



CBUAE issues commemorative coins in collaboration with Ajman Tourism Development Department to celebrate the 30th anniversary of Ajman Museum

Abu Dhabi (24 August 2021): The Central Bank of the UAE (CBUAE), in collaboration with the Ajman Tourism Development Department (ATDD), announced the issuance of commemorative silver coins to mark the 30th anniversary of Ajman Museum.

By issuing these commemorative coins, both the CBUAE and ATDD seek to highlight the notable historical role conducted by His Highness Sheikh Humaid bin Rashid Al Nuaimi, member of the Supreme Council and Ruler of Ajman, and his interest in preserving the Emirati heritage, as well as celebrate the UAE's heritage and culture, including the vital role played by the Ajman Museum, one of the precious Emirati treasures with artifacts revealing the nation's valuable history.

The CBUAE will issue 1000 silver coins, each weighing 40 grams. The front side of the coin will feature the image of His Highness Sheikh Humaid bin Rashid Al Nuaimi, member of the UAE Supreme Council and Ruler of the Emirate of Ajman with the name of His Highness in Arabic and English, and the date of issuance in Gregorian and Hijri years (2021 and 1443 respectively). The coin's reverse side comprises a drawing of Ajman Museum, with the names of both the Museum and Central Bank of the UAE in Arabic and English.

All silver coins issued will be handed to the Ajman Tourism Development Department, and will not be available for sale at the Central Bank headquarters or branches, but rather it will retail in the Ajman Heritage District.

With regards to this issuance, **Sheikh Abdulaziz bin Humaid Al Nuaimi, Chairman of Ajman Tourism Development Department**, said that these commemorative coins come in honor of His Highness Sheikh Humaid bin Rashid Al Nuaimi, member of the Supreme Council and Ruler of Ajman, and his restless initiatives to preserve all aspects of the Emirati heritage, from architectural to social, cultural, and literary.

The Ajman Museum is the main museum in the Emirate of Ajman. The building, which dates from the eighteenth century, was the Ruler of Ajman's residence until 1970. It was converted into a police headquarters until 1979, becoming a museum thereafter.

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