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A Summary of Key Statistics
and Achievements
of the Ministry's Departments
important statistics and special
achievements

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Introduction

We present to you this monthly economic bulletin is a monthly issue that monitors the most important statistics and special achievements in the departments of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry and the most prominent monthly economic events, issued especially for those interested in the economic affairs of the State of Kuwait in general on the Ministry's website.

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persons companies

May 2025			
Total Applications for the Establishment of Partnership Companies			
total	Approved	Rejected	New Applications
6489	1239	3631	57
Total Approved Applications After Review			
Approved	Companies Under Establishment	Companies Established	candelled
2574	1239	1801	144
Licensing			
Total License Applications for Partnership Companies			
Total Submitted License Applications		Total Issued Licenses	Applications Under Issuance
3049		3312	947

Based on the data collected in the table above, and upon analyzing certain available figures for the month of May, it is observed that the number of new establishment applications for partnership companies amounted to 57. The number of rejected applications reached 3,631, while 1,239 applications were approved. Furthermore, the total number of approved applications that were later canceled after review stood at 144. During the same period, 1,801 companies were officially established, and 1,239 companies are currently in the process of being established. The total number of fully approved applications reached 2,574.

In addition, the total number of partnership company license applications currently under issuance was 947. The number of licenses issued reached 3,312, while the total number of submitted license applications amounted to 3,049.

These figures reflect the Kuwait Business Center's commitment to improving the ease of doing business, enhancing the efficiency of company registration and licensing processes, and supporting the growth of partnership companies within the State of Kuwait.

Statistics of Companies and Licenses for Mobile Vehicles

May2025			
Total Registered Establishment Applications			
total	Approved	Rejected	New Applications
0	0	0	0
Total Approved Applications After Review			
Approved	Companies Under Establishment	Companies Established	Cancelled
0	0	0	0
Mobile Vehicle Licenses			
Applications Under Issuance	Licenses Issued	Applications Submitted	Companies Established
0	0	0	0

Statistics of Special Nature Companies and Licenses

May 2025			
Total Registered Establishment Applications			
total	Approved	Rejected	New Applications
0	0	0	0
Total Approved Applications After Review			
Approved	Companies Under Establishment	Companies Established	Cancelled
0	0	3	0
Special Nature Licenses			
Applications Under Issuance	Licenses Issued	Applications Submitted	Companies Established
1	4	8	3

It is evident from the table above that, in the section of total approved applications after review related to special nature companies and licenses, **three (3) companies** were established. Additionally, under the category of special nature licenses, **three (3) companies** were established, **eight (8) license applications** were submitted, **four (4) licenses** were issued, and **one (1) application** is currently under issuance during the month of **May 2025**.

Statistics of Micro-Enterprises and Freelance Licenses

May 2025			
Total Registered Establishment Applications			
total	Approved	Rejected	New Applications
1362	262	565	2
Total Approved Applications After Review			
Approved	Companies Under Establishment	Companies Established	Cancelled
775	262	654	26
Micro-Enterprise Freelance Licenses			
Applications Under Issuance	Licenses Issued	Applications Submitted	Companies Established
61	664	717	487

It is noted from the table above that the total number of newly registered establishment applications for micro-enterprise companies and freelance licenses reached two (2) new applications, with 565 applications rejected, and 262 applications approved.

Additionally, the total number of approved applications after review for micro-enterprise companies and freelance licenses included 26 canceled applications, 654 companies established, 262 companies under establishment, and 775 total approved applications.

As for micro-enterprise freelance licenses, a total of 487 licenses were issued for established companies, 717 applications were submitted, 664 licenses were issued, and 61 applications are currently under issuance during May 2025.

Commercial Control Department

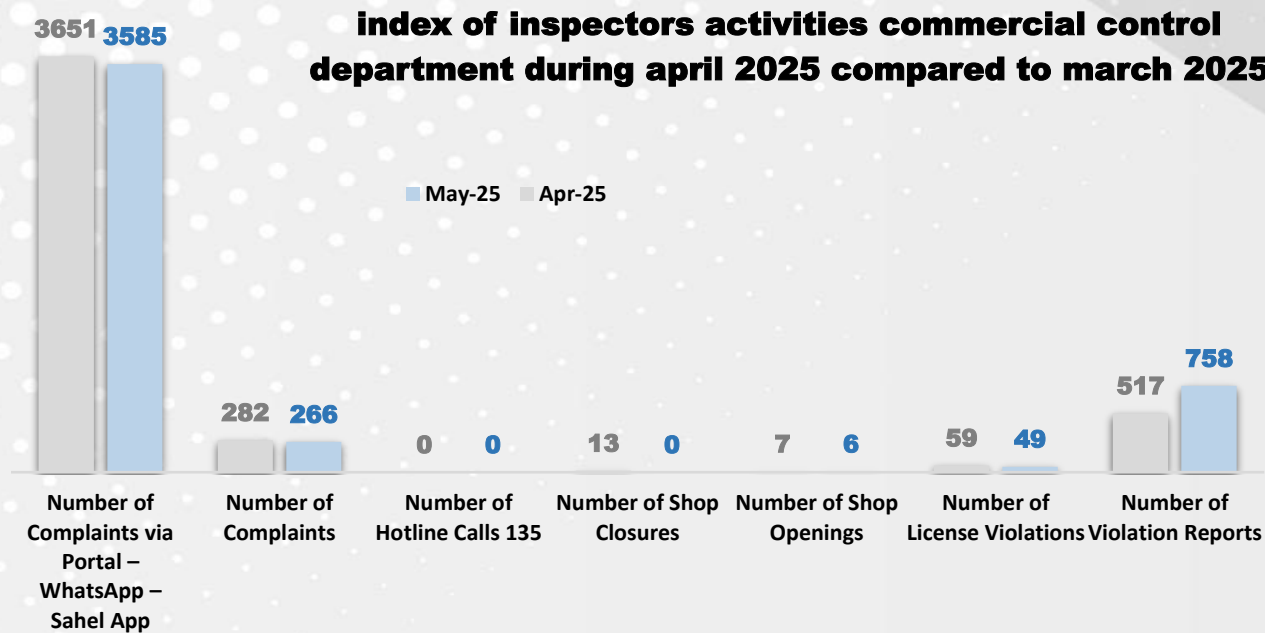
Percentage of Change	May 2025	April 2025	Inspectors' Activities	s
52%	758	517	Number of Violation Reports	1
-17%	49	59	Number of License Violations	2
-14%	6	7	Number of Store Openings	3
-100%	0	13	Number of Store Closures	4
0%	0	0	Number of Hotline 135 Calls	5
-6%	266	282	Number of Complaints	6
-2%	3585	3651	Number of Complaints via Portal, WhatsApp, and "Sahl" Application	7

Commercial Control Department – May 2025 Report

Upon reviewing the data for the Commercial Control Department for May 2025, the following is noted: The inspectors' activities resulted in the issuance of **758 violation reports** during May, representing an **increase of 52%** compared to the previous month. The number of commercial violations recorded in May 2025 was **49**, reflecting a **decrease of 17%** from the previous month.

Additionally, **6 stores were opened**, marking a **14% decrease**, while the total number of complaints received reached **266**, showing a **6% decline** compared to the previous month. Complaints submitted through the portal, WhatsApp, and the "Sahl" application totaled **3,585**, indicating a **2% decrease** from April 2025.

index of inspectors activities commercial control department during april 2025 compared to march 2025



