues to grapple with the fourth wave of infections. Suga has said that bringing the COVID-19 situation under control remained his top priority but he could dissolve the lower house of parliament and call a snap election at any time.

The general election must be held before the current four-year term of lower house members ends on October 21.

Ruling Liberal Democratic Party Secretary-General Toshihiro Nikai said, however, he did not think Suga would dissolve the lower house and call a snap election during the current parliamentary session. **ANI**



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## RESTRICTIONS EXTENDED

## Boris Johnson extends lockdown restrictions in UK till July 19

**LONDON:** British Prime Minister Boris Johnson on Monday extended COVID-19 restrictions in England till July 19, which were earlier scheduled to be lifted on June 21, saying there was concern about the spread of Delta variant.

"We are so concerned by the Delta variant that is now spreading faster than the third wave that was predicted in the February roadmap. We are seeing cases growing by about 64 per cent per week and in the worst affected areas, it is doubling every week and the average number of people being admitted in a hospital has increased by 50 per cent week-on-week and by 61 per cent in the northwest which may be the shape of things to come," Johnson told reporters at 10 Downing Street. "I think it is sensible to wait just a little longer. By Monday, July 19, we will aim to have double jabbed around two-thirds of the adult population, including everyone over 50, all the vulnerable, frontline, health and care workers and everyone over 40 who received their first dose in mid-May," the British PM added.



Johnson said vaccination greatly reduces transmission and two doses provide high degree of protection against serious illness and deaths.

"Let's be clear, we cannot simply eliminate COVID. We must learn to live with it. And with every day that goes by, we are better protected by the vaccines and we are better able to live with this disease. Vaccination greatly reduces transmission and two doses is provide a very high degree of protection against serious illness and deaths," he said.

He also said that the link between hospitalisations and infections has weakened but not severed, adding that admissions in ICU wards were on a rise due to the Delta variant. **ANI**



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TRADE WARS

# Biden seeks EU leaders support as lingering trade tensions simmer



**WASHINGTON:** US President Joe Biden was seeking support in Brussels on Tuesday as he meets European Union leaders ahead of a meeting with Russian President Vladimir Putin.

European leaders are eager for a truce in trade wars that began under the Donald Trump administration, as well as a 17-year-long aircraft subsidy dispute.

**What is likely to be discussed?**

Biden is set to meet European Council President Charles Michel, who represents EU member states, and European Commission President Ursula von der Leyen.

The US president has been keen to marshal European support for his efforts to counter Russia ahead of his Wednesday meeting with Putin in Geneva.

Both the US and Russian leaders have described relations between their countries as being at their lowest point in years.

European officials are keen to set up a "high-level dialogue" with the US about Russia, to counter what they claim is Moscow's authoritarianism and anti-Western sentiment.

The EU-US meeting is expected to include a communique that will address concerns about China's perceived provocative behavior.

The document would follow a NATO summit communique that declared China a constant security challenge, saying that the Chinese were working to undermine the global rules-based order.

**An end to niggling trade disputes?**

European leaders are impatient that Biden as president has not yet addressed Trump's 2018 decision to impose import taxes on foreign steel and aluminum.

As the meeting went ahead, there was an interim solution to a longstanding dispute over the fairness of government subsidies that each side provides for its aircraft manufacturing giants — Boeing in the US and the EU's Airbus. The 17-year dispute has seen tariffs imposed by both sides.

US Trade Representative Katherine Tai said a deal had been reached to suspend import duties for 5 years. She said the levies could be re-implemented if US companies were not able to "compete fairly" with those in Europe.

Biden began his day with a meeting with Belgian King Philippe and Belgian Prime Minister Alexander De Croo. **bw**

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT

# Duterte will not cooperate with ICC 'war on drugs' probe

**MANILA:** Philippine President Rodrigo Duterte will not comply with an independent probe led by the International Criminal Court (ICC) into his administration's controversial efforts to crack down on illegal drugs between 2016 and 2019, his spokesman said.

Tens of thousands of people have allegedly been killed as part of the campaign.

Presidential spokesman Harry Roque called the ICC decision to launch a full-scale investigation into the killings "legally erroneous and politically motivated."

**What is the latest?**

ICC chief prosecutor Fataou Bensouda, who steps down on Tuesday after completing her nine-year term, said she had a reasonable basis to believe that "the crime against humanity of murder has been committed" between July 1, 2016 and March 16, 2019.

She also said that information gathered in an initial probe "indicates that members of the Philippine National Police, and others acting in concert with them, have unlawfully killed several thousand and tens of thousands of civilians during that time."

The preliminary probe was conducted in February 2018. Now, Bensouda is seeking authorization for a full-scale investigation from the tribunal. **bw**



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MINISTRY OF CULTURE, SPORTS and YOUTH, Muscat, hereby give notice of tenders for the following projects

| Tendr. No. | Project Category   | Location                                                                                                                                                                    | Fees     | Grade In Tender Board Registration |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------|
| 7/2021     | Consulting Offices | Consultancy service to make entire study on existing chillers & air handling units and replacing with latest Technological units at Sultan Qaboos Sports Complex at Bausher | R.O 25/- | First Grade                        |

Companies, which are registered with the Tender Board and engaged in same category with experience in and same Grade as noted above, can obtain the Tender Documents at the Tender Board E-tendering digital portal link (<http://etendering.tenderboard.gov.om>) until 03/07/2021.

The last date of tender submission on above E-tendering site at 10:00am 26/07/2021

A Tender Bond equivalent to 1% of the tender sum issued from a registered bank, in the prescribed form, in Sultanate of Oman and valid for 90 days should enclosed with the tender.

Any tender without the bond will be reject and the tender committee is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender received.

INTERNAL TENDER COMMITTEE OF MINISTRY OF CULTURE, SPORTS and YOUTH

Any participants have doubt in adopting e-tendering can contact over the phone 24166670 or through email [etenderhd@ita.gov.om](mailto:etenderhd@ita.gov.om)



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|--------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| INFINITI Q70 | MY09 - MY15    | BM200050 - FM260003 | 23             |

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| Model        | Concern Background                                                                                                                                         | Field Action                                      |
|--------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
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# Spain held to goalless draw by Sweden

Dani Olmo produced Sweden's first real test, as his glanced effort from a precise Koke cross was saved by a superb reaction from Robin Olsen



**EURO CUP:** Sweden will next lock horns with Slovakia while Spain will face Poland on Saturday.

**SEVILLE:** Sweden held Spain to a goalless draw on Monday with both teams settling for just one point in the ongoing Euro Cup.

Dani Olmo produced Sweden's first real test, as his glanced effort from a precise Koke cross was saved by a superb reaction from Robin Olsen. Koke himself then twice went close to his first international goal, spearing off target on both occasions, before Alvaro Morata dragged wide the best

chance of the opening half. Despite Spain's dominance, there were intermittent threats at the other end, particularly when Marcos Llorente diverted an Alexander Isak shot onto a post and into goalkeeper Unai Simon's arms. As Luis Enrique (Spain's manager) introduced attacking reinforcements seeking a spark be-

fore the final minutes of the play, Janne Andersson's men clung on to avoid any late drama and share the spoil. In the match, Pedri became Spain's youngest ever Euro appearance-maker. Sweden will next lock horns with Slovakia while Spain will face Poland on Saturday.

