New Schedule of Trading Hours in the ASE

The Amman Stock Exchange (ASE) has decided to amend the schedule of trading hours for all traded securities as of October 2nd, 2011, the new schedule includes the beginning of the pre-opening phase at 10:00 AM instead of 09:30 AM.

The CEO of the ASE, Mr. Jalil Tarif, said that amending the schedule of trading hours comes to provide an additional time to; contact listed companies to disclose all required information and results of general assembly meetings, contact Jordan Capital Market Institutions and other relevant departments regarding procedures of the public shareholding companies and the ASE's members, and take all technical and operational procedures necessary for the initiation of the trading session

Mr. Tarif pointed that, according to the new schedule set forth in the attached table, the pre-opening phase begins at 10:00 AM, and the trading session ends at 13:00.

Trading Hours in the Amman Stock Exchange

As of October 2nd, 2011

Beginning of Day Inquiry	08:30 - 10:00
Pre-Opening	10:00 - ± 10:30
Opening	± 10:30
Continuous Trading	± 10:30 - 12:30
Pre-Closing	12:30 - ±12:40
Closing	± 12:40
Trading at Last	± 12:40 - 12:50
Block Trades	12:50 - 13:00
Post Session	13:00