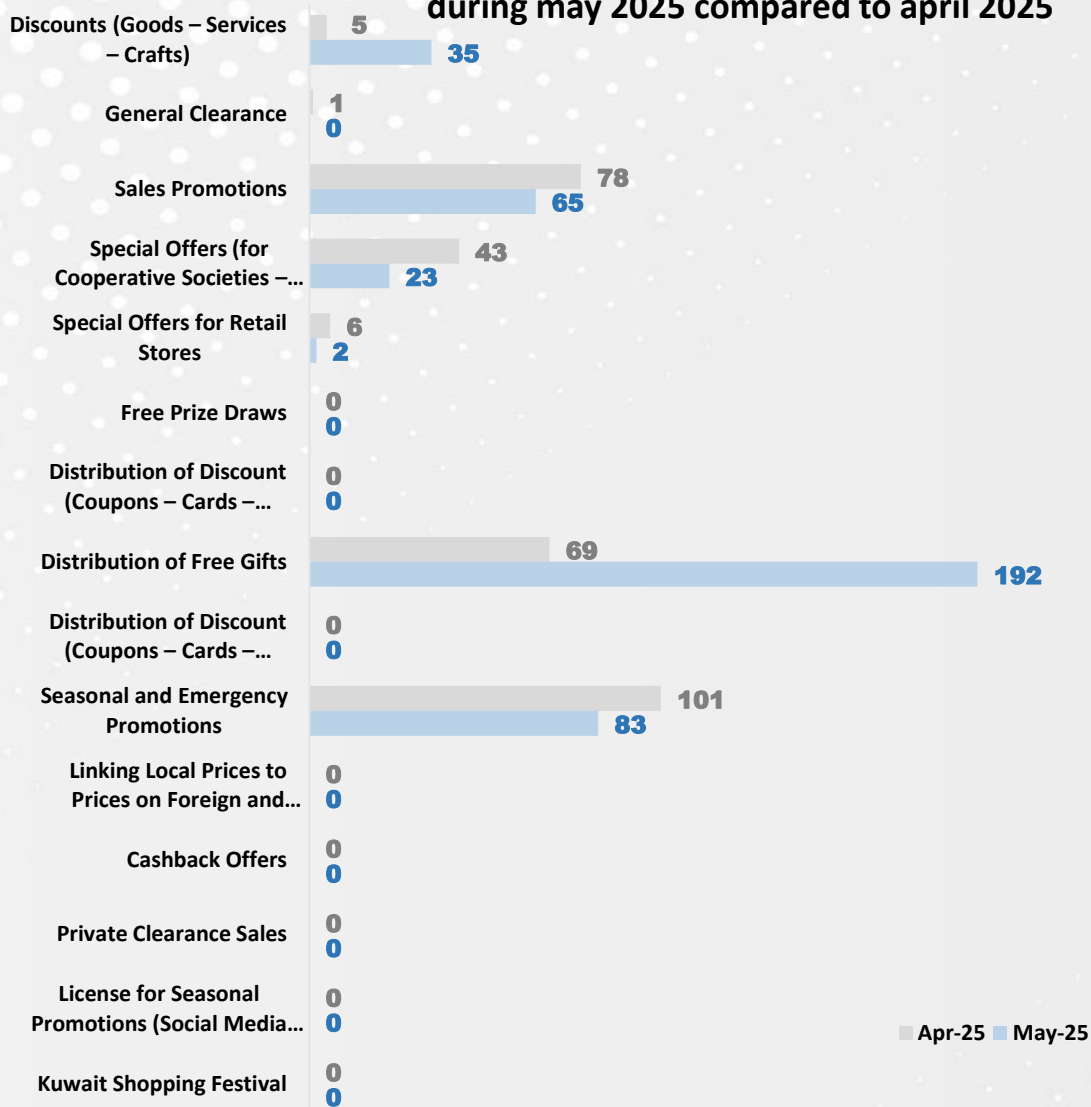
Consumer Protection Department

Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	M
600%	35	5	Discounts (Goods - Services - Letters)	1
-100%	0	1	General Filtering	2
-17%	65	78	Downloads	3
-47%	23	43	- Special Offer (for Cooperative Societies (Central Markets	4
-67%	2	6	Special Offer Shops	5
178%	192	69	Distribution of free gifts	8
-18%	83	101	Seasonal & Emergency Offers	10
32%	400	303	comprehensive	
0%	3	3	Number of Summons Books	
-95%	349	7003	Number of Vehicles Required for Manufacturing Defects	
0%	0	0	Number of Goods Required for Manufacturing Defects	

By reviewing the data of the Consumer Protection Department for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

(35) discount transactions (goods - services - crafts) were issued, with an increase of 600% compared to the previous month, and the number of sale transactions reached (65) transactions, a decrease of 17%, and (23) special offer transactions were issued (for cooperative societies - central markets) with a decrease of 47%, and (2) special offer transactions were issued for shops, with a decrease of 67%, and the distribution of free gifts amounted to (192) transactions. The number of seasonal and emergency offers transactions reached (83) transactions, a decrease of 18% compared to the previous month, noting that (3) recall letters were prepared, and the number of vehicles required for manufacturing defects amounted to (349) vehicles, a decrease of 95%.

transactions index for consumer protection department during may 2025 compared to april 2025



Joint Stock Companies Management

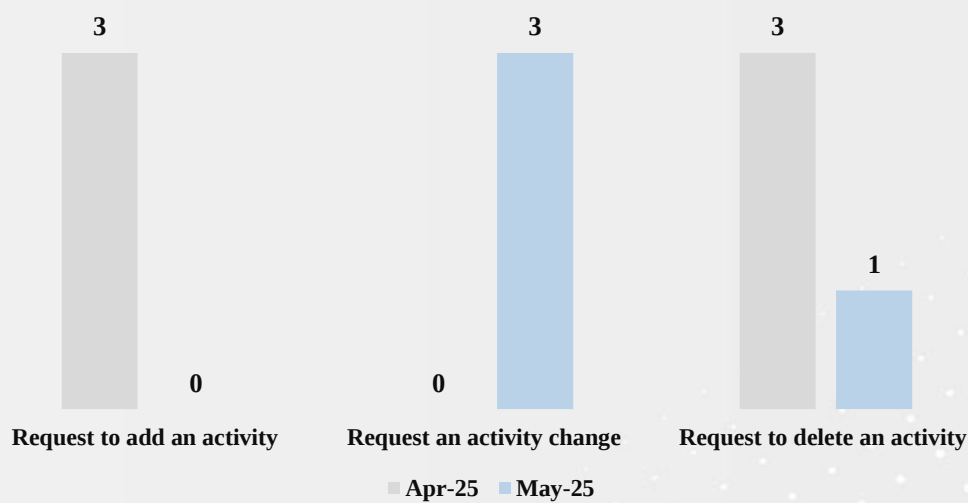
Joint Stock Companies			Type of Transaction	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
100%	2	1	Fees for incorporation of a closed joint stock company	1
-60%	2	5	Request for Renewal of a General Shareholding License	2
-4%	24	25	Request for Renewal of a Closed Master Shareholding License	3
200%	3	1	Request for Issuance of a Locked Master License	4
-100%	0	1	Request to Cancel a Locked License	5
4%	26	25	Request a Change of Address	6
-100%	0	2	Request for Issuance of a General Branch License	7
50%	9	6	Request for Issuance of a Closed Branch License	8
30%	13	10	Request for Renewal of Public Shareholding License Branch	9
9%	47	43	Request for Renewal of a Closed Shareholding License Branch	10
200%	3	1	Request for Cancellation of General License Branch	11
-50%	2	4	Request to Cancel a Closed License Branch	12
-100%	0	3	Request to add an activity	13
0%	3	0	Request an activity change	14
-67%	1	3	Request to delete an activity	15
0%	2	0	Renewal of the license to practice the profession of auditing	16
-100%	0	2	Request for a Replacement for a Lost Auditor's License	17
20%	326	271	Request for attestation of an auditor's signature	18

By reviewing the data of the management of joint stock companies for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

The number of transactions for the fees for the establishment of a closed joint stock company was (2) transactions with an increase of 100% compared to the previous month, (2) transactions for the renewal of a general shareholding license with a decrease of 60% compared to the previous month, (24) transactions for the renewal of a closed main shareholding license with a decrease of 4%, and (3) transactions for the issuance of a closed main shareholding license (200%) increase, (26) address change request transactions with an

increase of 4%, (9) transactions of a request for the issuance of a closed branch license with an increase of 50%, (13) transactions of a request to renew a branch of a public shareholding license with an increase of 30%, (47) transactions of a request to renew a closed joint stock license branch with an increase of 9%, and (3) application transactions Cancellation of a General Branch License with an increase of 200%, (2) Transaction of Request to Cancel a Closed License Branch by 50%, (3) Transaction of Request to Change Activity, (1) Transaction of Request to Delete an Activity by 67% Compared to the Previous Month, (2) Transaction of Renewal of the License to Practice the Profession of Auditing, and (326) Transaction of Request for the Ratification of the Signature of an Auditor by an increase 20% over the previous month.