Earlier, Patrik Schick scored a brace as the Czech Republic defeated Scotland 2-0 in the Group D encounter. The Czech Republic gained full three points from the match against Scotland and they will next lock horns against Croatia on June 18 while Scotland will take on England on the same day. **ANI**

# Christian Eriksen feeling 'fine' in hospital, thanks fans for messages

**COPENHAGEN:** Danish midfielder Christian Eriksen, who collapsed on the pitch during their Euro Cup match on Saturday, is feeling fine in hospital. The Euro Cup match between Denmark and Finland had to be stopped in the closing minutes of the first half as Eriksen collapsed on the pitch and he had to be taken off due to a medical emergency. Eriksen on Tuesday thanked everyone for greetings and messages and revealed that he still has to go through some examinations at hospital. "Hello everyone, Big thanks for your sweet and amazing greetings and messages from all around the world. It means a lot to me and my family," Eriksen said in a statement issued by Danish Football Association. "I'm fine -- under the circumstances. I still have to go through some examinations at the hospital, but I feel okay. Now, I will cheer on the boys on the Denmark team in the next matches," he added. Eriksen's teammates had formed a ring around him as he



was being attended by doctors on the field. The midfielder was carried off in a stretcher before being admitted to the hospital. Following the request made by players of both teams, UEFA agreed to restart the match later in the evening with the Denmark midfielder in a stable condition in hospital. Finland defeated Denmark 1-0 in their tournament opener. Denmark will next play Belgium on Thursday. **ANI**

# Best-of-three final not realistic, says ICC interim CEO

**SOUTHAMPTON:** The International Cricket Council's (ICC) interim CEO, Geoff Allardice has said determining the winner of the World Test Championship (WTC) on the basis of a best-of-three contest isn't "realistic." India and New Zealand will lock horns in the WTC final, slated to begin on June 18 at the Ageas Bowl in Southampton. Earlier this month, India head coach Ravi Shastri floated an idea of making the WTC final a best-of-three contest to be played like a three-match series to decide the winner. However, Allardice said having three Test matches is a good idea but staging such an event isn't realistic. "In a perfect world a three-Test series would be a great way to



decide the World Test Championship," ESPNcricinfo quoted Allardice as saying. "But the reality (of) the international cricket schedule is we are just not going to have [a situation where] blocking out a month or so for all the teams in the tournament for the final is realistic. "That's why one-match final was decided upon. Why it is quite exciting is because it brings something new. Here we are -- we've got a one-off Test match to decide the best team in the world over this two-year cycle," he added. Allardice also highlighted that a draw between India and New Zealand will "certainly a valid result" in the WTC final. "One of the idiosyncrasies of

Test cricket is that the draw is a result. One of things while talking about the structure of the competition was to we didn't want to start the final with one team having to win and one team having to draw, so both teams start on Friday even," said Allardice. "They have five playing days to get a result. We have set aside a reserve day so that if time is lost during those five days it can be further made up on the reserve day. It isn't a six-day Test match. "And if after those five days the result is a draw, then the view was that the fitting result is that the Championship is shared. Whether we like it or not a draw is certainly a valid result in Test cricket," he added. The winners of the much-

awaited WTC final between India and New Zealand will take home a purse of USD 1.6 million along with the ICC Test Championship Mace. The losing team will get USD 800,000 for finishing second in the nine-team competition, which was played over a near two-year cycle, adding context to Test cricket and to crown the first official world champions in the longest format of the game. The prize money for the team finishing third in the ICC World Test Championship Standings is USD 450,000. The team fourth on the table will be awarded USD 350,000, the one that finishes fifth gets USD 200,000 while the remaining four teams will get USD 100,000 each. **ANI**



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# Messi free-kick not enough as Chile hold Argentina

**RIO DE JANEIRO:** Argentina and Chile shared the points as the teams played out 1-1 draw in Rio de Janeiro in the ongoing Copa America. Lionel Messi's wonderful free-kick had given Argentina a lead in the game Eduardo Vargas (57') scored an equaliser in the second half to ensure his side was still in the game. Argentina dominated Chile in the first half but still managed to net only one goal before the essay concluded. Vargas levelled the scoreboard after the break as Chile took a sigh of relief. The final 30 minutes saw Argentina again dominating the game however this time the side wasn't able to break Chile's defence. Argentina are now eleven games unbeaten against Chile in all competitions. Argentina will next face Uruguay while Chile takes on Bolivia on Friday. Earlier, Paraguay thrashed Bolivia 3-1. Erwin Saavedra had given Bolivia the lead from the penalty spot but a goal from Alejandro Romero Gamarra and two from Angel Romero helped Paraguay register the win. **ANI**

## OMAN CRUDE PRICE FALLS

The price of Oman oil has declined, with prices for delivery by August 2021 reaching \$71.92, said Dubai Mercantile Exchange (DME). The DME statement said that the price of Oman oil increased by 22 cents from the price of Monday, which was \$72.14. - **ONA**

# MARKET

## BUSINESS & FINANCE



## MSX INDEX ENDS HIGHER

The MSX index closed at 4,048.77 points, up 0.37 per cent from the previous close. The Sharia Index ended up 0.92 per cent at 575.45 points. Galfar Engineering, up 8.86 per cent, was the top gainer while Voltamp Energy, down 2.13 per cent, was the top loser.

### STATE BUDGET 2022

# Ministries join hands to draft budget estimate rules

**MUSCAT:** The Ministry of Finance and the Ministry of Economy jointly issued a circular on Rules for Drafting State Budget 2022 in a manner that fits with Oman Vision 2040 and programmes listed in the Strategic Programmes Ledger of the 10th Five Year Plan and initiatives of the Fiscal Balance Plan through which the government seeks to achieve financial sustainability and improve the business climate.

A new service has been initiated to allow for the preparation of government units' budget estimates electronically, using a link in the e-government transformation network. The aim is to streamline procedures related to dealing with ministries, govern-

ment departments and public authorities and establishments.

The circular requires all ministries and other government entities to prepare their (current, developmental) budget estimates in accordance with the model attached to the aforementioned electronic link and submit the same via the link, which will be made available to all parties, along with a username and password. Budget estimate projects have to be made in line with the rules stated in the circular.

### Electronic link

The circular urges all ministries and other government entities to present their respective budget estimates for 2022 on or before

July 29, 2021 and send them via an electronic link. A brief of the required budget allocation has to be approved by the Head of Unit and sent to the Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Economy.

The circular stressed the necessity of entering estimates for the required budget (revenues, expenditure), including options for situational budgets, additional budgets and new project operation budgets in a computerised design referred to as Unified Financial System by the deadline of July 29, 2021.

All of this data has to be compatible with estimates made for the budget project, as well as models prescribed by the Finance Ministry, said the circular. - **ONA**

# Treasury bills worth OMR218.4 million issued

The average accepted price reached 99.951 for every OMR100, and the minimum accepted price arrived at 99.950 per OMR100



OMR100. The average discount rate and the average yield reached 0.63686 per cent and 0.63718 per cent, respectively.

The interest rate on the Repo operations with CBO is 0.5 per cent while the discount rate on the Treasury Bills Discounting Facility with CBO is 0.75 per cent.

The treasury bills are short-term highly secured financial instruments issued by the Ministry of Finance, and they provide licensed commercial banks the opportunity to invest their surplus

funds. The Central Bank of Oman (CBO) acts as the Issue Manager and provides the added advantage of ready liquidity through discounting and repurchase facilities (Repo).

