

Iraq signs rare gas deal with US firm

Baghdad

Iraq has signed a deal with a U.S. company to tap natural gas in one of its southern oil fields. Iraq has long flared much of its natural gas because of a lack of infrastructure. But the Memorandum of Understanding signed Monday would allow Orion Gas Processors to capture and process up to 150 million cubic feet per day of associated gas from the Nahr Bin Omar field.



Aston Martin hit by Daimler recall

Paris

Aston Martin has become the latest carmaker to be caught up in a major recall of faulty Daimler steering-column components that can cause unintended airbag deployments. The British sports car maker is recalling all 3,873 DB11 coupes built since late 2015, when production of the flagship model began, sources with knowledge of the matter said.



“We treasure this relationship, and I treasure Boris’s relationship with me personally and the work that we do together on these many issues. Sometimes we forget about the importance of our own relationship. We need to pay attention to that relationship and the importance of this relationship on a bilateral basis as well.”

-Rex Tillerson,

U.S. Secretary of State on relationship with Britain



Batelco Super-Fast Fibre Internet now in Diyar

Batelco has launched its super-fast Fibre Internet services for residents of the Kingdom’s Diyar Al Muharraq development.

Launch

500 Mbps
Speeds of up to 500 Mbps over state-of-the-art fiber network.

Download without delay

The new service allows customers to download movies, stream high definition videos, play online games and upload large files in seconds without delays.

Full Digital Home Solution

Batelco’s popular TV service which delivers a Full Digital Home Solution to customers and a selection of Batelco TV packages will also be available. In addition, Batelco will now also offer ‘mobile boost’ to its mobile customers to improve the indoor mobile coverage within their homes.

Special offer

As a special launch offer, Diyar Al Muharraq residents will benefit from exclusive offers. Batelco’s Fibre experience van will be available at Noor Plaza, Diyar Al Muharraq, during January and February to register customers and help them choose the best package to meet their requirements.



Always on time



Gulf Air’s On Time Punctuality Garner Top Ranking in 2017

Manama

Gulf Air has been independently ranked by UK aviation analysts OAG the third most punctual airline in 2017, amongst Middle East and African airlines, with an average on-time performance (OTP) of 80.22%.

Gulf Air Chief Executive Officer Krešimir Kučko commented, “Punctuality is a critical element for travellers and we are delighted to be recognized yet again as a leading global player in OTP.”

He added: “We are gearing up to welcome our incoming fleet of 39 new Boeing and Airbus aircraft of which a total of 5 Boeing 787-9 Dreamliners and 2 Airbus A320Neos will have entered Gulf Air’s fleet by end-2018. With this development, passengers can soon enjoy not only Gulf Air’s punctuality and trademark Arabian hospitality, but also remarkable product and service enhancements alongside network growth.”

Gulf Air has held the top spot in recent years

for OTP, ranking as the most punctual airline in 2016, amongst GCC airlines. Gulf Air also ranked first among major airlines from the Middle East and Africa for the 5th Annual Airline On-time Performance Service Awards in 2013. Gulf Air’s network currently serves 42 cities in 25 countries. The airline operates double daily flights or more to select destinations across the GCC, MENA region, Indian Subcontinent and Europe.

World Sushi Champion Chef Pepi Anevski at Sato

The Gulf Hotel Bahrain presents World Sushi Champion and Creative Sushi Master Chef Pepi Anevski.

Chef Pepi will be serving his award-winning Sushi’s at The Gulf Hotel Bahrain’s Sato Japanese restaurant for lunch and dinner until the 26th of January.

Originally from Macedonia, but now based in Denmark, Chef Pepi has received many awards and is the winner of the prestigious World Sushi Cup 2013 in Tokyo

