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## **Palestine Securities Exchange (PSE)**


 Arab Paints Products Company (APC) disclosed its semi- annual financial statements for the first half of 2010, and the company's financial results as of 30/06/2010 indicated a pretax income of JOD 0.19 million compared to JOD 0.08 million in the first half of 2009.

 The General Manager and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Bank of Palestine (BOP) Mr. Hashem Al Shawa stressed out that the bank's assets and deposits exceeded one billion and 200 million dollars, while credit facilities operated by the Bank within the country exceeded USD 450 million.


## **Dubai Financial Market (DFM)**


 Shuaa Capital PSC, the United Arab Emirates' biggest investment bank, reported a second-quarter loss as the value of investments declined. The bank's first-half loss narrowed 65 % to AED 37.1 million compared to a loss of AED 106.2 million in the first half of 2009.


## **Abu Dhabi Stock Market (ADSM)**

 Dana gas that is specialized in exploration, refining and selling gas in Sharjah reported a decline in its profit to AED 66 million (1 Fils per share) during the first half of 2010; a drop of 82 % compared to the same period of 2009.

## **Egypt Stock Exchange (EGX30)**

 Juhayna Food Industries (JUFO) reported consolidated financial results posting a net profit of LE 100,358,169 for the period from 01/01/2010 till 30/06/2010. Noting that, it posted net profit of LE 29,104,297 for the period from 01/01/2009 till 30/06/2009.

 Egyptian real estate firm Palm Hills Developments (PHDC) said on Monday it would re-launch a delayed Red Sea development in the fourth quarter of 2010 and start marketing a bond issue by the end of the year.

 Egypt's High Administrative Court delayed a ruling on the appeal of Talaat Moustafa Group's (TMGH) Madinaty land deal case until September 14, the presiding judge said on Tuesday.