**report on activity amendments in joiny-stock
companies during may 2025 compared to april 2025**



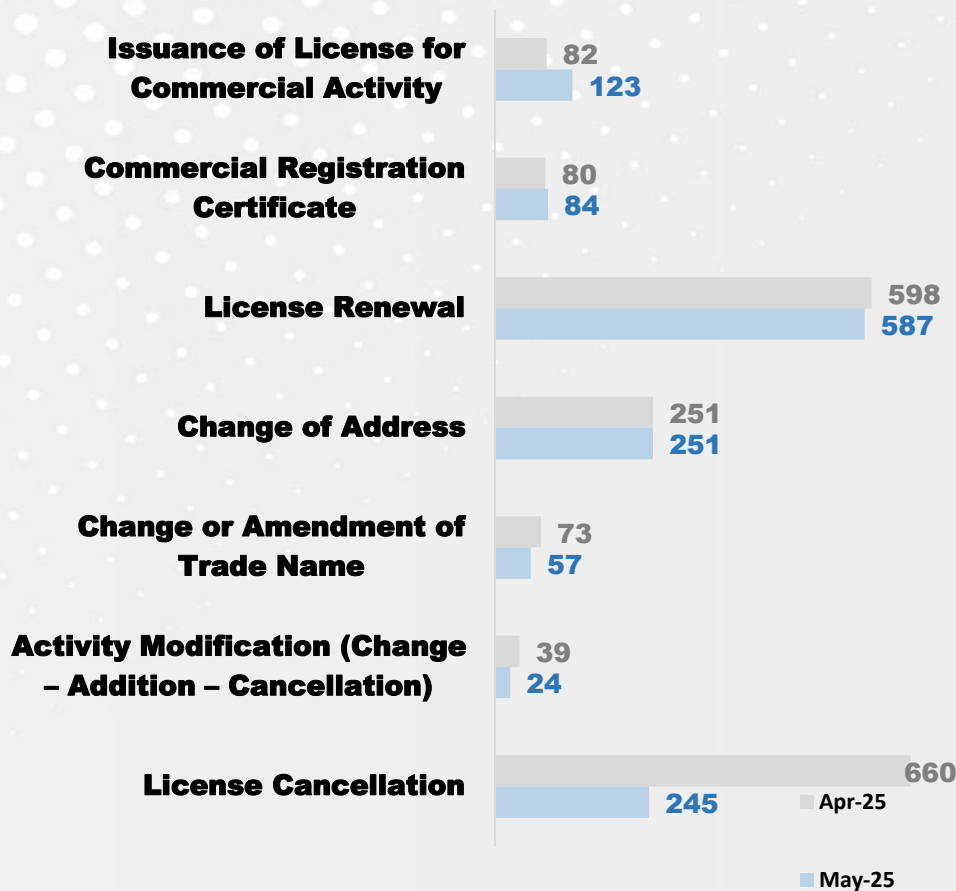
Commercial Licensing Department

Normal person			Type of transactions	s
Percentage change	May 2025	April 2025		
50%	123	82	Issuance of a Business License	1
8%	53	49	Issuance of a new license with an artisanal activity	2
0%	0	0	Issuance of a new license with consultancy activity	3
5%	84	80	Commercial Registration Certificate	4
-2%	587	598	License Renewal	5
0%	251	251	Change of Address	6
-22%	57	73	Change or modification of a trade name	7
-38%	24	39	Modify an activity (change-add-cancel)	8
-63%	245	660	License revocation	9
0%	13	13	Transfer to Heirs	10
0%	2	1	Change of Agent of Heirs	11
55%	48	31	Waiver of License with Business	12
-41%	10	17	Assignment of license with artisanal activity	13
0%	0	0	Assignment of License with Consultancy Activity	14
-50%	1	2	Issuance of the Brokerage Book	15
0%	13	13	Renewal of the Brokerage Book	16
0%	0	0	Changing the Brokerage Profession	17
-21%	1511	1909	Total	

By reviewing the data of the Commercial Licenses Department (Natural Person) for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

(123) licenses with commercial activity were issued, an increase of 50% compared to the previous month, while the transactions for the issuance of a new license with a professional activity amounted to (53) transactions, an increase of 8%, the transaction of the commercial registration certificate amounted to (84) transactions, an increase of 5%, and the transaction of license renewal amounted to (587) transactions, a decrease of 2%, and the address was changed, where the number of transactions reached (251). The number of transactions for changing or amending the trade name reached (57) transactions, a decrease of 22%, and for the transactions of modifying the activity, (24) transactions were made, with a decrease of 38%, while the cancellation of the license was (245) transactions, with a decrease of 63% compared to the previous month, and the number of transactions for the transfer of heirs reached (13) transactions, as for the change of the heirs' agent, the number of (2) transactions for the month of April 2025, the number of (48) license waiver transactions with a commercial activity with an increase of 55%, and the number of (10) license waiver transactions with a professional activity with a decrease of 41%. The transactions of the issuance of the brokerage book amounted to (1) transactions, with a decrease of 50%, and the transactions of the renewal of the brokerage book amounted to (13) transactions.

transactions of the natural person during may compared to april 2025



Continue/ Commercial Licenses Department

الشخص الاعتباري			نوع المعاملة	م
نسبة التغيير	May-25	Apr-25		
100%	4	2	إصدار ترخيص جديد	1
23%	32	26	تجديد الترخيص	2
200%	3	1	تغيير عنوان	3
0%	0	0	التغيير أو التعديل على اسم تجاري	4
-100%	0	2	تعديل نشاط (تغيير-إضافة-إلغاء)	5
0%	31	0	إلغاء الترخيص	6

0%	27	27	ترخيص بدل فاقد	7
67%	97	58	إجمالي	

By reviewing the transaction data of the Commercial Licenses Department for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

(4) new licenses were issued with an increase of 100%, and (32) licenses were renewed with an increase of 23%, while the transaction of changing the address was changed by (3) by 200%, (31) licenses for the legal person were canceled, and (27) licenses were issued to replace the lost legal person.

Follow / Commercial Licenses Department

Legal Person			Natural Person			Number of Establishments by Sectors	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
0%	3	3	32%	129	98	General trade activities and related services	1
0%	0	0	29%	22	17	Industries activities for textiles, apparel and leather and related services	2
0%	0	0	0%	0	0	Tourism activities and related services	3
0%	0	0	-33%	2	3	Real estate activities and related services	4
0%	0	0	-16%	27	32	Maintenance and repair services (simple crafts) and related services activities	5

0%	0	0	40%	28	20	Accommodation, food and related services	6
0%	0	0	333%	13	3	Contracting activities and related services	7
0%	0	0	200%	3	1	Professional, scientific, technical and advisory activities and related services	8
0%	0	0	200%	3	1	Printing activities and related services	9
0%	0	0	50%	6	4	Transportation, storage and related services	10
0%	0	0	0%	3	0	Information and communication activities and related services	11
0%	1	0	233%	10	3	Food Industry Activities and Related Services	12
0%	0	0	-63%	3	8	Leasing activities, use activities and related services	13
0%	0	0	-75%	1	4	Repair, maintenance and installation activities of machinery, equipment and related services	14
0%	0	0	0%	1	0	Human health, social work and related services	16
0%	0	0	0%	0	0	Furniture Manufacturing Activities and Related Services	17
0%	0	0	0%	0	0	Arts , entertainment , entertainment and related services	18
0%	0	0	0%	0	0	Financial, Insurance and Related Services Activities	19
0%	0	0	0%	1	1	Activities of administrative services and business support and related services	20
0%	0	0	0%	2	0	Services for buildings and related services	21
0%	0	0	0%	0	0	Educational and Educational Activities and Related Services	22
33%	4	3	30%	254	195	Total	

By reviewing the data of the Commercial Licenses Department for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

The number of commercial licenses issued for various sectors reached (254) licenses, the highest (general trade activities and related services) with (129) licenses for natural persons, followed by (residence activities, restaurants and related services) with (28) licenses, followed by (maintenance and repair services activities, simple crafts and related services) with (27) licenses in May 2025.

People Companies Management

Main Companies			Type of Transaction	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
17%	1510	1287	Issuance of a permanent/temporary license (persons companies)	1
20%	1226	1025	License Renewal	2
18%	1559	1317	Change of Address	3
3%	209	202	Change of brand name	4
28%	1020	799	Amendment of the management item	5

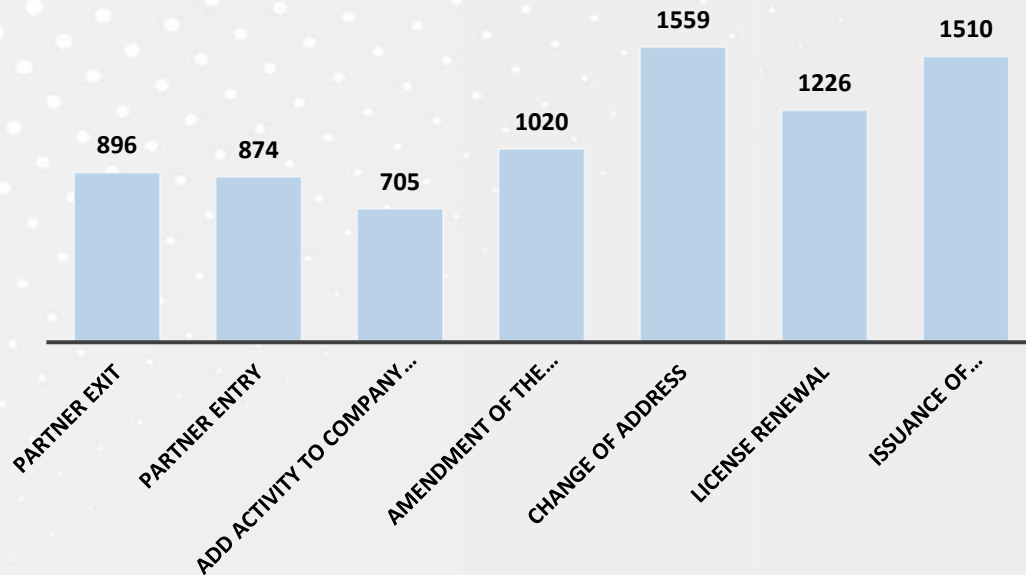
3%	90	87	Edit or add a business address	6
13%	221	196	Add a license activity	7
38%	155	112	Delete an activity from a license	8
42%	705	497	Add activity to the company's contract	9
38%	142	103	Delete an activity from the company's contract	10
17%	68	58	Change of Company Contract Activity	11
57%	124	79	Change of business license activity	12
28%	109	85	Capital Increase	13
100%	10	5	Capital Reduction	14
23%	404	329	Adjustment of quotas	15
28%	874	682	Partner Login	16
25%	896	717	Exit Partner	17
83%	106	58	Dissolution and liquidation of the company	18
28%	51	40	Change of the legal entity of the company	19
44%	302	210	Request for a True License for Corporate Management	20
8%	13714	12710	Request to print an extract or affidavit	21
117%	13	6	Re-issuance of a license under the decision of the Status Adjustment Committee	22
14%	23508	20604	comprehensive	

By reviewing the data on the management of persons companies (main companies) for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

