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**Legislative Decree No. (25) of 2021 amending some provisions of Law No. (10) of 2006 regarding the Functions and Competences of the National Oil and Gas Authority, established by Decree No. (63) of 2005, and amending some provisions of the Legislative Decree No. (42) of 1999 establishing the Bahrain Petroleum Company**

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

Having reviewed the Constitution, in particular Article (38) thereof;

Law No. (10) of 2006 regarding the Functions and Competences of the National Oil and Gas Authority, established by Decree No. (63) of 2005, and amending some provisions of the Legislative Decree No. (42) of 1999 establishing the Bahrain Petroleum Company;

And upon the submission of the Prime Minister;

And after the approval of the Council of Ministers,

**Hereby Decree the following Law:**

**Article One:**

The name of Law No. (10) of 2006 regarding the Functions and Competences of the National Oil and Gas Authority, established by Decree No. (63) of 2005, and amending some provisions of the Legislative Decree No. (42) of 1999 establishing the Bahrain Petroleum Company shall be amended to be “Law No. (10) of 2006 regarding Some functions and competences of the competent Authorities for oil and gas, and amending some provisions of Legislative Decree No. (42) of 1999 establishing the Bahrain Petroleum Company.

**Article Two**

The phrase “The authority designated by decree.” shall replace the phrase “the National Oil and Gas Authority” mentioned in Article one, and the phrase “The Authority designated by decree.” shall replace the phrases “the board of directors of the National Oil and Gas Authority” and “the National Oil and Gas Authority” mentioned in Article Two of Law No. (10) of 2006 regarding the Functions and Competences of the National Oil and Gas Authority, established by Decree No. (63) of 2005, and amending some provisions of the Legislative Decree No. (42) of 1999 establishing the Bahrain Petroleum Company.

**Article Three**

The phrase “And Article Two of Decree No. (78) of 2005 regarding the constitution of the Board of Directors of the National Oil and Gas Authority and specifying its purposes and competences” mentioned in Article One of Law No. (10) of 2006 regarding the Functions and Competences of the National Oil and Gas Authority, established by Decree No. (63) of 2005, and amending some provisions of the Legislative Decree No. (42) of 1999 establishing the Bahrain Petroleum Company, shall be repealed.

**Article Four**

The Prime Minister and the ministers- each within his jurisdiction- shall implement the provisions of 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**

**Prime Minister**

**Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa**

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