Furthermore, the treasury bills promote the local money market by creating a benchmark yield curve for short-term interest rates. Additionally, the government may also resort to this instrument whenever felt necessary for financing its recurrent expenditures. - **ONA**

### TECH GIANT

# Future Apple Watch models could feature body temperature, blood glucose sensors

**WASHINGTON:** Tech giant Apple is working on new Apple Watch models which could feature an improved screen and updated ultra-wideband support. But more substantial improvements like temperature and blood glucose monitoring will appear in later models.

As per The Verge, the company is also reportedly planning a successor to last year's more affordable Apple Watch SE, as well as a new extreme sports-focused model, due for release in 2022. The improvements coming to this year's watch model, which will almost certainly be called the Series 7, appear to be small. Its display bezels are said to be thinner, and a new lamination technique could reduce the distance between the display and the front cover.

The watch's ultra-wideband support could also be improved after getting its Apple wearable debut in last year's Series 6.

But the years ahead could bring more substantial improvements for Apple's wearable. Top of the list is a new blood glucose monitoring feature, which could automatically log blood sugar levels for diabetics without them need-



ing to prick a finger to draw blood.

There is also reportedly a new body temperature monitoring feature on the way, which has seen a surge in interest due to the pandemic. The temperature sensor could appear in the watch's 2022 refresh, while blood glucose monitoring is several years away.

It was previously reported that Apple was internally discussing releasing a rugged smartwatch aimed at extreme sports users.

This model internally referred to as an "explorer" or "adventure" edition, is unlikely to release this year, and could arrive in 2022. - **ANI**

## جامعة التكنولوجيا والعلوم التطبيقية University of Technology and Applied Sciences

### Local Tenders Announcement

| Tender Number | Tender Subject                                                                                                                                                  | Establishments eligible to bid and registered with the Tender Board | Document's Price | Place to purchase and submit tender documents                          | Last date for bid submission  |
|---------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 01/2021       | Providing plant care and gardening services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (the Higher College of Technology in Muscat)  | Excellent Grade                                                     | RO 25/-          | (Financial Affairs Department) at the Higher College of Technology     | Wednesday 30/06/2021 At 10 am |
| 02/2021       | Providing operation and maintenance services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (the Higher College of Technology in Muscat) |                                                                     | RO 25/-          |                                                                        |                               |
| 01/2021       | Providing cleaning services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (Al Musana College of Technology)                             | Excellent Grade                                                     | RO 25/-          | (Administrative Affairs Department) at Al Musana College of Technology | Wednesday 30/06/2021 At 10 am |
| 01/2021       | Providing cleaning services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (Nizwa College of Technology)                                 | First Grade                                                         | RO 25/-          | (Administrative Affairs Department) at Nizwa College of Technology     | Wednesday 30/06/2021 At 10 am |
| 02/2021       | Providing operation and maintenance services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (Nizwa College of Technology)                | Excellent Grade                                                     | RO 25/-          |                                                                        |                               |
| 01/2021       | Providing cleaning services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (Ibra College of Technology)                                  | -                                                                   | RO 25/-          | (Administrative Affairs Department) at Ibra College of Technology      | Wednesday 30/06/2021 At 10 am |
| 02/2021       | Providing operation and maintenance services to the buildings of the University of Technology and Applied Sciences (Ibra College of Technology)                 | Excellent Grade                                                     | RO 25/-          |                                                                        |                               |

- Establishments specialized in the above-mentioned works can obtain tender documents starting from Wednesday 16/06/2021.
- All bidding companies must attach with their bids a temporary tender bond in the form of a bank guarantee or a cheque certified by one of the banks operating in the Sultanate, not less than (1%) of the bid value, addressed to the name of the Chairman of the Internal Tender Committee, and valid for a period of (90) days from the date of bid submission. Any bid that does not meet the required temporary tender bond shall not be considered.
- Bids shall be submitted, signed and stamped on the form prepared for this purpose and on the accompanying category table, in closed envelopes sealed with red wax, addressed to the Chairman of the Internal Tender Committee at the University of Technology and Applied Sciences, bearing the tender number and subject with no indication to the name of the bidder.
- Bids must be placed in the sub-tender box in the department referred to above before 10 am of the day specified in the table above. Bids submitted after this date will not be considered, regardless of the reasons for the delay. Preference will be given to companies or institutions whose bids include the biggest Omanisation and biggest purchase percentage of national products.
- Preference in awarding will be given to small and medium enterprises registered with the Authority for SME development and whose bid includes the biggest percentage of Omanisation and a biggest purchase percentage of national products.

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# MARKET

SUSPEND TARIFFS

## US, EU end Boeing-Airbus long-running trade dispute

**BRUSSELS:** The United States and the European Union have resolved a long-running trade dispute over subsidies to Airbus and Boeing, CNN reported.

The move can improve transatlantic relations as both sides seek to counter China's rising economic influence.

CNN said US officials confirmed they struck a truce to end the dispute over government subsidies for the world's leading commercial plane makers during a summit in Brussels. The two sides agreed to suspend tariffs imposed as part of the trade battle for five years. -ANI



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| FINANCIAL INDEX   | 6,395.34 | 6,387.37 | 6,395.34 | 6,385.08    | 10.26 | 0.16  |
| Industry Index    | 5,777.80 | 5,770.79 | 5,777.80 | 5,750.82    | 26.98 | 0.47  |
| Services Index    | 1,699.94 | 1,692.72 | 1,699.94 | 1,692.72    | 7.23  | 0.43  |
| MSX Shariah Index | 570.22   | 570.22   | 570.22   | 570.22      | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| MSX TR INDEX      | 4,857.77 | 4,844.10 | 4,857.77 | 4,843.70    | 14.07 | 0.29  |

Trading Summary

| Volume     | Turnover  | Trades | Market Cap     | Up | Down | Equal | Sec. Traded |
|------------|-----------|--------|----------------|----|------|-------|-------------|
| 41,132,959 | 5,557,606 | 1,173  | 21,539,104,568 | 13 | 1    | 48    | 62          |