(1510) permanent/temporary licenses were issued for main personal companies with an increase of 17% compared to the previous month, while the license renewal transactions were (1226) transactions with an increase of 20% compared to April 2025, and the address of (1559) main companies was changed by an increase of 18%, and the number of transactions for changing the trade name reached (209) transactions with an increase of 3As for the transactions of amending the management item, (1020) transactions were made, with an increase of 28%, while the amendment or addition of a commercial address was (90) transactions, with an increase of 3%, the number of transactions for adding a license activity amounted to (221) transactions, an increase of 13%, while the number of deletion of an activity from a license amounted to (155) transactions, an increase of 38%, and the number of (705)) transactions in adding an activity to the company's contract with an increase of 42%, and the number of (142) transactions deleting an activity from the company's contract with an increase of 38%, while the change in the activity of the company's contract was (68) transactions with an increase of 17%, and as for the number of transactions to change the commercial license activity, it reached (124) transactions, an increase of 57% compared to the previous month, in the transactions of increasing the capital, (109) transactions were made.) transactions in the current month with an increase of 28%, and a number of (10) transactions in the reduction of the capital with an increase of 100%, and a number of (404) shares were amended with an increase of 23%, and the number of transactions in the entry of a partner reached (874) transactions with an increase of 28%, and the number of (896) transactions in the exit of a partner with an increase of 25%, and the number of (106) transactions in the exit of a partner with an increase of (25%), and the number of (106)) transactions in the dissolution and liquidation of the company with an increase of 83%, the number of (51) transactions of the legal entity of the company were changed in the current month with an increase of 28%, the number of applications for a true license for the management of companies reached (302) applications with an increase of 44%, in the transactions of the request to print an extract or a statement (13714) transactions with an increase of 8%, the re-

issuance of a license according to the decision of the Committee for the Adjustment of Conditions amounted to (13) transactions with an increase of 117% from a month April 2025.

main transactions of partnership during may 2025



Follow/Manage Persons Companies

Affiliates			Type of Transaction	
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
24%	399	322	Issuance of a branch of a company of persons	1
24%	467	378	License Renewal	2
11%	241	218	Edit Address	3
59%	54	34	Request to Amend the Branch Trade Name	4
-33%	224	332	Request for Cancellation of License/Branch	5
16%	52	45	Request for a True License for Corporate Management	6
0%	1	1	Issuing a Gulf Company Branch	7
8%	1438	1330	comprehensive	

By reviewing the data on the management of persons companies (corporate branches) for the month of May 2025, we found the following: -

A number of (399) transactions were issued for the branches of the company with an increase of 24% compared to the previous month, and a number of (467) transactions for license renewal with an increase of 24%, while the transactions for changing the address were (241) transactions with an increase of 11%, and the number of transactions requesting to amend the trade name of the branch amounted to (54) transactions with an increase of 59%, and (224) requests for the cancellation of a license/branch were requested in the current month with a decrease 33% compared to the previous month, and the number of transactions for applying for a true license for the management of companies reached (52) transactions, an increase of 16%, and (1) transactions were issued in the Gulf company's branch in the current month.

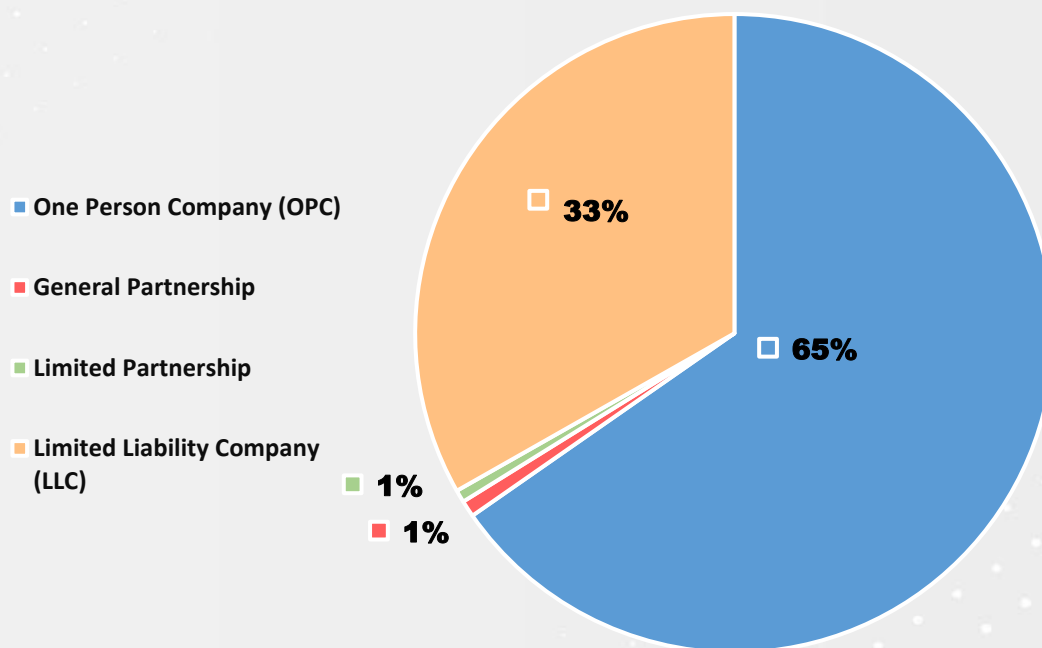
Follow/Manage Persons Companies

Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Company Type	M
20%	1247	1036	Single-person company	1
7%	16	15	Partnership Company	2
140%	12	5	Simple Recommendation Company	3
15%	634	553	Limited Liability Company	4

By looking at the data on the management of persons companies for the month of May 2025 , we found the following:

(1247) companies were licensed per person, an increase of 20% compared to April 2025, and (16) licensed companies for partnership companies, an increase of 7% compared to the previous month, while the number of licensed simple partnership companies was (12) licensed companies, with an increase of 140% compared to the previous month. In limited liability companies, (634) licensed companies were licensed, an increase of 15% compared to April 2025

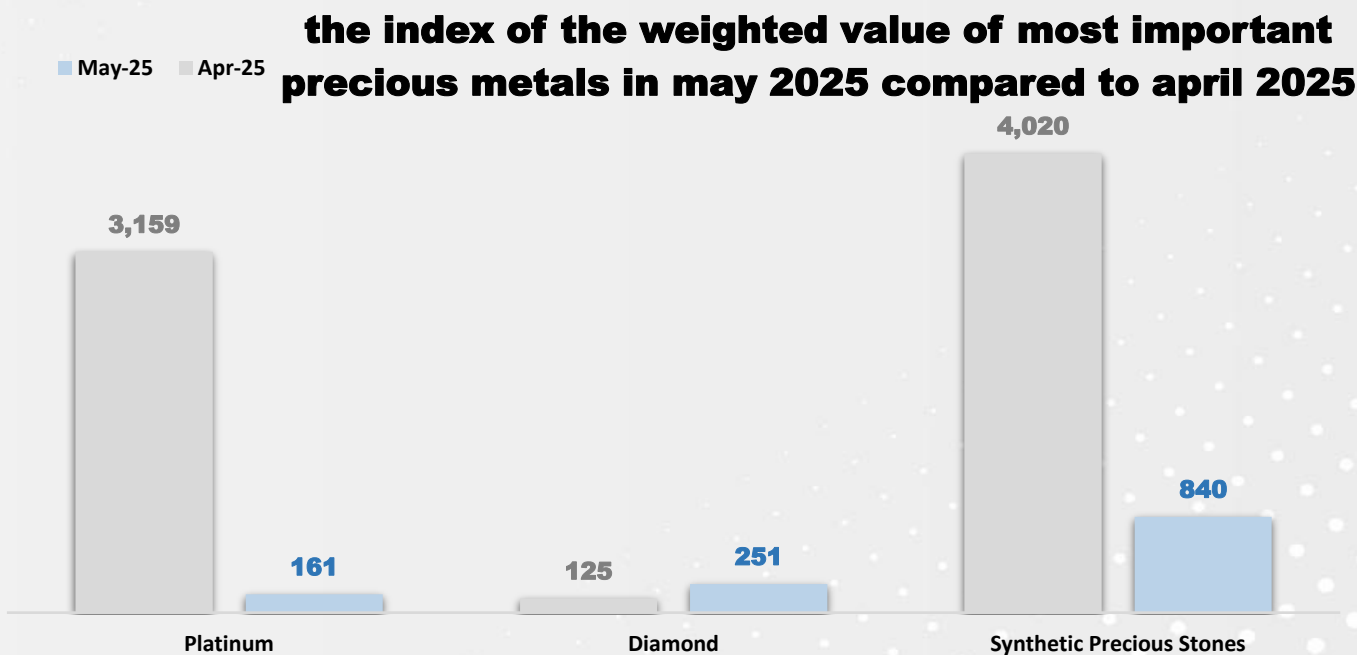
proportional distributional of partnership licenses
during may 2025



