

Treasury Shares Program

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We don't see any better investment than in ourselves

- Management strongly believes that current share price does not fairly reflect the performance of the company and so; prefers to buyback the shares than from investors that are welling to sell at such levels instead of distributing dividends.
- That should reflect positively on the share price and so, other investors will be compensated by the potential capital gains arising from the potential appreciation of share price.

Treasury Shares Program will:

- ➤ Moderate financial ratios (positive ROA, ROE, EPS, and P/E).
- Allow the company to buy back some of its shares at a discounted price to use, sell or redeem in the future.
- Send a strong message to the market and investors about the genuine strong operational and financial performance of the company represented by its board and management.

Program Uses

Can be any of the following:

- Future selling of bought shares to potential investors/strategic partners...
- > Potential distribution of treasury shares as dividends to existing shareholders.
- > Potential debt settlement instrument for creditors.
- The Potential use of Treasury Shares for Employees Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP) to attract and retain talent.



Program Application

Regulations:

Federal Law By Decree No. 32 of 2021 on Commercial Companies

Ministerial Decision No. 539 of 2017 by The UAE Federal Ministry of Economy

- The program duration should **not exceed five years** from GM approval.
- Treasury shares **not to exceed 10%** from the authorized capital.
- Treasury shares has no right for dividends or voting on the company's GMs.
- The company is not allowed to buy any shares 15 days before / 3 days after disclosure of financial statements or any substantial information.
- The company is not allowed to buy its shares through subsidiaries companies or related companies.
- The company is not allowed to sell the treasury shares during the buying process.



Program Requirements

- > BOD decision on Treasury Shares Program and its Uses.
- > SCA no objection on Treasury Shares Program.
- ➤ MOE initial approval on Treasury Shares Program, and AGM Agenda.
- > Special resolution from AGM on Treasury Shares Program and its objectives.



Thank you...