## SHARE PRICE BULLETIN FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 15

| SECURITY NAME | VOLUME | TURNOVER | TRADES | OPEN PRICE | HIGH | LOW | CLOSE PR. | PREV. CLOSE | DIFF (RD) | DIFF % | LAST PD | LAST BD | LAST OFFER | P&A VALUE | MARKET CAP |
|---------------|--------|----------|--------|------------|------|-----|-----------|-------------|-----------|--------|---------|---------|------------|-----------|------------|
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|--------------|---------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|
| OM0000001590 | MUSCAT FINANCE      | 2,043,227 | 122,489    | 79        | 0.059 | 0.061 | 0.059 | 0.060 | 0.058 | 0.002  | 3.448  | 0.060 | 0.058 | 0.060 | 0.100 | 18,428,780    |
| OM0000001749 | OMAN CEMENT         | 143,100   | 36,352     | 15        | 0.283 | 0.285 | 0.284 | 0.283 | 0.284 | 0.004  | 1.608  | 0.284 | 0.285 | 0.285 | 0.100 | 35,710,796    |
| OM0000002029 | OMAN TRIZCOM        | 127,955   | 101,829    | 24        | 0.784 | 0.809 | 0.784 | 0.796 | 0.794 | 0.012  | 1.331  | 0.796 | 0.796 | 0.796 | 0.100 | 597,000,000   |
| OM0000001772 | ALANWAR INVESTMENT  | 1,602,441 | 163,971    | 69        | 0.102 | 0.103 | 0.102 | 0.102 | 0.101 | 0.001  | 0.980  | 0.102 | 0.101 | 0.102 | 0.100 | 20,400,000    |
| OM0000001525 | OMAN INVEST FIN.    | 1,627,880 | 151,562    | 99        | 0.105 | 0.108 | 0.104 | 0.105 | 0.104 | 0.001  | 0.982  | 0.108 | 0.103 | 0.107 | 0.100 | 24,885,340    |
| OM0000001087 | OMAN UNITED INSUR.  | 3,690     | 1,424      | 1         | 0.386 | 0.386 | 0.386 | 0.386 | 0.386 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.386 | 0.380 | 0.390 | 0.100 | 38,600,000    |
| OM0000001160 | NATIONAL GAS        | 10,100    | 15,116     | 14        | 0.149 | 0.151 | 0.149 | 0.151 | 0.151 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.150 | 0.149 | 0.155 | 0.100 | 12,835,000    |
| OM0000001418 | RAISUT CEMENT       | 29,986    | 7,992      | 5         | 0.286 | 0.286 | 0.286 | 0.286 | 0.286 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.286 | 0.280 | 0.288 | 0.100 | 59,200,000    |
| OM0000001533 | OMINVEST            | 36,000    | 11,448     | 5         | 0.318 | 0.318 | 0.318 | 0.316 | 0.316 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.318 | 0.314 | 0.318 | 0.100 | 255,256,056   |
| OM0000002440 | AL SHARQIA INV.     | 418,875   | 420,831    | 12        | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.105 | 0.100 | 89,700,000    |
| OM0000002077 | AL OMANIYA FIN.S    | 544,271   | 69,084     | 22        | 0.129 | 0.129 | 0.126 | 0.127 | 0.127 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.126 | 0.125 | 0.127 | 0.100 | 37,075,787    |
| OM0000002188 | AL ANWAR CERAMIC    | 33,249    | 15,601     | 3         | 0.470 | 0.470 | 0.468 | 0.470 | 0.470 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.468 | 0.470 | 0.478 | 0.100 | 103,400,000   |
| OM0000002200 | AHLI BANK           | 87,279    | 8,917      | 7         | 0.112 | 0.114 | 0.112 | 0.110 | 0.110 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.114 | 0.111 | 0.120 | 0.100 | 214,462,321   |
| OM0000002226 | ALAJAZERA SERVICES  | 19,301    | 8,292      | 9         | 0.430 | 0.430 | 0.428 | 0.432 | 0.432 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.430 | 0.430 | 0.446 | 0.100 | 26,440,246    |
| OM0000002440 | AL SHARQIA INV.     | 191,550   | 19,512     | 15        | 0.102 | 0.102 | 0.101 | 0.101 | 0.101 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.102 | 0.101 | 0.105 | 0.100 | 9,900,000     |
| OM0000002796 | BANK MUSCAT         | 1,134,893 | 476,385    | 47        | 0.420 | 0.420 | 0.416 | 0.420 | 0.420 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.420 | 0.402 | 0.418 | 0.100 | 1,501,279,413 |
| OM0000003000 | ALMAHA MARKETING    | 7,289     | 5,108      | 2         | 0.700 | 0.700 | 0.700 | 0.704 | 0.704 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.700 | 0.692 | 0.712 | 0.100 | 48,578,000    |
| OM0000003224 | RENAISSANCE SER.    | 1,063,878 | 442,368    | 37        | 0.420 | 0.420 | 0.418 | 0.420 | 0.420 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.420 | 0.418 | 0.420 | 0.100 | 59,262,200    |
| OM0000003398 | SOHAR INT. BANK     | 1,568,177 | 149,154    | 9         | 0.096 | 0.098 | 0.095 | 0.096 | 0.096 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.096 | 0.095 | 0.100 | 0.100 | 233,712,647   |
| OM0000003988 | COBRED              | 105,000   | 43,007     | 14        | 0.408 | 0.410 | 0.408 | 0.408 | 0.408 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.410 | 0.404 | 0.410 | 0.100 | 265,585,346   |
| OM0000005005 | ALMAHA CERAMICS     | 65,950    | 23,666     | 9         | 0.358 | 0.360 | 0.358 | 0.358 | 0.358 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.360 | 0.358 | 0.390 | 0.100 | 16,960,000    |
| OM0000006920 | VISION INSURANCE    | 975,381   | 73,469     | 51        | 0.073 | 0.079 | 0.073 | 0.073 | 0.073 | 0.000  | 0.000  | 0.078 | 0.073 | 0.075 | 0.100 | 73,000,000    |
| OM0000006176 | JAZEERA STEEL PROD. | 86,439    | 27,340     | 14        | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.396 | 0.400 | 0.402 | -0.002 | -0.498 | 0.398 | 0.380 | 0.400 | 0.100 | 48,950,154    |
| Total        |                     | 23        | 11,785,742 | 2,395,718 | 560   |       |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |               |