Precious Metals Management

Fees (KD)			Weight in grams			check	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
0%	0.000	12.500	0%	0	25	Titanium Diamond	1
-79%	42.000	201.000	-79%	840	4,020	Valuable Artificial Stones	2
446%	977.600	178.950	446%	19,552	3,579	Other valuable stones	3
158%	4.000	1.550	158%	80	31	Diamond Restaurant Accessory	4
16%	1,575.580	1,352.640	16%	78,779	67,632	Stone Restaurant Accessory	5
101%	251.000	125.000	101%	251	125	Diamond	6
-95%	8.050	157.950	-95%	161	3,159	platinum	7
-23%	69.900	90.700	-37%	569	907	Platinum set with diamonds	8
158%	17.000	6.600	158%	340	132	Titanium set with diamonds	9
-23%	210,527.000	271,660.700	-24%	4,121,168	5,429,305	gold	10
7%	30,861.040	28,911.400	-2%	402,302	411,804	Gold Restaurant with Precious Stones	11
55%	28,183.900	18,234.900	24%	224,896	181,463	Diamond Plated Gold	12
119%	3.860	1.760	119%	193	88	Stainless Steel Watches - Ceramic	13
-100%	0.000	4.620	-100%	0	84	Silver watches with diamonds	14
0%	6,466.500	6,493.550	0%	129,277	129,871	hours 0.05	15
21%	5,768.500	4,748.400	21%	57,685	47,484	hours 0.1	16
-63%	74,976.870	201,804.840	-63%	7,497,430	20,180,484	silver	17
83%	130.515	71.335	83%	2,373	1,297	Silver Inlaid Diamond	18
109%	6,544.775	3,133.150	109%	261,791	125,326	Silver inlaid with precious stones	19
-32%	366,408.090	537,191.545	-52%	12,797,687	26,586,816	comprehensive	

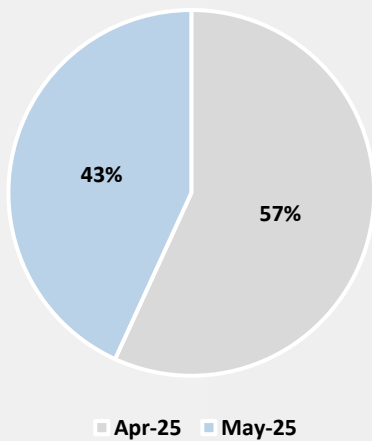
By reviewing the data of the Precious Metals Department for the month of April 2025, we found the following: The total fees collected for the inspection amounted to an estimated amount of (366,408,090) Kuwaiti Dinars, a decrease of 32% compared to April 2025, where the Precious Metals Department examined (840) grams of artificial stones of value, and (19,552) grams of other precious stones, and the accessory of the diamond restaurant weighed (80) grams, and (78,779) grams of stone inlaid accessory, and the weight of the diamonds examined by the department was (251) grams, and (161) grams of platinum, while the platinum examined with diamonds weighed (569) grams, and (340) grams of diamond-inlaid titanium, with regard to the amount of gold examined weighing (4,121,168) grams, and (402,302) grams of gold inlaid with precious stones, (224,896) grams of diamond inlaid gold, (193) grams of stainless steel-ceramic watches, (129,277) for 0.05 watches, and (57,685) grams for 0.1 watches, (7,497,430) grams of silver were examined., 2,373 grams of silver inlaid with diamonds, and (261,791) grams of silver inlaid with precious stones in May 2025.



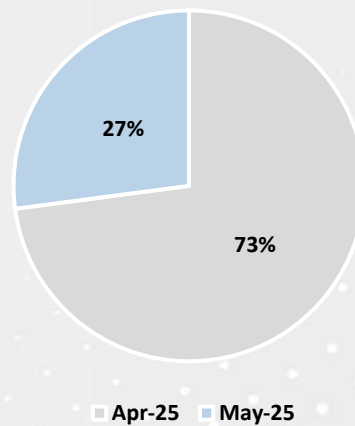
Continue/ Precious Metals Department

Fees (KD)			Number			check	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
-39%	204.200	333.800	-39%	2,042	3,338	Coated Accessory	1
121%	698.000	315.500	121%	1,396	631	Rosaries	2
39%	902.200	649.300	-13%	3,438	3,969	comprehensive	

the relative distribution of gold weight in may 2025 compared to april 2025



the relative distribution of silver weight in may 2025 compared to april 2025



Real estate Management

Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	M
0%	0	0	Replacing the Real Estate Brokerage Book	1
71%	12	7	Issuance of the Real Estate Brokerage Book	2
0%	1	1	Add Vice - Real Estate Brokerage Book	3
0%	0	0	Replacement of lost	4
0%	2	2	Renovation of Vice	5
250%	14	4	Request for Renewal of Real Estate Broker Identity	6
0%	0	0	Request for Renewal of the Identity of a Real Estate Broker - Deputy	7
-100%	0	1	Request for Issuing Real Estate Broker ID - Deputy	8
-30%	7	10	Request to Cancel a Brokerage Book	9
0%	0	0	Request to Cancel a Deputy from a Brokerage Book	10
3%	36	35	Request to Renew a Brokerage Book	11
-100%	0	1	Testimony to Whom It May Concern	12
42%	17	12	Request for Issuance of Real Estate Broker ID	13
22%	89	73	Total	

By reviewing the data of the property management for the month of May, we found the following:

The Real Estate Department issued (89) transactions in May 2025 compared to (73) transactions for the month of April 2025, with an increase of 22%, which fell under 13 types of transactions, where the real estate brokerage book was issued with (12) transactions, with an increase of 71%, and a request to add the deputy of the real estate brokerage book was made (1) transactions, and a request was madeThe number of requests to cancel the brokerage book was (7) transactions, a decrease of 30%, while the number of requests to renew the brokerage book was (36) transactions, with an increase of 3%, and the number of requests to cancel a brokerage book was (36) transactions, with an increase of 3%, and the issuance of a real estate broker ID was requested with (17) identities, an increase of 42% compared to the previous month.

Special in the profession of real estate appraisers

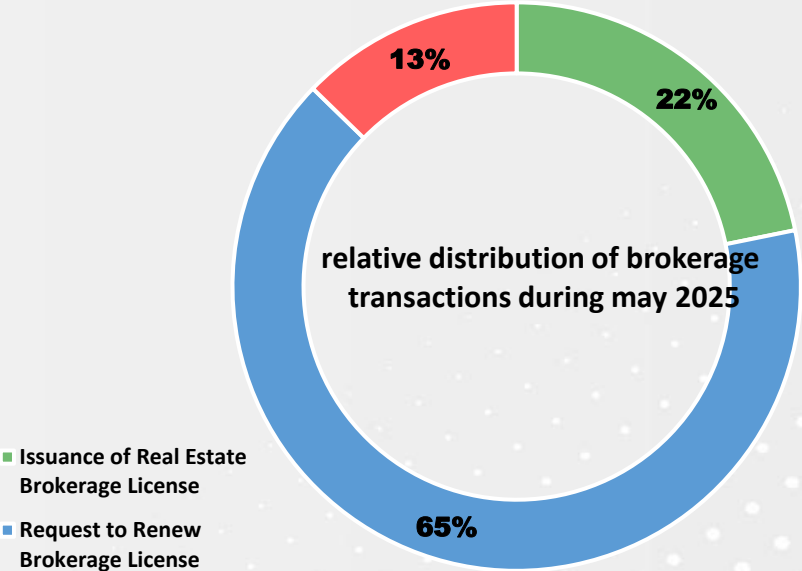
Companies

Individuals

Transactions

Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
0%	0	0	0%	0	0	Request for Issuance of a License to Practice the Profession of Real - Estate Appraiser	1
0%	1	0	0%	0	0	Renewal of Real Estate Appraiser Request for Issuance of a License to Practice the Profession of Real - Estate Appraiser New	2
0%	1	0	0%	0	0	Total	

12	Cumulative Total Number of GCC Licensed Brokers until the End of the Period
1793	Cumulative Total Number of Kuwaiti Licensed Brokers as of the End of the Term
61	Cumulative total number of licensed property appraisers in Kuwait until the end of the period

