



Ramadan 2024 Operating Hours

Please be advised that the timings for the Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB) during the Holy Month of Ramadan 2024 will be as per the following:-

The Banking Services Directorate will commence operations from 09:00 a.m. (Sunday to Thursday).

The timing for the Real Time Gross Settlement System (RTGS), the Scripless Securities Settlement (SSS) System, and the settlement of the Electronic Fund Transfer System (EFTS) files will be as per the schedule below:-

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| RTGS- SSS System Open: | 09:30 a.m. |
| RTGS- EFTS Session 1 Settlement: | 09:45 a.m. |
| RTGS- EFTS Session 2 Settlement: | 12:30 p.m. |
| RTGS- EFTS Session 3 Settlement: | 02:05 p.m. |
| RTGS- Customer Cutoff: | 02:15 p.m. |
| RTGS- Interbank Cutoff: | 02:25 p.m. |
| RTGS- SSS System Cutoff: | 02:30 p.m. |

Nevertheless, there is no change in the timings for the settlement of Bahrain Cheque Truncation System (BCTS) and e-Cheque (BECS) files.

Furthermore, the timing for the CBB Standing Facilities will be as per the schedule below:-

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| Repo Cutoff: | 01:30 p.m. |
| BD Secured Cutoff: | 02:45 p.m. |
| BHD Deposits and Wakalah Cutoff: | 02:45 p.m. |

Regards,

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