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DEALS

Bank Negara Malaysia issues Shariah papers

Central Bank of Bahrain's short-term Sukuk Ijarah worth BHD26 million (US\$68.58 million) oversubscribed

DanaInfra Nasional places five Islamic medium-term notes totaling RM2 billion (US\$485.32 million)

International Islamic Liquidity Management Corporation reissues three-tranche short-term Sukuk worth US\$1.11 billion

Central Bank of Kuwait places bonds and Tawarruq papers totaling KWD240 million (US\$794.53 million)

Central Bank of Gambia's Sukuk Salam papers oversubscribed

Indonesia raises IDR10 trillion (US\$691.76 million) from Sukuk auction

Tanjung Pinang Development auctions three unrated Islamic medium-term notes

Mora Telematika Indonesia lists two-tranche Sukuk Ijarah on **Indonesia Stock Exchange**

NEWS

First Abu Dhabi Bank commences integration process of **Bank Audi Egypt** and **First Abu Dhabi Bank Egypt**

Libya to reopen stock market with two Islamic banks' IPOs and three investment Sukuk issuances

Prime Minister Abdelaziz Djerad urges finance ministry to intensify efforts to promote Islamic finance

Islamic digital banking start-up **Fair Fintech** joins **AAOIFI**

Meezan Bank and **Export-Import Bank of Pakistan** partner up to provide Islamic finance consulting for corporates and SMEs

National Zakat Agency signs MoU with **Bank Negara Indonesia** for Zakat management

Tayyab engages **Shariyah Review Bureau** as advisor for newly launched debit cards

Hejaz Financial Services to launch Islamic financial advisors network of up to 200 authorized representatives

RESULTS

Al Baraka Banking Group sees operating income shrink by 8% to US\$93 million in first quarter of 2021

National Takaful Company registers 74% growth in net profit for first three months

ASSET MANAGEMENT

Wealthsimple raises US\$750 million, bringing valuation to US\$5 billion

HSBC Malaysia launches online investment platform **EZInvest** offering Islamic and conventional investment funds

Maybank Asset Management launches debut mixed assets Islamic fund with Waqf feature

TAKAFUL

SABB Takaful Company enters into bancaTakaful deal with **Saudi British Bank**

Wala Cooperative Insurance Company renews license for another year

Arabian Shield Cooperative Insurance Company receives approval from **Capital Market Authority** for capital increase

Saudi Arabia's insurance sector witnesses 2.3% growth as total written premiums reach SAR38.78 billion (US\$10.34 billion) in 2020

RATINGS

Fitch affirms **Ziraat Bankasi's** long-term rating at 'B+' with a negative outlook

Emirates Islamic maintains 'A+' issuer default rating with a stable outlook

QIIB maintains 'A2' credit rating driven by solid asset quality

MOVES

Gazi Golam Ashria joins **Jamuna Bank** as new chairman

Golam Awlia joins **NRB Commercial Bank** as CEO and managing director

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