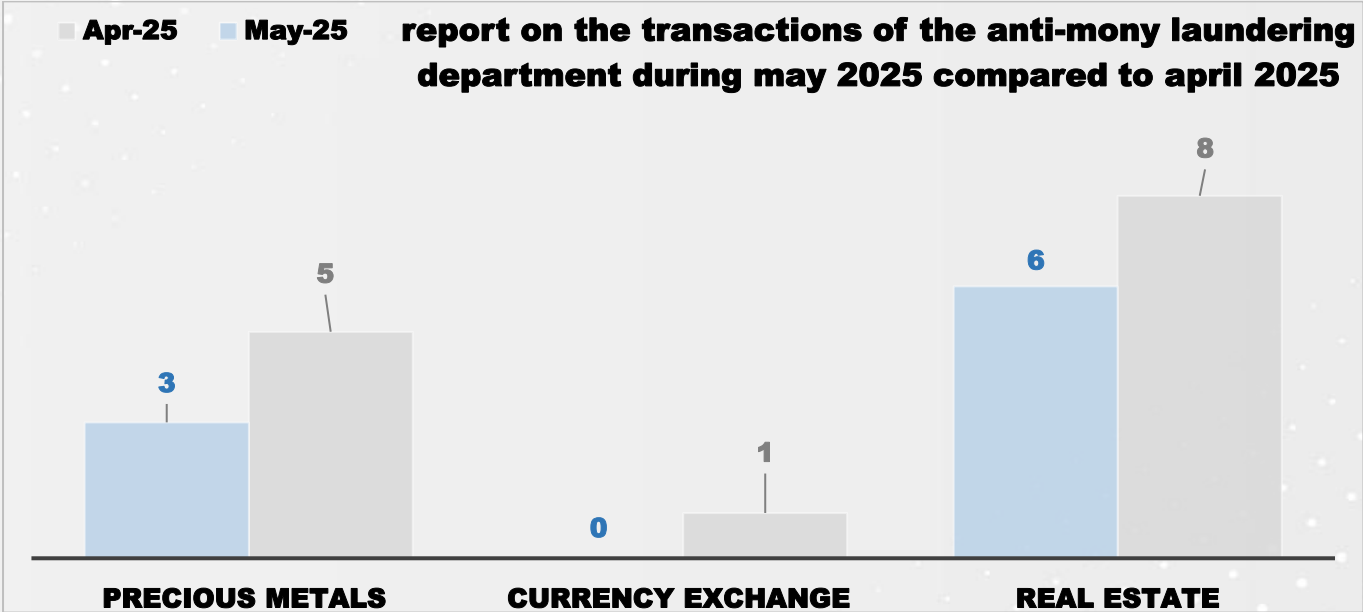


Anti-Money Laundering and Combating the Financing of Terrorism Department

Percentage Change for Metals	Exchange Percentage	Percentage Change for Property	May 2025			April 2025			Transactions	
			metals	Exchange	Real estate	metals	Exchange	Real estate		
-100%	-100%	-33%	0	0	2	1	1	3	Applications for incorporation	1
-100%	0%	-100%	0	0	0	4	0	2	Renewal and Amendment Requests	2
0%	0%	0%	0	0	0	0	0	0	Desk Audit	3
0%	0%	0%	0	0	0	0	0	0	Field Audit and Monitoring	4
0%	0%	33%	3	0	4	0	0	3	Requests for the appointment of a compliance controller	5
0%	0%	0%	0	0	0	0	0	0	Sample Instructions	6
-40%	-100%	-25%	3	0	6	5	1	8	Total Transactions	

By reviewing the data of the Anti-Money Laundering and Combating the Financing of Terrorism Department for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

We observe a decrease in the total transactions of real estate, exchange and metals, as the applications for incorporation of real estate decreased by 33%, exchange by 100%, and metals by 100% compared to the previous month, and requests for renewal and amendment in real estate decreased by 100% and metals by 100%, while applications for the appointment of a compliance controller increased by 33% in real estate compared to April 2025.



Trademark and Patent Management

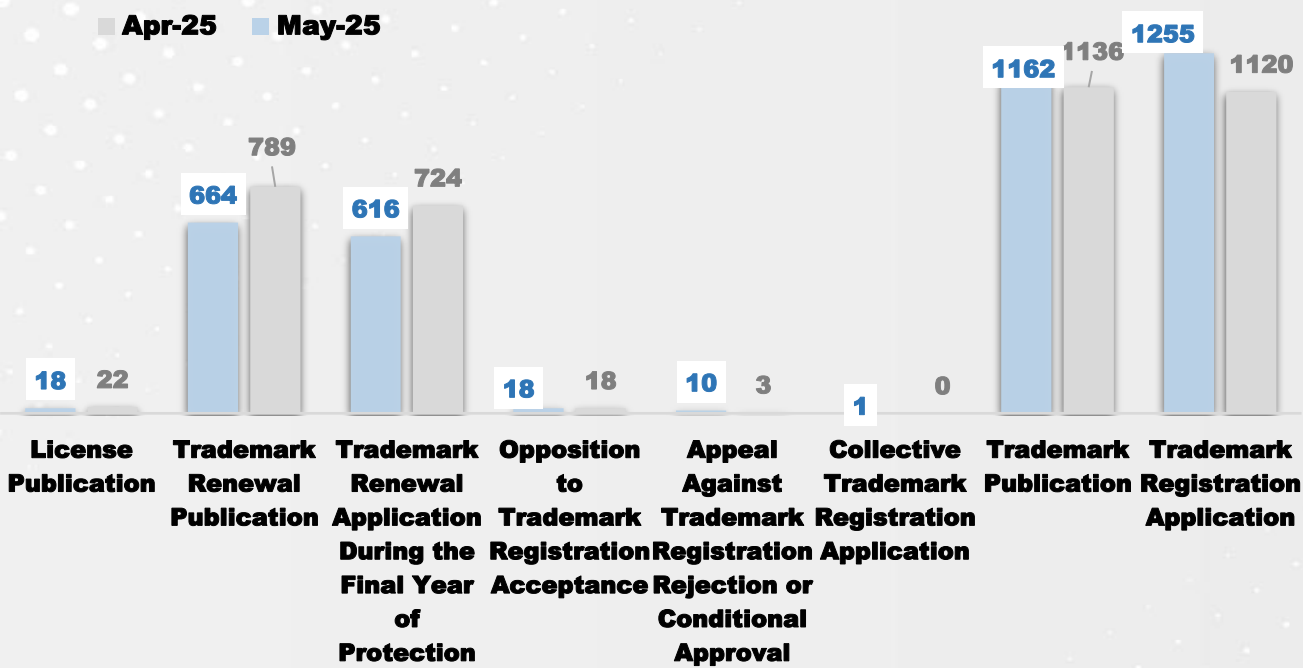
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	M
12%	1255	1120	Trademark Registration Application	1
2%	1162	1136	Brand Publication	2
0%	1	0	Request for Registration of a Collective Mark	3
233%	10	3	Grievance against a decision to refuse to register a trademark or comment on a condition	4
0%	18	18	Request for Objection to Acceptance of Trademark Registration	5
-15%	616	724	Request to Renew a Trademark during the Last Year of its Period of Protection	6
-16%	664	789	Brand Renewal Deployment	7
-18%	18	22	License Publication	8
-2%	3,744	3,812	comprehensive	

By looking at the data of the Trademark Section for the month of May 2025, we found the following: -

The number of transactions for trademark registration application reached (1255) in May 2025 compared to (1120) transactions in April 2025, an increase of 12% compared to the previous month, and (1162) trademarks were published, constituting an increase of 2% compared to the previous month, and the number of transactions requesting the registration of a collective mark reached (1) transactions, and the number of grievance transactions against the decision to reject the registration of a trademark or a comment on a condition (10) transactions reached an increase of 233%, while the number of transactions of an objection request to the acceptance of the registration of a trademark reached 233%, while the number of transactions of an objection request to the acceptance of the registration of a trademark The

number of transactions for the renewal of a trademark reached (616) during the last year of its protection period, a decrease of 15% compared to the previous month, and the number of transactions for the publication of the renewal of the trademark reached (664) transactions, a decrease of 16% compared to the previous month, and the number of transactions for the publication of a license reached (18) transactions, a decrease of 18% compared to April 2025.

statement of trademark transactions for may 2025 compared to april 2025



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Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	M
0%	7	7	Patent Application - Individuals	1
25%	70	56	Patent Application - Companies	2
-100%	0	1	Patent Grant and Publication - Individuals	3
250%	7	2	Patent Grant & Publication - Companies	4
57%	11	7	Correction, Amendment or Addition to a Patent Application - Companies	5
0%	0	0	Request for Temporary Protection - Individuals	6
0%	2	2	Transfer of Right to Order or Transfer of Patent Ownership - Companies	7
0%	0	0	Patent Application - Student	8
29%	97	75	Total Transactions	

By reviewing the data of the Patent Section for the month of May 2025, we find the following:

The number of patent applications - individuals reached (7) transactions, and the number of patent applications - companies reached (70) transactions with an increase of 25%, and the number of (7) transactions in granting and publishing patents - companies with an increase of 250%, while in the correction, amendment or addition to a patent application - companies, the number of transactions reached (11) transactions with an increase of 57%, and the number of (2) transactions reached (2) Transaction in Transfer of Right to Order or Transfer of Patent Ownership – Companies in May 2025.

statement of patent transactions for individuals and companies during
may 2025

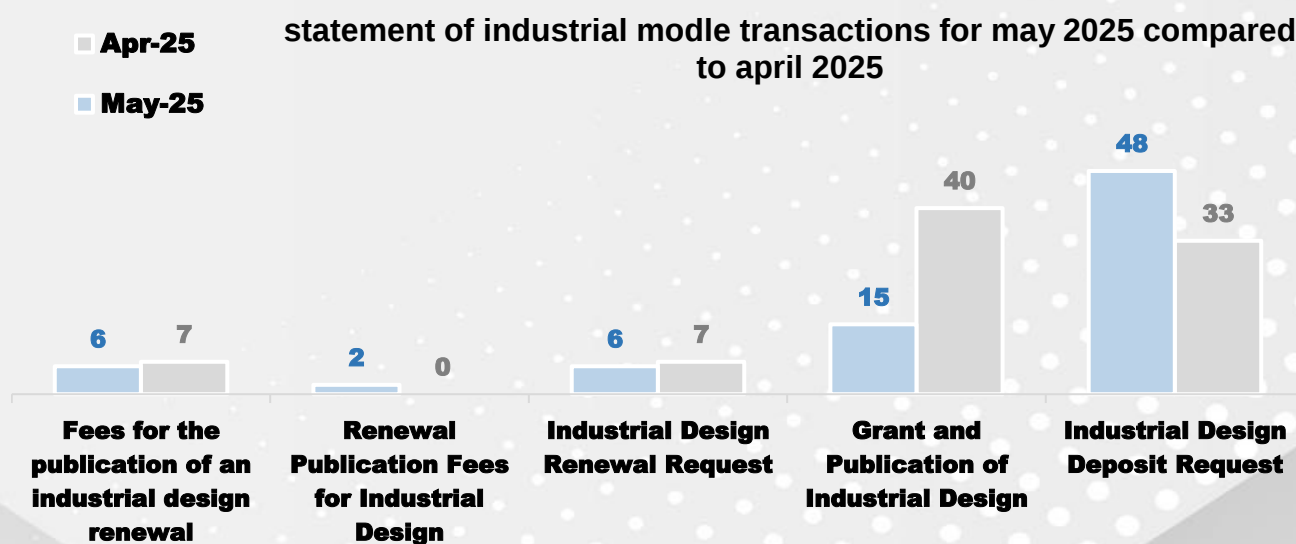


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Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	M
45%	48	33	Request to File an Industrial Model	1
-63%	15	40	Granting and Dissemination of the Industrial Model	2
-14%	6	7	Request for Renewal of an Industrial Model	3
0%	2	0	- Request to Change Owner of a Model Individuals	4
-14%	6	7	Fees for the publication of an industrial model renewal	5
-11%	77	87	Total Transactions	

By reviewing the data of the Industrial Models Department for the month of May, we found the following:

The number of transactions requesting the deposit of an industrial model reached (48), an increase of 45% compared to the previous month, the number of transactions for granting and publishing the industrial model reached (15) transactions, a decrease of 63%, and the number of transactions requesting a change of owner of a model – individuals amounted to (2) transactions, while in the transaction of the fees for publishing the renewal of an industrial model, it amounted to (6) transactions, a decrease of 14% in May 2025.



