

Snapshot	Currency	Closing/ Ref Price	% Change
<b>Equities</b>			
BODCO	SCR	24	-
SACOS	SCR	140	-
SCRF	ZAR	109	-
SHI	USD	1	-
SBL	SCR	80	-
WMUSM5	USD	1	-
<b>FX (Bank rate – notes)</b>			
SCR/USD		13.48	0.30%
SCR/EUR		14.34	0.14%
SCR/GBP		16.84	0.18%
<b>Treasury Bills</b>			
91-day	SCR	6.53	7.40%
182-day	SCR	6.76	3.05%
<b>Commodities</b>			
Crude Oil (Brent)	USD/bbl	55.37	3.73%
Gold	USD/t.oz	1254.30	0.30%

## Trop-X Market News

In Trop-X News, following the listing of WMSAR1 on 28 March 2017, the Company needed to raise an additional ZAR1,799,800 due to fluctuations in construction costs. The Company has revised the Property Supplement as per the Market Announcement published this morning. Trop-X (Seychelles) Limited, the Seychelles Securities Exchange, has granted an additional listing of 1,799,800 shares to SA Res 1 Zero2One Limited in relation to its ordinary Participation Shares pursuant to the Property Supplement dated 25 March 2017 as revised.

## Prices rising in Seychelles despite Central Bank moves to reduce borrowing

Despite a rise in interest rates last year to encourage savings, which puts more funds into the island nation's economy, prices still rose across Seychelles because of higher demand for credit and foreign exchange, Central Bank officials said. The governor of the Central Bank of Seychelles (CBS), Caroline Abel, said this week that: "Increased importation means a pressure on foreign exchange as well, which is why the CBS has had to tighten its monetary policy. - *Seychelles News Agency*

## SeyCCAT Board appoints CEO and sets future plans to launch Requests for Proposals

After an extensive search, with the vacancy advertised locally and internationally, the SeyCCAT (Seychelles Conservation and Climate Adaptation Trust) board of directors met on March 31 to welcome the newly appointed chief executive, Martin Callow, MBA, back to Seychelles. Mr Callow had previously worked in Seychelles (from 1998-2002), coordinating the Royal Geographical Society 'Shoals of Capricorn Programme', and on various research trips in later years. - *Seychelles Nation*

## Regional

### Anglo American to sell Eskom-tied coal operations in South Africa

Miner Anglo American said on Monday it would sell its Eskom-tied domestic thermal coal operations in South Africa to a unit of Seriti Resources Holdings for 2.3 billion rand (\$166.43 million). The thermal coal operations that mainly supply coal to Eskom consist of the New Vaal, New Denmark and Kriel collieries, as well as four closed collieries, Anglo American said. – *CNBC Africa*

## International

### Outlook for City after Brexit 'has improved'

The outlook for the UK financial sector has improved since Brexit was triggered, the policy chief for the City of London Corporation has said. Mark Boleat said London would remain a leading financial hub, with only a few banking jobs likely to move. Urging speedy trade talks, he added: "We would hope that the negotiations go quickly and go well." The triggering of Article 50 of the Lisbon Treaty last month began the two year countdown to the UK's EU exit. - *BBC*

All figures accurate as at 10 Apr 2017 and compared to last week's figures. Data sourced from Bloomberg and the Central Bank of Seychelles