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|              |                    |            |           |     |        |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |             |
|--------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|-----|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|
| OM0000003521 | GALFAR ENGINEER    | 2,507,255  | 215,063   | 59  | 0.085  | 0.086 | 0.085 | 0.086 | 0.079 | 0.007 | 8.861 | 0.086 | 0.075 | 0.086 | 0.100 | 17,456,834  |
| OM0000001681 | OMAN EMIRATES HO.  | 1,503,929  | 102,886   | 50  | 0.068  | 0.070 | 0.068 | 0.068 | 0.065 | 0.003 | 4.615 | 0.068 | 0.062 | 0.068 | 0.100 | 4,287,500   |
| OM0000001962 | AL MADINA INV.     | 47,000     | 1,056     | 7   | 0.023  | 0.023 | 0.022 | 0.023 | 0.022 | 0.001 | 4.545 | 0.022 | 0.022 | 0.024 | 0.100 | 4,764,482   |
| OM0000002374 | UNITED FINANCE     | 6,021,390  | 336,844   | 182 | 0.054  | 0.057 | 0.054 | 0.055 | 0.053 | 0.002 | 3.774 | 0.057 | 0.055 | 0.056 | 0.100 | 19,202,943  |
| OM0000005983 | PHOENIX POWER      | 70,611     | 3,460     | 18  | 0.048  | 0.049 | 0.048 | 0.049 | 0.048 | 0.001 | 2.083 | 0.048 | 0.048 | 0.049 | 0.100 | 71,657,472  |
| OM0000006979 | OMAN QATAR INSUR.  | 2,104,061  | 211,549   | 25  | 0.100  | 0.107 | 0.100 | 0.100 | 0.098 | 0.002 | 2.041 | 0.107 | 0.100 | 0.103 | 0.100 | 10,000,000  |
| OM0000002381 | TANGERINE FINANCE  | 1,302,330  | 101,549   | 46  | 0.079  | 0.079 | 0.077 | 0.078 | 0.077 | 0.001 | 1.299 | 0.077 | 0.077 | 0.078 | 0.100 | 18,780,020  |
| OM0000002275 | SHELL OMAN MKK     | 51,000     | 43,676    | 7   | 0.852  | 0.860 | 0.852 | 0.852 | 0.848 | 0.004 | 0.472 | 0.852 | 0.856 | 0.856 | 0.100 | 80,940,000  |
| OM0000001152 | OMAN NAT. ENG.     | 210,229    | 19,762    | 20  | 0.084  | 0.085 | 0.084 | 0.083 | 0.083 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.084 | 0.082 | 0.084 | 0.100 | 12,080,000  |
| OM0000001178 | MUSCAT GASES       | 20,200     | 3,638     | 7   | 0.188  | 0.188 | 0.180 | 0.181 | 0.181 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.180 | 0.180 | 0.188 | 0.100 | 5,430,000   |
| OM0000001301 | DHOFAR CATTLE      | 46,094     | 4,346     | 6   | 0.092  | 0.095 | 0.092 | 0.092 | 0.092 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.095 | 0.092 | 0.095 | 0.100 | 7,438,200   |
| OM0000001319 | MUMINUM PROD.      | 391,300    | 54,256    | 32  | 0.139  | 0.139 | 0.138 | 0.139 | 0.138 | 0.001 | 0.138 | 0.138 | 0.135 | 0.139 | 0.100 | 4,666,433   |
| OM0000001483 | NATIONAL BANK OMAN | 118,106    | 23,370    | 5   | 0.197  | 0.198 | 0.197 | 0.197 | 0.197 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.198 | 0.192 | 0.198 | 0.100 | 320,311,432 |
| OM0000001517 | HSBC BANK OMAN     | 497,803    | 46,778    | 27  | 0.109  | 0.109 | 0.105 | 0.109 | 0.109 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.108 | 0.103 | 0.108 | 0.100 | 218,034,094 |
| OM0000001889 | SALALAH MILLS      | 48,792     | 34,854    | 2   | 0.700  | 0.700 | 0.700 | 0.644 | 0.644 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.700 | 0.700 | 0.000 | 0.100 | 32,176,213  |
| OM0000001897 | MAJAN COLLEGE      | 18,189     | 2,428     | 3   | 0.150  | 0.150 | 0.150 | 0.150 | 0.150 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.150 | 0.149 | 0.150 | 0.100 | 13,500,000  |
| OM0000002028 | OMAN EDU. TRAINING | 26,000     | 3,911     | 2   | 0.140  | 0.140 | 0.137 | 0.140 | 0.140 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.137 | 0.126 | 0.145 | 0.100 | 2,940,000   |
| OM0000002333 | SALALAH PORT SR.   | 200        | 120       | 1   | 0.600  | 0.600 | 0.600 | 0.600 | 0.600 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.600 | 0.600 | 0.600 | 0.100 | 107,902,440 |
| OM0000002549 | BANK DHOFAR        | 28,000     | 3,498     | 2   | 0.122  | 0.122 | 0.122 | 0.122 | 0.122 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.122 | 0.118 | 0.130 | 0.100 | 365,554,875 |
| OM0000002572 | OMAN OIL MARKETING | 20,000     | 16,480    | 1   | 0.824  | 0.824 | 0.824 | 0.820 | 0.820 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.824 | 0.824 | 0.000 | 0.100 | 50,245,500  |
| OM0000002580 | OMAN EDU. TRAINING | 36,606     | 8,219     | 9   | 0.220  | 0.240 | 0.211 | 0.220 | 0.220 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.232 | 0.220 | 0.230 | 0.100 | 15,400,000  |
| OM0000003125 | GLOBAL INV. II     | 31,007     | 1,820     | 9   | 0.052  | 0.055 | 0.054 | 0.055 | 0.055 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.061 | 0.057 | 0.061 | 0.100 | 11,400,000  |
| OM0000003661 | VOLTAMP ENERGY     | 69,992     | 9,659     | 3   | 0.138  | 0.138 | 0.138 | 0.141 | 0.141 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.138 | 0.138 | 0.000 | 0.100 | 11,477,788  |
| OM0000003711 | SOHAR POWER        | 8,600      | 386       | 2   | 0.046  | 0.046 | 0.046 | 0.047 | 0.047 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.046 | 0.046 | 0.049 | 0.100 | 10,387,470  |
| OM0000004420 | BANK NIZWA         | 12,481,189 | 1,272,129 | 12  | 0.096  | 0.102 | 0.096 | 0.096 | 0.096 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.097 | 0.096 | 0.096 | 0.100 | 144,000,000 |
| OM0000004735 | SEMICORP SALALAH   | 34,700     | 2,828     | 4   | 0.083  | 0.083 | 0.081 | 0.082 | 0.082 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.081 | 0.080 | 0.081 | 0.100 | 78,274,000  |
| OM0000004788 | MADINA TAKAFUL     | 381,631    | 37,103    | 28  | 0.097  | 0.098 | 0.097 | 0.097 | 0.097 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.097 | 0.097 | 0.098 | 0.100 | 16,975,000  |
| OM0000004825 | ALBATINAH POWER    | 191,544    | 10,153    | 12  | 0.054  | 0.054 | 0.053 | 0.054 | 0.054 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.053 | 0.053 | 0.054 | 0.100 | 36,443,921  |
| OM0000004835 | AL SUWADI POWER    | 328,000    | 17,818    | 9   | 0.055  | 0.055 | 0.054 | 0.055 | 0.055 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.055 | 0.054 | 0.055 | 0.100 | 38,262,349  |
| OM0000006912 | AHLIA INSURANCE    | 265,686    | 86,082    | 1   | 0.324  | 0.324 | 0.324 | 0.320 | 0.320 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.324 | 0.320 | 0.000 | 0.100 | 32,000,000  |
| OM0000007043 | NATIONAL LIFE INS. | 162,272    | 64,239    | 2   | 0.396  | 0.396 | 0.396 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.396 | 0.380 | 0.400 | 0.100 | 106,000,000 |
| OM0000007290 | ARABIA FALCON INS. | 2,218      | 237       | 1   | 0.107  | 0.107 | 0.107 | 0.105 | 0.105 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.107 | 0.107 | 0.115 | 0.100 | 10,846,674  |
| OM0000007400 | DHOFAR GENERATING  | 108,000    | 15,568    | 15  | 0.150  | 0.150 | 0.147 | 0.150 | 0.150 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.147 | 0.148 | 0.150 | 0.100 | 33,336,000  |
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# FEATURES

## JEFF BEZOS IS GOING TO OUTER SPACE.



# Are you next?

The Amazon founder's trip to outer space next month could kick off the age of space tourism. Many options will be available — if you can afford them.

Earlier this week, shortly after Amazon's Jeff Bezos announced he would fly to outer space on July 20 on a craft designed by his aerospace company Blue Origin, rumors began circulating that Virgin Records' Sir Richard Branson would try to beat him there on a ship designed by his own space flight company, Virgin Galactic.

This billionaire space race highlights a flurry of activity taking place in the realm of space tourism, as companies seek to bring space travel to the people, or at least the people who can afford it.

Aerospace companies have provided private travel to space for years, but until now the missions have been almost entirely for purposes of science and development. Only seven individuals have flown to space as tourists. Between 2001 and 2010, the space tourism company Space Adventures facilitated tourism stays on the International Space Station (ISS), reserving travelers a spot aboard a Russian spacecraft for between \$20 million (€16 million) and \$40 million a seat. The pleasure trips ceased in 2010 due to increasing demand from research crews.

But the space tourism industry has developed rapidly in the last few years, with many players on the scene now in advanced stages of development.

### Aiming higher

The space travel and tourism market is expected to generate nearly \$8 billion in revenue between 2020 and 2030, according to a study by space and satellite industry consultancy Northern Sky Research (NSR).

