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


 Sultan bin Nasser Al Suwaidi the Governor of Central Bank confirmed that the banking system in the UAE is able to meet all future economic prospects, including any difficulties that may face the borrowers (companies or individuals) of Banks.

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


 Abu Dhabi-based Aabar Investments has applied to delist from the Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX) effective from September 8, 2010.


## **Amman Stock Exchange (ASE)**


 Approval to extend the period of Union Bank (UBSI) to purchase Treasury shares.


 "Ithmar Transportation", one of the subsidiaries of Al Fatihoun Al Arab for Industry & Trade (FATI) is in negotiations for a new project with a foreign company.

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

 Orascom Construction Industries (OCIC), the biggest publicly traded builder, said it expects "strong demand" for infrastructure projects in the Middle East, especially after electricity blackouts in the region this month.

 Citadel Capital (CCAP) said in a statement sent to Egyptian Stock Exchange that one of its shareholders "Emirates International Co."- Represented in Citadel BOD- has transferred 2.5 million of its shares in Citadel to HSBC.

 Palm Hills Developments SAE (PHDC), Egypt's second-biggest publicly traded Property Company is in talks to expand its bulk-sale agreement with Abu Dhabi-based Burooj Properties, according to Citigroup Inc. analyst David Spiez.

 Alexandria Pharmaceuticals (AXPH) declared cash dividends of LE 5.8 per share, payable on 28/09/2010. Shareholders as of 23/09/2010 are entitled to cash dividends distribution.