

[Lebanese public sector pay cut in half](#)

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BEIRUT: Military pensioners and angry public sector workers held demonstrations on Thursday after being told that their already eroded pay had effectively been cut in half overnight.

The cut will take effect in April when the government calculates salaries using an exchange rate of one US dollar to 90,000 Lebanese pounds, double the rate used in February. The black-market rate, which many shops use, is now more than 100,000 pounds to the dollar. Four years ago, it was closer to 2,000.



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[Arab League calls for serious measures to end Israeli occupation](#)

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CAIRO: On the commemoration of the 47th Palestinian Land Day, the Arab League has called on the international community to take serious measures to end the

Israeli occupation of Palestine.

The AL's General Secretariat underlined the need to grant Palestinians the right to freedom and independence, reported Kuwait News Agency on Thursday.



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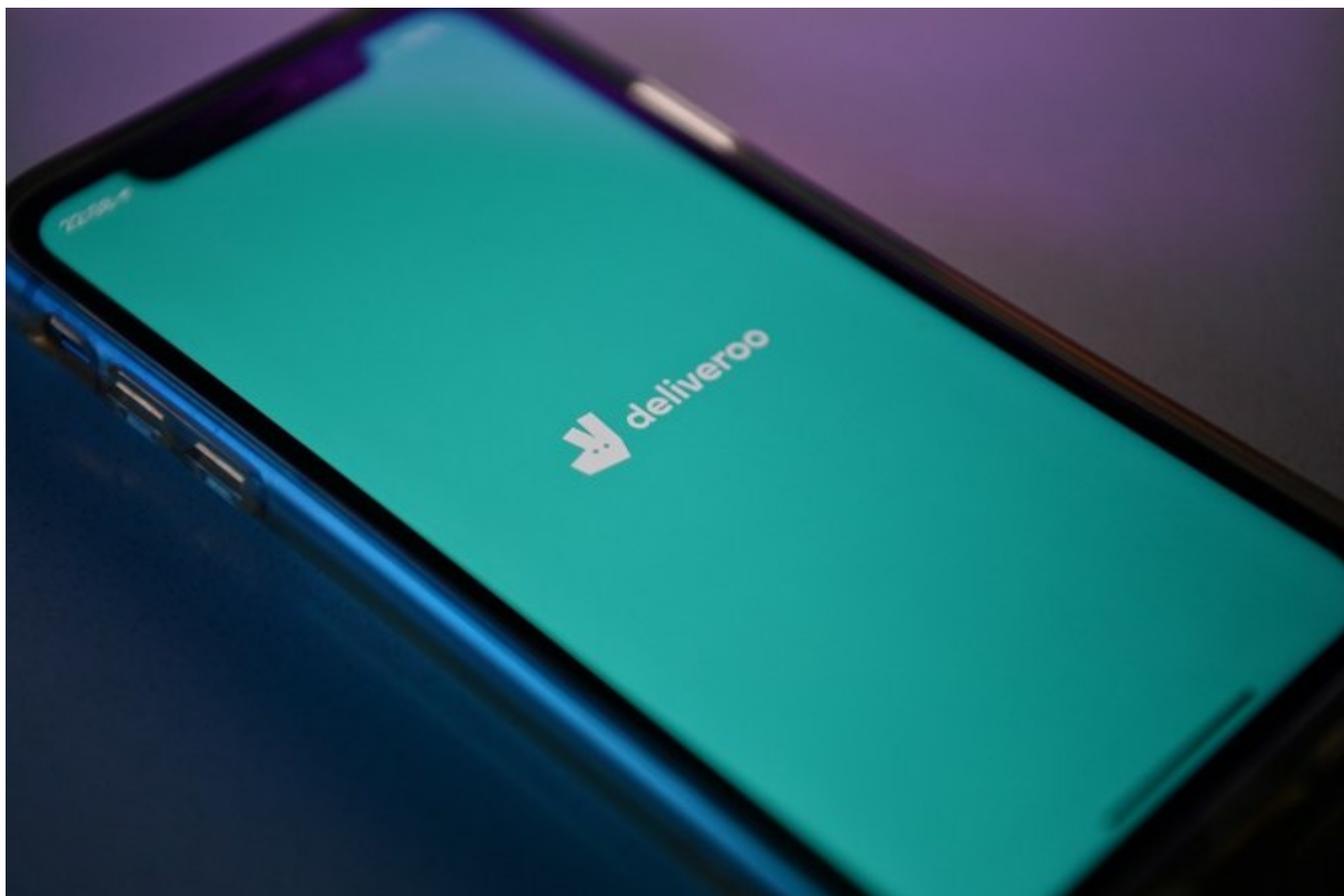
[Deliveroo joins UAE Ramadan campaign to provide sustainable food aid](#)

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DUBAI: Food delivery company Deliveroo has announced its participation in the UAE's "1 Billion Meals Endowment" campaign, Emirates News Agency reported on Thursday.

The Ramadan campaign, launched by Dubai Ruler Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al-Maktoum, aims to create a sustainable and resilient food aid system to combat hunger and provide a safety net for vulnerable groups

Deliveroo users can donate the value of meals through the app in denominations ranging from AED 10-500 (\$2.70-\$136).



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[Abu Dhabi University advances in World University Rankings by Subject](#)

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ABU DHABI: Abu Dhabi University has advanced in the Quacquarelli Symonds World Rankings by Subject 2023 across a number of disciplines. The improvement in its ranking for business and management studies was particularly impressive, as it climbed at least 250 places to be placed between 251 and 300 globally and second in the UAE, reflecting its academic excellence, the Emirates News Agency reported on Thursday.



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[UAE appoints a vice president and a crown prince for Abu Dhabi](#)

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DUBAI: The United Arab Emirates appointed a new vice president, two deputy rulers and a crown prince for Abu Dhabi on Wednesday.

Mansour Bin Zayed will serve as vice president alongside Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, vice president, prime minister and ruler of Dubai, Emirates News Agency said.

President of the UAE, Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed has issued two Emiri decrees appointing Hazza bin Zayed as deputy ruler of Abu Dhabi, and Tahnoun bin Zayed as deputy ruler of Abu Dhabi. An Emiri decree appointed Khaled bin Mohamed bin Zayed as the crown prince of Abu Dhabi.



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