The market can be broken down into three primary types of flights on offer: orbital, suborbital, and parabolic. Orbital flights reach speeds high enough to remain in orbit around the Earth. Suborbital



flights fly slower than this, reaching outer space, but without the velocity to enter orbit. Parabolic flights, the most accessible of the three, take place in modified commercial jets that perform special maneuvers, coming temporarily into freefall. This replicates the feeling of weightlessness experienced in outer space without going there.

Over 100 parabolic flights took place in 2019, with tickets for a flight running around \$5,000 per person. Parabolic flights are the most accessible in terms of price and technology, but they don't actually involve entering outer space.

Today people want the real deal, so the more expensive and technically demanding orbital and suborbital flights are expected to make up a combined 98% of the market until 2030. Pre-booking for these flights has shown healthy demand, while the parabolic segment has seen sluggish growth, according to NSR.

Suborbital flights take passengers outside of the Earth's atmosphere for a few minutes, where they have a view of their home planet and the sensation of weightlessness, then return to Earth a few minutes later. Trips to the ISS, which orbits the Earth, are considered orbital space flights.

### A room with a view

Amazon's Blue Origin, Richard Branson's Virgin Galactic, and Elon Musk's SpaceX are considered the frontrunners of an industry made up of over 20 key players.

Following Bezos' landmark trip, Blue Origin plans to offer suborbital trips on the New Shepard, a tra-

ditional rocket that takes off and lands vertically. The crew capsule, located on top of the spacecraft, contains comfortable seats and massive windows designed with tourists in mind. Spots on board are to be made available for purchase to the public once Bezos has completed his flight. Prices are currently unknown, though an ongoing auction for one seat on Bezos' flight recently hit \$4 million, according to a ticker on Blue Origin's website.

Virgin Galactic also aims to offer commercial suborbital flights aboard its SpaceShipTwo rocket plane. The company already has a long waiting list of people reserving spots on board. The total cost is still unknown, but a reservation requires a \$250,000 deposit. Commercial flights are pegged to begin in 2022. Virgin Galactic plans eventually to scale up to offering 1,200 flights per year, with six seats per flight.

"The resulting economies of scale and competing technologies will lead to further downward pressure on the cost of launch — enabling an ever-increasing number of users with diverse, world-changing applications," the company wrote on its website.

### The \$10 flight

SpaceX has been more focused on testing and development than on marketing its tourism offerings. Unlike Blue Origin and Virgin Galactic, the company's Crew Dragon spacecraft can already reach low-Earth orbit. While the trips are costly, this positions SpaceX to offer the most premium experi-

ences available right now.

Before the end of 2021, the company will launch Inspiration4, the first "all-civilian" mission into the Earth's orbit. Purchased by billionaire Jared Issacman, who will serve as commander, one seat on the four-person voyage is to be raffled off in a charity auction to anyone who donates more than \$10. At least three other SpaceX private missions are planned for the next few years.

### What to do once you get there

Brokerage firm Axiom Space is also working with SpaceX, managing the logistics of the first fully private mission to the ISS, currently planned for January 2022. A veteran astronaut will accompany three tourists on a 10-day mission that includes an 8-day stay on the space station. Axiom plans to offer a few such flights a year alongside its greater plan to build habitable modules connected to the ISS, what Axiom calls the world's first commercial space station.

"Everybody's building rockets, but nobody was building any destinations to go to," Axiom co-founder Kam Ghaffarian told CNBC in February. "Lots of companies are building rides to space, but where are they going to go, especially when the International Space Station retires?"

The original space tourism specialists, Space Adventures, are also partnering with SpaceX to put tourists on the first fully autonomous mission to space. The trip, due to take place by early 2022, will send four individuals into high Earth orbit for five days. No trained astronaut will be on board. A NASA report estimated that seats will cost around \$55 million each.

US aviation giant Boeing also has skin in the game, having signed a deal with NASA that engages Boeing's help in developing a crew capsule called the Boeing CST-100 Starliner. In exchange, Boeing has the right to sell seats on the capsule to tourists.

# ROUND-UP

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### COMMENTARY

## Shifting dynamics of buyer-seller relationship



Anis Sajjan, Vice-Chairman, Danube Group

**BUYERS** and sellers in developed industrial markets can turn single transactions into long term beneficial relations and it just takes a single power- The power of understanding

The goal of maintaining a perfect relationship with the supplier today is to create profitability for any business. I was visiting a fair for hard-

ware furniture fittings which was one the most famous fairs during that time, Koln, in Germany in March 1996 as my first import trip for business. My brother had suggested me go there as it was the best place to meet a lot of suppliers from around the world at that fair as it was one of the biggest hardware furniture fairs in the world. But I hadn't done enough homework to know about the climatic conditions or the food available in Germany. I had to make do whatever was available. But those 5 days did change my perspective of dealing with buyers and sellers and polished me further. Another thing I learnt that despite meeting the sellers at the exhibition, it is essential to visit their production facilities, to see the set-up of the company and how the manufacturing takes place, it helps one understand the

proficiency of the company. The price quoted at the exhibition may be a way to lure the buyer without knowing the quality. But when the buyer visits the production facilities, he will get to know the seller and his business better as he can understand the quality of the product as well as the functionality of the business and its owners, which in turn helps in building the trust/ bond between the buyer and the seller. Having a collaborative connection with the suppliers will take time and resources which is indeed helpful to get to better future business deals. I have dealt with many suppliers through these years for buying sanitary fittings and here is what I have observed. When I am working with a manufacturer in China, the supplier sometimes increases the price due to different reasons. It's common knowledge

that price rise is not appreciated by any buyer. I try and get into the depth of the matter to understand the reasons for the price rise, which vary from raw material and labour prices going up to the ever-changing exchange rates. This helps me in debating the rates with the supplier. Similarly when there is a chance as an importer, to take advantage of the fall in the currency, one needs to follow what's happening in all the international markets. Being a buyer it's very important to focus on bringing mutual benefit and maintain a longer relationship with the supplier seeing him not as a supplier rather as a long-term investor or a partner. Placing a high-value order definitely gives you an edge / upper hand to get a better rate for the goods. But sometimes, it's not about the price but the quality of the products. My advice is don't always be pushy about

the price, as it may lead to the supplier giving you inferior quality products. Selling is a major part of business today. It is essential to change the perception about a sales representative by not seeing him or her as a 'Time-Waster' but as a 'Business Grower'. Showing a bit of compassion can help in bringing out a better relationship today and a much greater deal tomorrow. I have been a buyer as well as an importer, but when I have been a seller, I have learnt a very important lesson, i.e that whenever you visit a buyer, don't make a direct sales pitch, even though that's the ultimate goal of the meeting. One needs to gauge the market sentiments but most importantly the customer's sentiments. Eg. - Start by asking a general question like 'Hello Mr Karsan, How are you doing?' and if his reply assertive, you can find your way

out to present your sales pitch. But if you feel the response is cold then you should not push your sales pitch, rather give some time/space to the buyer and approach him/her later. The salesperson should try and build a rapport/connection with the buyer and then initiate the sale. Over commitment is a common mistake made by salespeople only to impress their managers, but is a bad trait. Say for example If the customer is requesting for next day delivery, as a salesperson you have to be truthful enough to tell him/her that it's not logistically possible and request for some time or tell him to arrange for the pick-up. This will help in building a long-standing relationship based on trust. Every business can strike a stronger deal as long as you think it is for mutual benefit and will work for the long term.

