



Interior Minister, General Shaikh Rashid bin Abdulla Al Khalifa with the US Ambassador to Bahrain, Justin Siberell. They reviewed relations between the two friendly countries and discussed issues of common interest. Public Security Chief, Major-General Tariq Hassan Al-Hassan, attended



Labour and Social Development Minister, Jameel Humaidan with the newly-formed Board of Directors of the Future Society for Youth, led by Chairman Sabah Abdulrahman Al-Zayani. The Future Society for Youth Chairman highlighted the Society's social initiatives and development projects, including the award-winning "Smile" Initiative, which provides psychological and social support to children with cancer and their parents. The minister affirmed the Labour and Social Development Ministry's support for the development and charitable projects, as well as for effective social initiatives

New realty data bank on way



Officials during a Real Estate Regulatory Authority meeting held yesterday

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Plans are on the anvil to establish a 'special bank' loaded with information on the Kingdom's property market. The project, the Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA) said, will help provide real

estate statistics as well as information on Bahrain's real estate market to investors and developers with accurate data. The project was unveiled during a regular meeting of RERA, held yesterday. Survey and Land Registration Bureau (SLRB) President, RERA Chairman Shaikh Salman bin Abdulla

bin Hamad Al-Khalifa presided over the session. The session discussed procedures to develop the real estate sector in line with the royal directives of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al-Khalifa. The meeting commended the policies of the Government chaired by His Royal Highness Prime Minister Prince Khalifa

bin Salman Al-Khalifa in applying modern procedures and enhance administrative performance. The meeting also paid tribute to His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Commander and First Deputy Prime Minister.

MoFA, Edamah join hands



During the deal signing

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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Bahrain Real Estate Investment Company (Edamah) signed an agreement to lift the Kingdom's leadership in political and economic diplomacy. As per the deal, Edamah will help develop the Ministry's work mechanisms and establish Bahraini embassies abroad to reflect the Kingdom's pro-

perity and success in various fields. The Undersecretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Dr Shaikha Rana bint Isa bin Daij Al Khalifa, and the Chief Executive Officer of Edamah, Amin Alarrayed, signed the agreement. Edamah is a real estate investment company and is one of the Kingdom's established property developing companies.

Two-hour rest for differently abled: CSB

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The President of the Civil Service Bureau (CSB) Ahmed bin Zayed Al Zayed, issued a directive to allocate two hours rest for employees with disabilities or those caring for

persons with disabilities. Government entities are required to update employees' data electronically in the Human Resources Management Information System, where a new feature has been added to allow the two hours of rest.



The US Embassy hosted a Majlis for ladies to celebrate Ramadan and the friendship between the United States and Bahrain. Wife of the US Ambassador, Arnavaz Siberell, hosted the Majlis on the theme Ramadan "Jalabiya," where Bahraini designer Batool Dadabahi displayed a number of her fashionable Jalabiya models. Female government officials, academics, journalists, exchange programme participants, and NGO representatives attended the event.



Ahmed Jawahery (left), the Chairman of KIMS Bahrain Medical Centre and the President of Royal Bahrain Hospital, Dr Sheriff Sahadulla (right), the Chief Executive Officer of KIMS Healthcare Group



KIMS Bahrain Healthcare which consists of Royal Bahrain Hospital, Royal Bahrain Medical Centre and KIMS Bahrain Medical Centre hosted their yearly Ghabga at the Ritz Carlton last week. Guests and dignitaries were welcomed by Ahmed Jawahery, the Chairman of KIMS Bahrain Medical Centre and the President of Royal Bahrain Hospital, Dr Sheriff Sahadulla, the Chief Executive Officer of KIMS Healthcare Group and Jacob Thomas, Executive Director (GCC) of KIMS Healthcare Group. The event was attended by diplomats, government officials, corporates and media representatives. Above, Jacob Thomas (fourth from left), Executive Director (GCC) and Rahma Jaber - General Manager (GCC).