

PUBLIC REPORT ON WORLD INVESTOR WEEK 2017

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**CAPITAL MARKET DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
MALE' MALDIVES**



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Other IOSCO members:

Other participants: American Centre, Maldives; The Maldives National University, Women on Board

To mark the World Investor Week 2017 (2-8 October 2017), promoted by the International Organisation of Securities Commissions (IOSCO), CMDA has conducted various activities focusing on creating awareness about the capital market and Islamic finance. In addition, CMDA worked on disseminating information about the initiatives of CMDA with regards to education and training activities.

World Investor Week related programmes were facilitated by local experts in the area including, Dr. Aishath Muneeza, the chairperson of Capital Market Sharia Advisory Council (CMSAC), and Mr. Ali Munavvar from the Maldives Centre for Islamic Finance and staff of Capital Market Development Authority. The programmes conducted have trained more than 70 persons in the area of capital market and Islamic finance.

CMDA is grateful for the collaboration and assistance from The Maldives National University, Maldives Centre for Islamic Finance, Women on Board and American Centre.

World Investor Week Activities and Events carried by CMDA

The programmes included a quiz shared via Facebook that was open for the general public, information sessions to university students, the general public and a workshop on investing in the capital market and trading in financial securities in the secondary market.

1. CMDA Facebook Quiz (2- 8 October 2017)

The Quiz is open to individuals owning a personal Facebook account in the Maldives. The Quiz took place between 2nd October to 8th October 2017. A question was posted on official Facebook Page of CMDA on each day of the WIW. The questions were in the form of multiple choice and True/False statements. There were 38 users who have participated in the quiz and a single winner was selected through draw among the participants who have obtained the highest score. The winner of the quiz is Ms. Aishath Thahaani Rasheed. CMDA awarded the winner a grand prize consisting of a cash prize of MVR 1,000 (One Thousand Rufiyaa) and Ooredoo Data Dongle with 20 GB Data sponsored by Ooredoo Maldives Plc.



2. “Awareness Session on Capital market and Islamic Finance” for the students of Faculty of Education, Maldives National University

Capital market and Islamic finance programmes for the university students targeted aspiring teachers of Accounting, Business Studies and Economics from the Faculty of Education of the Maldives National University. This half-day session was conducted on the 3rd October 2017 and the session was focused on how stock market works in the Maldives and the current state of Islamic finance in the Maldives. A total of 31 participants completed the session from which, 28 participants were undergraduate teaching students and 3 lecturers.

3. “Awareness session on Islamic Finance” for the students of Faculty of Islamic studies, Maldives National University

This half day session on Islamic financial and Islamic Finance contracts was conducted for the students of Faculty of Islamic Studies of the Maldives National University on 7th October 2017. A total of 28 students completed the programme.

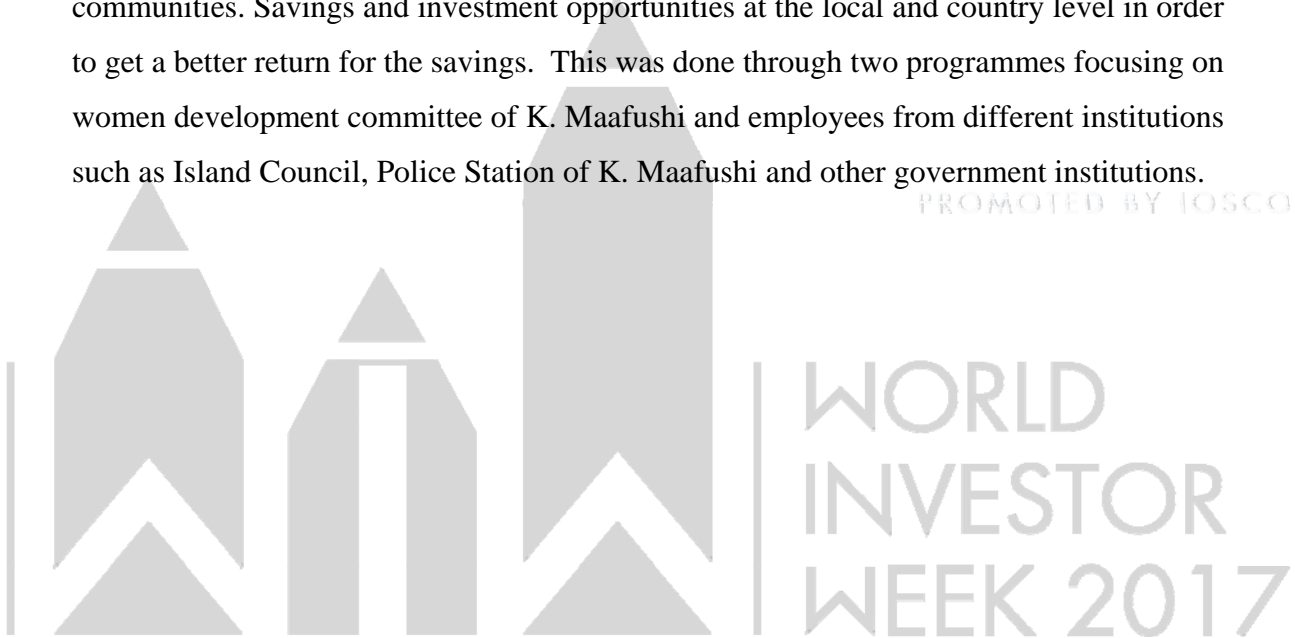
4. Programme on Trading and Investing in Securities for general public

This half day programmes for the general public was conducted on 8th October 2017 at American Center, Male' as a collaborative activity with Woman on Boards (WOB) and American Center. The purpose of this programme is to create awareness on trading and investing in securities on secondary market. A total number of 15 participants completed the programme.

5. Awareness activities for the islanders of K. Atoll Maafushi

The purpose of the trip is to create awareness about savings and investment in rural communities. Savings and investment opportunities at the local and country level in order to get a better return for the savings. This was done through two programmes focusing on women development committee of K. Maafushi and employees from different institutions such as Island Council, Police Station of K. Maafushi and other government institutions.

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