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Dear Sirs,

Pursuant to the provisions of article (4-1-1) of chapter 4 of Module 10 "Disclosure and Transparency" of the executive bylaw of Law No. (7) of 2010 and amendments issued under CMA resolution No. (72 of 2015) on 09/11/2015 concerning the disclosure of the critical information and the mechanism of disclosure thereto. Attached is the Credit Rating disclosure form related to the rating issued by Standard & Poor's (S&P) Rating Agency regarding the rating of Burgan Bank.

Best Regards,

Fadel Mahmoud Abdullah Acting CEO- Kuwait





## Credit Rating Disclosure Form

Date	29/11/2023
Name of Listed Company	Burgan Bank (K.P.S.C) (BBG)
Rating Agency	Standard & Poor's Global Ratings (S&P)
Rating Category	S&P affirms BBG's Issuer Credit Rating at "BBB+ / Stable / A-2"
Rating Drivers	<ul> <li>Standalone Credit profile (SACP): bb+</li> <li>Support: +3</li> <li>Additional factors: 0</li> <li>Issuer Credit Rating: BBB+ / Stable / A-2</li> </ul>
Rating Impact on the Company's Status	No impact
Rating Outlook	Stable
Translation of the Press Release or the Executive Summary	(Specific Relevant Section from S&P Rating Report)  Credit Highlights: Key strengths: A geographically diversified lending book. Adequate capitalization levels. High likelihood of government support if needed. Key risks: High exposure to real estate sector. Large related-party exposure. Potential risk from overseas operations.

The stable outlook on Burgan reflects S&P's expectation that its adequate earnings generation and strategic focus on the domestic market should help maintain capitalization at adequate levels. This is balanced by the bank's large related-party exposure, high lending concentration, and operations in riskier countries than Kuwait, which represent the main sources of risk for its asset quality.

Additional information is available on www.spglobal.com/ratingsdirect.

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