Department of International Relations

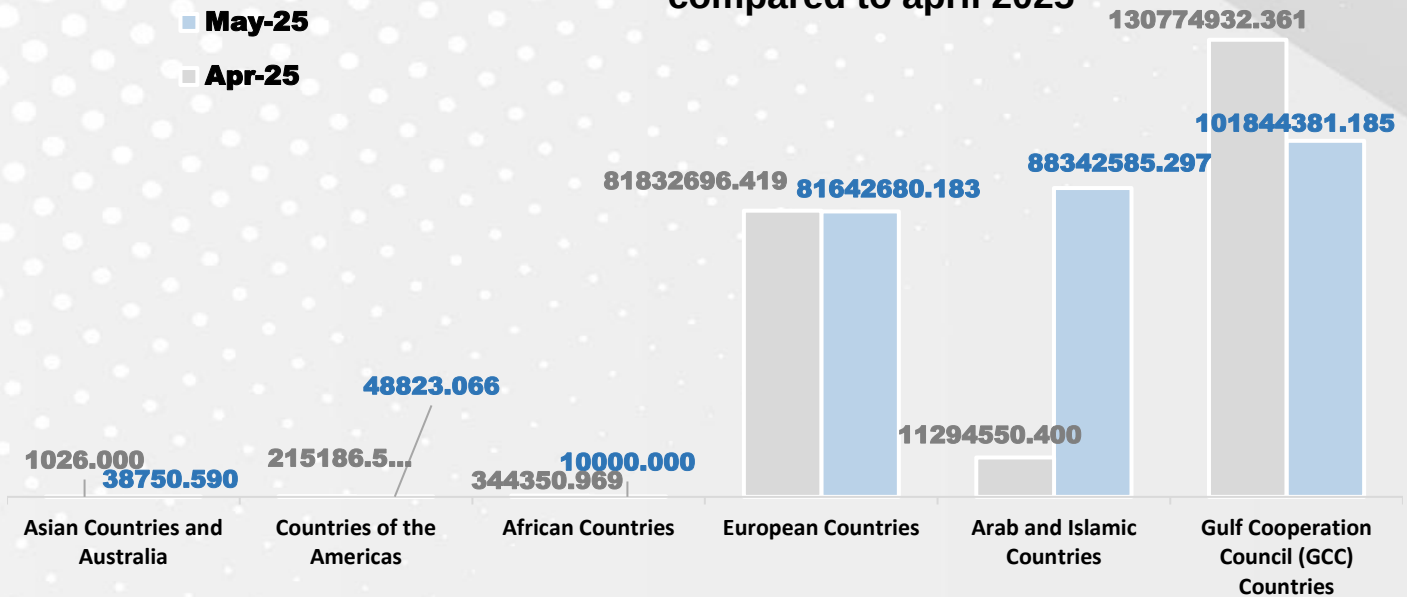
Value in Kuwaiti Dinar

Kuwaiti Certificates of Non-Oil Origin							
	Value of Certificates of Origin		Certificates			Country Names	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
-22%	101844381.185	130774932.361	-3%	1521	1564	Gulf Cooperation Council	1
682%	88342585.297	11294550.400	-32%	310	454	Arab Islamic Countries	2
0%	81642680.183	81832696.419	-8%	11	12	European Continental Countries	3
-97%	10000.000	344350.969	-93%	1	14	Countries of the African Continent	4
-77%	48823.066	215186.512	-44%	5	9	American Continental Countries	5
3677%	38750.590	1026.000	100%	6	3	Asian Countries and Australia	6
21%	271927220.3210	224462742.6610	-10%	1854	2056	Total	

By reviewing the data of the Department of International Relations (Kuwaiti Certificates) for the month of May 2025, we find the following:

The total Kuwaiti certificates of oil and non-oil origin amounted to about KD 272 million, distributed among the GCC countries, Arab Islamic countries, European countries, African countries, the countries of the American continent (North and South), Asian countries and Australia, where the value of certificates for the GCC countries was about KD 102 million, achieving a decrease of about 22% compared to the previous month. The number of certificates in the Arab Islamic countries increased by about 682% compared to the previous month, achieving certificates estimated at about KD 88 million, and the value of certificates from European countries reached KD 82 million, and the value of certificates for the countries of the African continent reached 10 thousand, a decrease of 97%, and the value of certificates for the countries of the two continents of the Americas reached 49 KD 1,000, a decrease of 77% compared to the previous month, while for Asian countries and Australia, the value of their certificates amounted to KD 39,000, an increase of 3677%, and an increase in the value of total certificates for the month of May 2025 for the previous month's certificates, which amounted to 21%.

statement of the value of kuwait origin exports in may 2025 compared to april 2025



Number of Licenses Issued for Temporary Trade Fairs in Kuwait during May 2025 Compared to April 2025

Exhibitions Department				
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	M
6%	17	18	Issuance of a temporary trade fair license	1
0%	4	0	Issuance of a temporary exhibition license for gold and jewelry	2
7%	21	18	Total	

By reviewing the data of the International Relations Department (Exhibitions Section) for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

(17) licenses were issued for a temporary trade fair inside Kuwait in May 2025 compared to 18 licenses for April 2025, a decrease of 6%, and (4) licenses were issued for a temporary exhibition for gold and jewelry in May 2025.

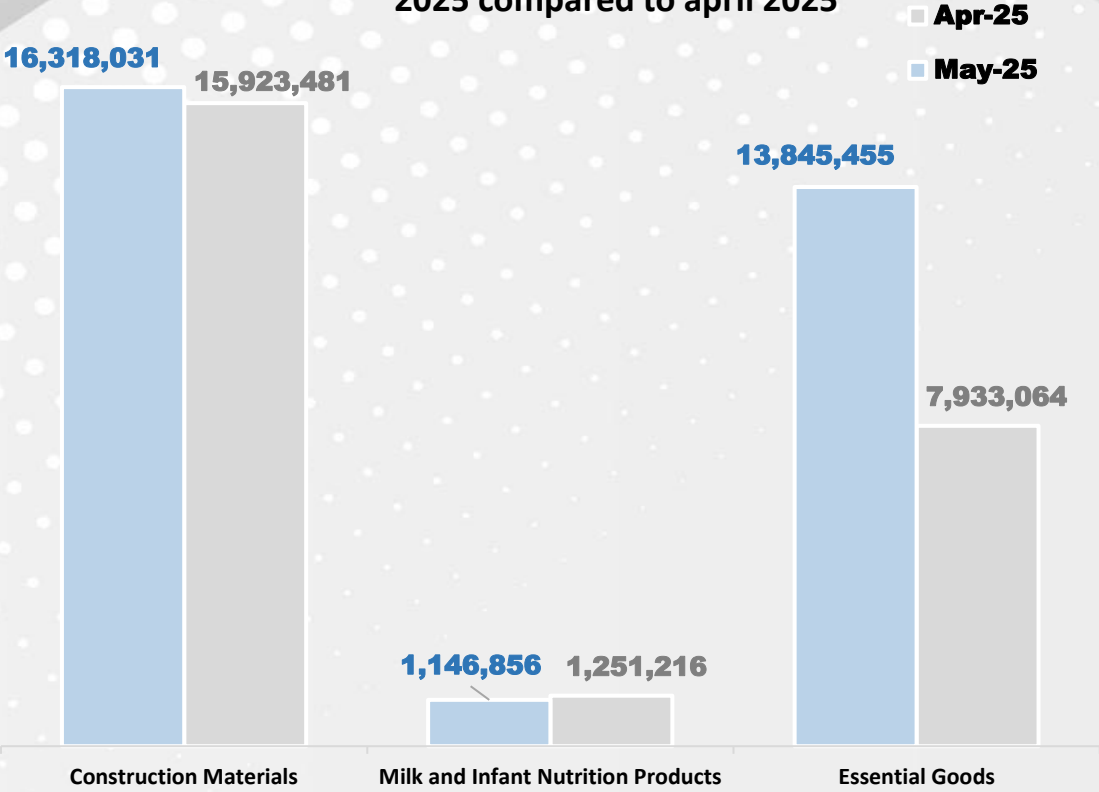
Supply Department

To the nearest Kuwaiti Dinar	Disbursed support		Supported Materials	M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025		
29%	13,845,455	10,712,371	Base Materials	1
-15%	1,146,856	1,351,400	Baby Milk & Nutrients	2
4%	16,318,031	15,763,037	Construction Materials	3
13%	31,310,342	27,826,809	Total	

