





CMS/L235/20 5th April 2020

Mr. Sameer A. AlKhan Assistant Group CEO Trafco Group B.S.C. P.O. Box 20202 Manama Kingdom of Bahrain

Dear Mr. AlKhan,

Subject: Extension to Purchase Up to 10% of Treasury Shares

Reference is made to Trafco Group B.S.C.'s ("Trafco") letter dated 2nd April 2020, on the above subject.

Please be advised that the Central Bank of Bahrain's ("CBB") Capital Markets Supervision Directorate ("CMSD") has no objection to extending the validity period for Trafco to purchase up to 10% of its issued shares for a further 90 days, subject to adherence to the following:

- To abide by the conditions stipulated in CMSD's letter (Ref. CMS/L002/14), dated 9th January 2014.
- 2. As a holder of treasury shares, Trafco is deemed as a Permanent Insider, therefore upmost care and due diligence must be taken by Trafco to ensure the Issuer's adherence to all CBB requirements, and particularly those stipulated under CBB's Volume 6 MAM Module of the CBB Rulebook when engaging in any transaction.
- 3. An immediate announcement of the company's intention to purchase its treasury shares is required to be made to the market, prior to the purchase of treasury shares.
- 4. The CBB approval is valid for 90 days from the date of this letter (i.e. till 3rd July 2020). Therefore, Trafco is required to utilize such approval and execute treasury shares transactions within this period.

Yours sincerely,

Abeer Al Saad

Director, Capital Markets Supervision Directorate

cc: Shaikh Khalifa Bin Ebrahim Al-Khalifa, CEO, Bahrain Bourse