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## Malabar Gold redomiciles to DIFC and joins Nasdaq Dubai's Private Market

**DUBAI:** Malabar Investments, the international investment arm of Malabar Gold & Diamonds, one of the largest global jewellery retailer, announced that it has redomiciled the company with the Dubai International Financial Centre (DIFC) and the registration of its shares of international operations with Nasdaq Dubai's Central Securities Depository (CSD) in a significant step that strengthens Malabar's links with investors and provides the company with a transparent, well regulated, efficient and secured solution for its share-related corporate actions.

To celebrate this development, Malabar Group's Chairman M. P. Ahammed rang Nasdaq Dubai's market-opening bell, in the presence of Essa Kazim, Governor of the Dubai International Financial Centre (DIFC) and Chairman of Dubai Financial Market (DFM); Dr PA Ibrahim Haji, Co-Chairman of Malabar Group; Hamed Ali, CEO of Nasdaq Dubai and Deputy CEO of DFM, as well as other senior representatives from both sides.

The group's entry into the Nasdaq Dubai Private Market enables its 300+ shareholders from international operations to buy and sell shares with the approval of the Board of Directors through brokerage companies like Emirates ENBD Securities. Transfers of ownership will take place securely in Nasdaq Dubai's Central Securities Depository (CSD), while trading will take place off-



exchange as the Company remains privately held. Essa Kazim, Governor of the DIFC and Chairman of the DFM said, "As the leading centre of excellence and international financial hub of the region, Dubai has been committed to provide various types of companies with numerous opportunities to avail benefits of capital markets and empower their growth strategies. The world-class business environment of DIFC as well as the infrastructure and regulations of Nasdaq Dubai have been a key success factor in continuously attracting numerous leading businesses from across the globe whether to set up new companies, redomicile their current activities or implement their capital market transactions. The DIFC is the leading financial hub for the Middle East, Africa and South Asia (MEASA), which comprises 72 countries with an approximate population of 3 billion and a nominal GDP of \$7.7 trillion. Commenting on this significant milestone in Malabar's journey, MP Ahammed, Chairman of Ma-

labar Group, said, "As Malabar Gold & Diamonds continues to grow internationally, it has become imminent that the holding company be based in a jurisdiction like Dubai International Financial Centre (DIFC) with high international standards of transparency, regulations and compliance. The board has also recognised the requirement of having an independent regulated authority as the registrar of shares (being Nasdaq Dubai) with share transfer occurring through a more formalised and transparent process." From his side, Hamed Ali, CEO of Nasdaq Dubai and Deputy CEO of DFM said, "We would like to thank Malabar for joining Nasdaq Dubai's Private Market that provides businesses with the ability to start preparing themselves for further investor engagement, whether through the public markets or privately. We have developed this market to ensure that the share register is well maintained especially when the number of shareholders starts increasing as new investors come on board.

### PROMOTION

## Last few days to enjoy special rate of interest on popular models Renault Duster, Koleos and Megane

**MUSCAT:** As part of the ongoing promotion, Renault Oman from the house of Suhail Bahwan Automobiles (SBA), has announced unlimited benefits on its popular models Duster, Koleos and Megane.

Renault Oman is offering attractive value benefits such as special interest rate (0% up to three years or 1.99% for four years or 2.49% for five years or 2.99% for six years), assured cash gift, free periodic vehicle service package, free insurance, digital promotion, assured OMR 100 gift voucher and free registration on models Duster, Koleos and Megane. Social media users who participate in the Ramadan promotional campaign will also be eligible for attractive prizes.

The Renault promotion which has already begun will go on till June 17. All retail customers purchasing Renault vehicles are entitled to the special offer. Vehicles purchased with commercial registration will not be eligible for the scheme. Vehicles bought for a taxi, driving school, ministries, fleet, and rent-a-car usage will not be eligible for this scheme.

A spokesperson for SBA said, "The unique offer boasts of a host of advantages for customers purchasing efficient Renault models Duster, Koleos and Megane. With fascinating benefits on offer, this is the ideal time to buy the Renault models. Renault's range including Duster, Koleos and Megane are well-liked because customers find them practical, fuel-efficient spacious and innovative."



Renault Duster 1.6 ltr and 2.0 ltr: Customers who purchase Renault Duster will be entitled to receive an assured cash gift of OMR 1550, 3 years/60,000 km PMS, free first-year Insurance (Oman and UAE only), free registration (first-year private registration), assured voucher of OMR 100. All customers purchasing any variant of 20MY Duster will be eligible for 0% (rate of Interest) up to three years or 1.99% (rate of interest) for five years or 2.99% (rate of interest) for six years. Renault Megane 1.6 ltr/2.0 ltr: Customers who purchase Renault Megane will be entitled to receive an assured cash gift of OMR 1800, 3 years/60,000 km PMS, free first-year Insurance (Oman and UAE only), free registration (first-year private registration),

assured voucher of OMR 100. All customers purchasing any variant of 20MY Megane will be eligible for 0% (Rate of Interest) up to three years or 1.99% (rate of interest) for four years or 2.49% (rate of interest) for five years or 2.99% (rate of interest) for six years. Renault Koleos 2.5 ltr: Customers who purchase Renault Koleos will be entitled to receive assured cash gift up to OMR 2500, 3 years/60,000 km PMS, free first-year insurance (Oman and UAE only), free registration (first-year private registration), assured voucher of OMR 100. All customers purchasing any variant of 20MY Koleos will be eligible for 0% (Rate of Interest) up to three years or 1.99% (rate of interest) for four years or 2.49% (rate of interest) for five years or 2.99% (rate of interest) for six years.

ROUND-UP

# INFINITI Oman’s rewarding Ramadan offer ends on June 20

All customers purchasing INFINITI vehicles from Suhail Bahwan Automobiles are eligible to participate in the campaign scheme

**MUSCAT:** INFINITI Oman’s Ramadan offer, which has been offering diverse benefits for customers purchasing its product range, is set to come to an end on June 20. The exclusive offer was announced in celebration of the holy month of Ramadan.

All customers purchasing INFINITI vehicles from Suhail Bahwan Automobiles are eligible to participate in the campaign scheme. Vehicles purchased with commercial registration will not be eligible for the scheme. Vehicles bought for a taxi, driving school, ministries, fleet, and rent-a-car usage will not be eligible for this scheme.

A senior spokesperson at INFINITI Oman, said, “The offer announced by us for the holy month of Ramadan received a great response from new buyers. Continuing with the tradition of rewarding its valued customers, INFINITI Oman’s offer is attractive and lucrative. With its innovative engines and premium driving pleasure, INFINITI models are a luxury worth owning and experiencing.

“Buyers who are interested in purchasing INFINITI must do so before June 20 to get the offer benefits. INFINITI vehicles continue to be amongst the best-selling vehicles in Oman for obvious reasons. They are an excellent choice for anyone looking for powerful performance, safe drive, and comfortable interiors.”

**Assured cash gift**  
An assured cash gift is applicable on INFINITI models Q50, QX50,



QX60, QX80. The cash gift can be adjusted in the down payment of the car if the customer opts for it. The cash gift of OMR2500 is being offered on INFINITI Q50. The cash gift for INFINITI QX50 and INFINITI QX60 is OMR 3000. Customers buying INFINITI QX80 will get a cash gift of OMR4000.

