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**Law No. (1) of 2021 Approving the Accession of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the Multilateral Convention of Competent Authorities for the Exchange of Reports between the Relevant Countries**

**We, Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, King of the Kingdom of Bahrain.**

Having reviewed the Constitution;

Commercial Companies Law promulgated by Legislative Decree No. (21) of 2001, as amended; The Central Bank of Bahrain and the Financial Institutions Law promulgated by Law No. (64) of 2006, as amended;

Legislative Decree No. (27) of 2015 regarding the Commercial Register, as amended by Legislative Decree No. (52) of 2018;

And Law No. (13) of 2018 Approving the Accession of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the Convention on Mutual Administrative Assistance in Tax Matters in Its Form Amended by the 2010 Protocol, and the Multilateral Convention of Competent Authorities for the Exchange of Reports between the Relevant Countries, signed in the city of Manama on 22 December 2019;

The Shura Council and the Council of Representatives have approved the following Law, which we have ratified and enacted:

**Article One**

The accession of the Kingdom of Bahrain to the Multilateral Convention of Competent Authorities for the Exchange of Reports between the Relevant Countries, signed in the city of Manama on 22 December 2019, attached to this Law, has been approved.

**Article Two**

The Prime Minister and the Ministers - each within his jurisdiction - shall implement this Law, and it shall come into force from the day following the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

**King of the Kingdom of Bahrain**

**Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa**

Issued at Riffa Palace:

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