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Dlala brokerage and investment co. announces its financial statement for the year ended 31 of December 2010.

The board of directors of Dlala holding was held on Tuesday the 18th of January 2011, to discuss and approve the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010.

The financial results of the company has showed profit of QR 13.1 million riyals, with an Earnings per share of 0.66 riyals (sixty-six Dirhams), comparing to a loss last year amounted to 956 Thousand QR .

H.E. Mr. / Turki Bin Mohammad Al Khater Chairman of the Board of Directors stated that the company was able to overcome successfully the effects of the economic crisis witnessed globally over the past year to achieve such results despite low trading volumes in the stock market of Qatar.

Al Khater also pointed out that the company was able to increase significantly its market share volume in the QE by 20% in comparison to the last year and launched Dlala Real Estate Company, which began to enter the real estate market in mid of 2010 which managed to acquire a share of the real estate market.

He also added that the company's board of directors agreed to recommend a cash dividend to the shareholders by 8,5%, or 85 dirham per share and will raise this recommendation to the next AGM for approval.

He also said, "We are working in Dlala to employ its capital in the best optimal ways to achieve the best return for our shareholders through the diversification of activities and avoiding risk, especially in light of global economic conditions at the present time".

It is worthwhile to note that Dlala holding was established in May 2005 with a paid-up capital of QR 200 million, and in September of the same year became the first company in the financial services and investment sector from a non-banking industry to be listed in the Doha Securities Market, then it

established Dlala brokerage co. and Dlala Islamic co. afterwards, and since this time it was able to win the confidence of local investors and foreigners as well thanks to the company's superior experience in the market and in the field of financial services and investment.