**Free registration**  
All customers purchasing INFINITI vehicles Q50, QX50, QX60, QX80 during this scheme period will be eligible for free first-year vehicle registration. Applicable to the extent of Private Registration only. For commercial registrations, an additional amount including passing needs to be borne by the customer.

**Free window film, ceramic paint protection coat**  
All customers purchasing IN-

FINITI vehicles Q50, QX50, QX60, QX80 during this scheme will be eligible for free window film (side and rear glass) and ceramic paint protection coat.

**Free periodic vehicle service package**  
All customers purchasing INFINITI vehicles Q50, QX50, QX60, QX80 during this scheme period will be eligible for a free periodic maintenance service package for three years/60,000km (whichever is earlier).

**Free AAA assistance card**  
All customers purchasing INFINITI vehicles Q50, QX50, QX60, QX80 during the scheme period will receive a free AAA assistance card for the first year only.

**5% VAT on SBA for QX60**  
This is applicable on QX60 MY20

only. The 5 per cent VAT charge applicable at the time of purchase will be borne by SBA.

**Reference programme**  
The reference programme aims to generate a reference for further conversion to a sale and brand building. A reference can be given by any resident of Oman who is an existing INFINITI customer. The referee should own an INFINITI vehicle that was originally sold by Suhail Bahwan Automobiles (Oman) as a new vehicle.

While a reference provided cannot be for self, a referee can submit multiple references. The referee will be eligible for an OMR100 gift voucher if the reference buys a new INFINITI vehicle from any Suhail Bahwan Automobiles in Oman. A pre-owned INFINITI car purchase/INFINITI purchase from any other outlet will not

qualify under the Reference Programme. The gift voucher can be redeemed at any SBA facility and can be used for vehicle service, purchase of consumables, parts, and accessories.

The gift voucher of the successful referee is non-transferable and cannot be redeemed for cash or exchanged for credit. The gift voucher will be valid for six months from the date of issue of the same.

**SBA**  
SBA is largely committed to supporting INFINITI Oman’s growth in the Sultanate through a major emphasis on customer satisfaction and by providing world-class after-sales services in Oman.

With a national network of more than 40 showrooms, service centres and parts outlets, SBA has further built upon its legacy of trust, excellent customer service and

providing value for money to each of its customers.

INFINITI Motor Company Ltd. is headquartered in Hong Kong with representations in 50 markets around the world. The INFINITI brand was launched in 1989. Its range of premium automobiles is currently built in manufacturing facilities in Japan, the United States, United Kingdom and China.

INFINITI design studios are located in Atsugi-Shi near Yokohama, London, San Diego and Beijing. INFINITI is in the middle of a major product offensive.

The brand has been widely acclaimed for its daring design and innovative driver-assistance technologies. From the 2016 season, INFINITI is a technical partner of the Renault Sport Formula One team, contributing its expertise in hybrid performance.

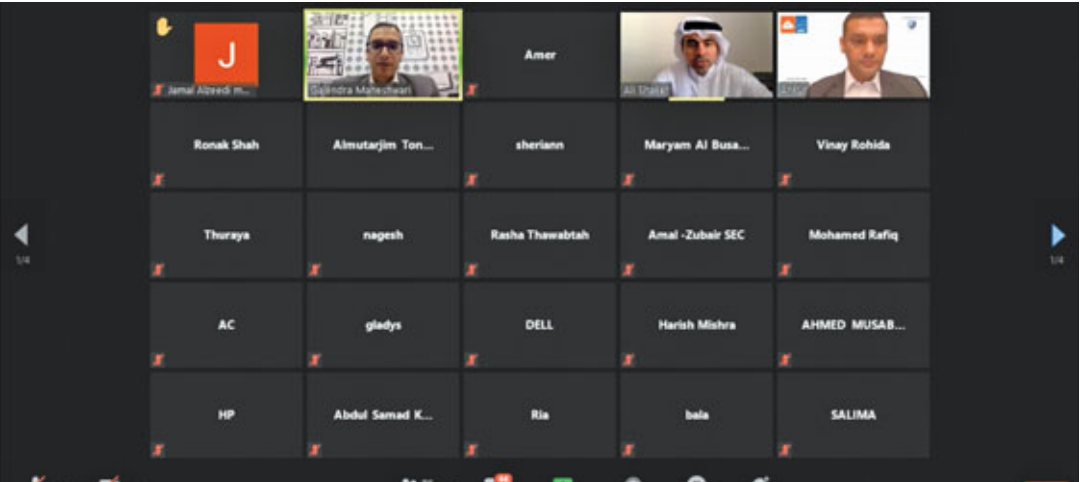
KEY COMPLIANCES AND DOCUMENTATION

## Zubair SEC concludes third ‘Know Your VAT’ webinar

### Relevance of Tax Compliance/ Documents

- In order to avoid any fine/ penalty
- For acceptance of invoice by customer
- For claiming tax adjustments on account of subsequent events
- Computing tax to be deposited on a quarterly basis
- Establishing transaction/ tax position during enquiry/ audit by tax authorities

By undertaking tax compliances, businesses improve their process and standing that his helpful on a long term basis



**MUSCAT:** Zubair Small Enterprises Centre (Zubair SEC), in partnership with the Omani International Development and Investment Company (Ominvest), has now completed the third in a series of five VAT-focused webinars for SMEs in Oman, titled ‘Key Compliances and Documentation under Value Added Tax (VAT) in Oman’.

In addition to the five webinar sessions, this ‘Know Your VAT’ initiative, executed by Moore, will

also include five short, animated videos, a digital downloadable booklet, and one-to-one sessions where required.

Commenting on the ‘Know Your VAT’ initiative, NauzerNowroji – Senior Adviser at Zubair SEC said, “The VAT law is still in its infancy here in the Sultanate with many companies, especially local SMEs, unaware of all its intricacies and details. This webinar series has been specially designed to address these issues, offering SMEs a platform to

greatly increase their knowledge on the subject on their way to becoming fully VAT-compliant.”

This third webinar, titled ‘Key Compliances and Documentation under Value Added Tax (VAT) in Oman’, was conducted on June 9\*\*. It continued from where the last webinar left off, covering three core topics – Tax Invoices, debit notes, and credit notes; Return submission and tax payments; and record keeping. The webinar was attended by over 90\* participants from Zubair SEC mem-

bers as well as some large private-sector corporations. Each of them expressed their appreciation to the organisers, as well as expressed their desire to return for the remaining two webinars.

**Encouraging**  
“Receiving such a great turnout with every new VAT webinar we host is extremely encouraging. It’s a clear sign of local entrepreneurs’ willingness to learn about and em-

brace the concept of VAT,” said Nauzer Nowroji. “For those who may have missed this, or the previous webinars, can view them on the Zubair SEC website, together with further details of the ‘Know Your VAT’ initiative. We would also like to invite all interested parties to register for the next webinar by contacting Zubair SEC at the earliest.”

“For any corporate, proper and detailed documentation plays a major role in them becoming fully

VAT-compliant. This can, however, be daunting for anyone not familiar with the concept. This third session was carefully developed to ensure this critical component of VAT was easy to understand and replicate. As with our previous two sessions, I was glad to see that nearly all attendees grasped the ideas almost immediately,” added Ankur Jain, Director at Moore.

The next ‘Know Your VAT’ webinar will be focusing on ‘Key Aspects Related to Input Tax Credit’.

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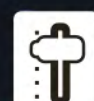


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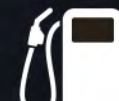
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