



MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

REFORM SECRETARIAT

REFORMS CATALYSTS

Overview

The Reform Secretariat has been established late 2019 as a result of the London Initiative: Growth and Opportunities building on the previous Jordan Compact Project Management Unit and its staff, who have played an essential role in coordinating the design of the Reform Matrix with Government of Jordan entities, World Bank and international partners. The Reform Secretariat has multiple functions which includes pushing forward, facilitating, coordinating, supporting and driving the implementation of reforms under the Reform Matrix; and coordinating between the government entities and international partners to ensure implementation and alignment of donor programs with national priorities. The Reform Secretariat also manages several programs and provide technical assistance to implementing agencies that are in line with the Reform Matrix.



INCREASED EQUITABLE GROWTH AND JOB CREATION

REFORM MATRIX

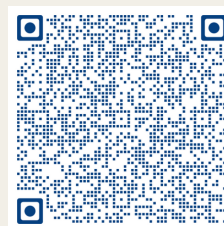
The Reform Matrix was developed by the Government of Jordan with the support from the World Bank and international partners and approved by the Council of Ministers in 2019. The Reform Matrix was officially launched in February 2019 during the London Initiative. It comprises of structural reforms to stimulate growth and jobs to complement and expedite our efforts on fiscal consolidation. It lays out of a set of reforms that are expected to improve the competitiveness of the private sector and reduce the cost of doing business. It also focuses on reforms that are needed to attract more investments, increase exports and create jobs.

REFORM MATRIX PILLARS

The Reform Matrix was developed around 6 horizontal reform pillars (cross cutting) and three vertical pillars (sectoral). As a result of the midterm review led by the Reform Secretariat, with the aim to revisit growth and reform priorities in alignment with the Government's Indicative Executive Program taking into consideration post COVID-19 reform priorities, two pillars have been added which are (1) Enhancing Public Sector Efficiency and Governance and (2) Strengthening the Tourism Sector. Furthermore, the Reform Matrix was extended to 2024.



Learn more about the Reform Matrix



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