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RABAT (Reuters) - Morocco has suspended the activities of pan-Arab Al Jazeera television on its territory, Morocco's official MAP news agency reported on October 29, citing the Communications Ministry. The agency said the suspension would take immediate effect and that the accreditations of the Qatar-based television station's staff in Morocco would also be suspended. It did not give any reason for the decision.