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HRH Prince Salman hails Bahraini media for national duty, credibility and professionalism

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His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, commended Bahraini media professionals for their strong sense of national duty. He noted that their credibility and professionalism continue to play a vital role in driving the Kingdom's development. During a meeting with the Chairman of the Bahraini Journalists Association (BJA), Isa Al Shaiji, and members of the Association's Board at Riffa Palace, HRH Prince Salman underscored the central role of the national press in advancing Bahrain's development and showcasing the Kingdom's wide-ranging achievements under the leadership of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa.

Senior officials

The meeting was attended by His Highness Shaikh Isa bin Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Minister of the Prime Minister's Court; His Highness Shai-



HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister meets with BJA Chairman Isa Al Shaiji and Board Members



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kh Mohammed bin Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa; His Excellency Shaikh Salman bin Khalifa Al Khalifa, Minister of Finance and National Economy; and several senior officials.

“The credibility and professionalism of Bahraini journalists embody their dedication to the nation and strengthen Bahrain’s position as a hub of progress and prosperity,” His Royal Highness said. He emphasised that the issuance of the new Press and Electronic Media Law reflects Bahrain’s commitment to fostering an accommodating legislative environment that supports media growth in line with national strategic aspirations. “This law reinforces Bahrain’s approach to modernisation and institutional development while safeguarding freedom of opinion and expression,” HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister affirmed.

BJA commends royal support for journalists

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The Bahrain Journalists Association (BJA) has extended its sincere gratitude to His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, for graciously receiving the Chairman and members of the Association’s Board of Directors on the occasion of the approval of the Press and Electronic Media Law, ratified by His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa. BJA Chairman Isa Al Shaiji expressed the appreciation of Bahrain’s media and journalistic community for the government’s efforts, under the leadership of HRH Prince Salman, in finalising a law that meets the aspirations of journalists and media professionals, safeguards rights, and regulates the digital media landscape. Al Shaiji praised His Royal Highness’s unwavering support for the national press and said that the Association’s Board members were honoured to receive His Highness’s guidance on the role and responsibilities of the press amid the Kingdom’s ongoing



Isa Al Shaiji development, led by His Majesty the King. He added that the Bahraini media community deeply values the continuous support extended by HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, which has enabled journalists to perform their duties effectively as part of Team Bahrain, keeping pace with the evolving media landscape. The BJA head commended the government’s constructive cooperation with the Association in shaping a modern and progressive media law that reflects the Kingdom’s rich press history and honours the contributions of Bahraini journalists to national development.

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