By reviewing the data of the Supply Department for the month of May 2025 , we found the following:

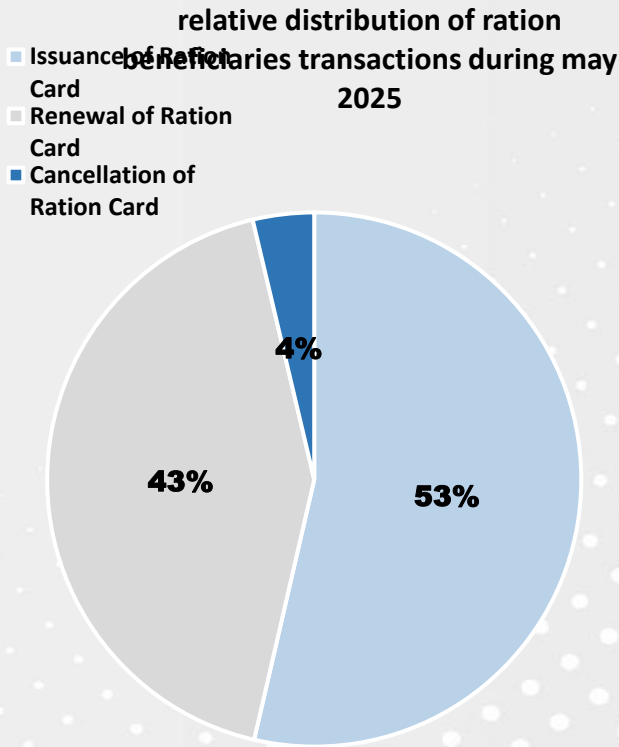
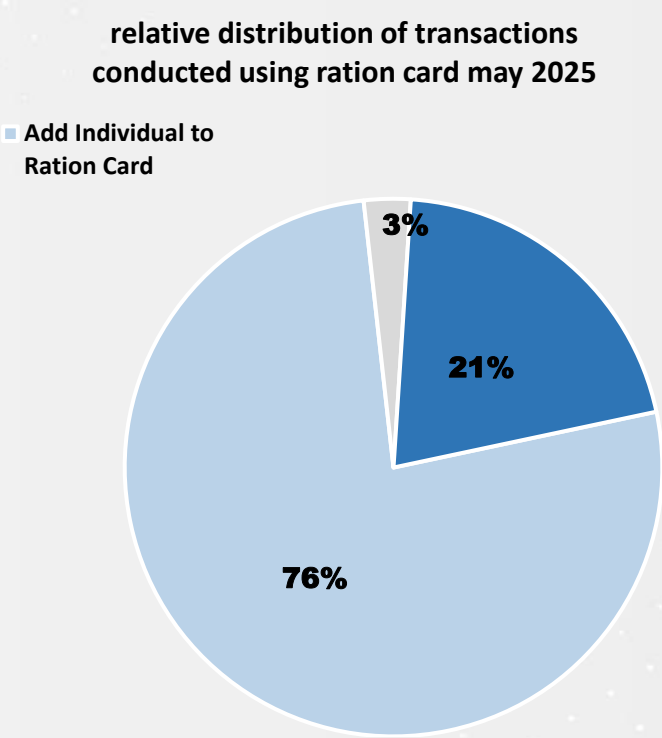
For the month of May 2025, the Ministry provided support for many items amounting to about KD 31 million, where the group of basic items disbursed through the ration card for this month received an estimated amount of about KD 14 million, which is estimated at about 44% of the total subsidy disbursed in May 2025, an increase of 29% compared to April 2025, and the subsidy of milk and baby nutrition amounted to about KD 1 million by 4% of the total subsidy disbursed, a decrease of 15% compared to the previous month, and the value of construction materials amounted to about KD 16 million, representing an estimated 52% of the total subsidy disbursed, and an increase of 4% compared to April 2025.

the monthly index of disbursed subsidy amounts for may
2025 compared to april 2025



Follow/Supply Department

Individual Beneficiaries				Ration Cards				M
Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Transactions	
-5%	12520	13194	Add an individual to the card	19%	608	512	Issuance of a ration card	1
-7%	459	493	Update an individual's data	-7%	484	518	Renewal of a ration card	2
-4%	3375	3513	Delete an individual from the card	5%	42	40	Delete the ration card	3
271644		Statement of the number of cumulative ration cards until the end of May 2025						
2291264		Statement of the number of individuals benefiting from the cumulative supply until the end of May 2025						



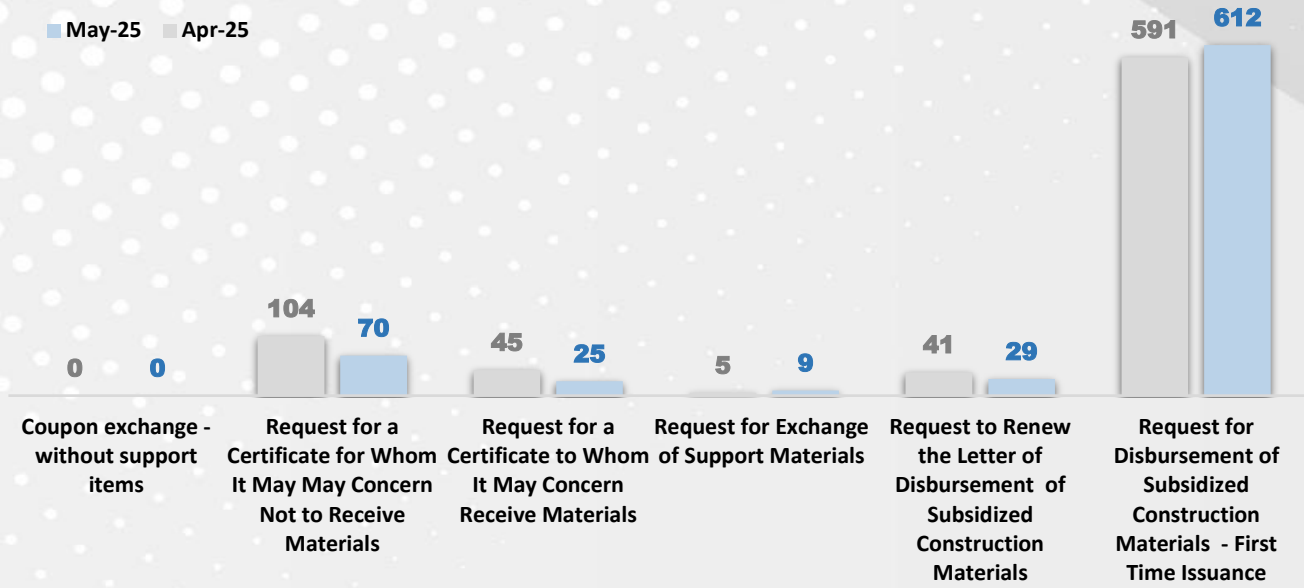
Follow/Supply Department

Percentage Change	May 2025	April 2025	Procedure	M
4%	612	591	Request for Disbursement of - Subsidized Construction Materials First Time Issuance	1
-29%	29	41	Request to Renew the Letter of Disbursement of Subsidized Construction Materials	2
80%	9	5	Request for Exchange of Support Materials	3
-44%	25	45	Request for a Certificate to Whom It May Concern Receive Materials	4
-33%	70	104	Request for a Certificate for Whom It May May Concern Not to Receive Materials	5
0%	0	0	Coupon exchange - without support items	6
-5%	745	786	Total	

By reviewing the data of the Supply Department (Construction) for the month of May 2025, we found the following:

Request for disbursement of subsidized construction materials - the first time (612) procedures were issued, an increase of 4% compared to the previous month, and the letter of disbursement of subsidized construction materials was renewed (29) transactions, a decrease of 29%, and the number of requests for the exchange of subsidized materials reached (9) requests, an increase of 80%, and a request for a certificate was submitted to Whoever May Concern received materials with a number of (25) requests, a decrease of 44%, and for the request for a certificate to whom it may concern not to receive materials, the number of requests amounted to (70) Demand decreased by 33% in May 2025.

progress report on the distribution construction material rations during may 2025 compared to april 2025



The most prominent decisions issued during the month of May 2025

Ministerial Decisions:

- Ministerial Decree No. (77) of 2025 dated 1/5/2025 on the Presence of Export and Re-Export of Cardboard Waste
- Ministerial Decision No. (84) of 2025 dated 5/5/2025 Regarding the Approval of Stamped Trademark Seals on Imported Precious Metals Artefacts in Accordance with Ministerial Decision No. (165) of 2019 and its amendments regarding the reorganization of the procedures for stamping of imported metals and precious artifacts.
- Ministerial Decision No. (86) of 2025 dated 6/5/2025 regarding adding food items to the ration card (long-lasting lactose-free milk) at low prices.

Conclusion

This is the end of our report, in which we were keen to provide all possible data and statistics on most of the Ministry's departments in a way that proves the extent of the growth of its role, and we showed the most important indicators and clarified ,them in graphs, and we presented our statistical analysis of the monthly indicators we hope that we succeeded in this report in showing the most important aspects affecting the development and development of the Ministry, I hope that this report will be liked by you, and God is the Guardian of Success