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# Investment Map of Iraq 2022

#### Introduction

Investment enjoys a great deal of importance by the Federal Government, the National Investment Commission (NIC) and the Provinces Investment Commissions. They all support investment due to its fundamental role in economic development in a time when economic resources began to relatively decrease. Organizing various types of investments in the national economy is the way for more efficient results compared to leaving investments to personal decisions without planning. Investment programs, governmental or direct investment, is one of the economic policies that enhance economic growth and achive the country's main goals in building balanced economic development.

More over, relation between investment and economic growth is one of the planning factors through which economic trends can be known and focuse on main sectors which lead growth in the right direction. Planning can bring back investment according to growth rates to achieve the goals that are important for the future strategies. Investment is the trigger for the new productive energy going side by side with the already existing ones. More investment means more ability for societies to use the unused economic resources represented in technical skills, implementing modern production methods, enhance the types of products, and less cost to compete with local and international markets. In spite of current circumctances, the National Investment Commission and the Provences Investment commission steped forward since its foundation throught Law no. 13 for 2006 (amended) to improve development in the country and open up to the outside world. NIC promoted its activities as a new foundation and tried to attrack local and international investment in addition to making structural changes in the Iraqi Economy which resulted in establishing a data base for investors' guide.

NIC was the first to support private sector through workshops, seminars and local and international conferences aiming at supporting private sectors and promote international partnership with international companies and Chambers of Commerce. Also, NIC paied attention to the reasons behind the delays in investment projects by being active in amending several laws linked directly or indirectly with investments to enhance investment opportunities as we believe that governmental investment bugets will not be able to improve economy without a clear strategy to attract foreign investment to our country. Based on investment projects, NIC signed contracts that require cooperation by all governmental agencies for successful projects. Being professional in dealing with different agencies is the main reason to encourage well-known investors to enter the Iraqi market depending on NIC's One Stop Shop Dept. which provides services to all investors in addition to issuing visa to investors and staff working in Iraq. Businessmen and investment companies focus on NIC for its transparency and quick response to meet their requirements.

The Iraqi economy witnessed important changes in the path of openness and freedom and the adoption of the forces of supply and demand as basic mechanisms in the economic relations in a way that facilitates the process of integration in the international economic system. This is part of our new economic philosophy which contributed positively to achieving significant growth in many economic indicators, That the Iraqi economy will be among the most developed economies in the world in the coming years.

Iraq has achieved a number of positive economic developments over the past years despite the economic challenges, including the global decline in oil prices, the cost of war on terrorist organizations, law inforcment, reconstruction and returning the displaced people to their cities, the Iraqi government succeeded in developing an efficient policy to control inflation and control government spending and structuring The government banks to keep abreast of developments in the banking business in the world, as well as Iraq completed a set of policies of standby arrangements with the International Monetary Fund and the signing of several international conventions.

It is well known that Iraq has considerable human and material resources to achieve development in Iraq, as well as the availability of many investment opportunities distributed across different sectors with different investment patterns, most notably direct investment or investment partnerships with state-owned public companies.

This diversity in the economy comes from the strategic tracks and policies developed to improve the private sector within the directions of the National Development Plan 2018-2022, including:

- Promoting an economic approach based on a leading role for the private sector in all economic and social activities.
- Raising competitiveness of the private sector and improving its productive and export efficiency
- Increase demand and expand the local market in order to absorb domestic production and allocate part of it for export purposes.
- Creating a stable macroeconomic environment that promotes growth.
- Reform of the tax and customs system to simplify procedures and improve the investment environment.
- Establishment of industrial and investment free zones and economic cities.
- Develop incentives to attract foreign capital.
- Identify and distribute roles between the private sector and the public sector in order to ensure a gradual transition to a market economy.
- Develop an investment policy that makes the infrastructure sector and basic services priorities of its strategic objectives (electricity, water, roads and bridges ...), which supports the effectiveness of private investment and promotes the entry of foreign investment to Iraq.
- Develop a supportive financial policy from specialized banks (industrial, agricultural, real estate) and other governmental financial institutions for the purpose of supporting the principle of competition.

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# **Prelude**

This document was prepared by the National Investment Commission (NIC) in the Republic of Iraq for the purpose of providing a detailed presentation about the available investment opportunities in Iraq at the level of Provinces and Governmental Ministries.

This document in addition to Investment Guide to Iraq, will help to provide details about investment, investment atmosphere in Iraq and main travelling information. For help or more information, do not hesitate to contact us on:

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# **Are You Interested in Investing in Iraq?**

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| Investment Commission of Kurdistan region | http://www.kurdistaninvestment.org |
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#### **Websites of Provincial Investment Commissions:**

| Commission                         | Website                        |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Baghdad Investment Commission      | http://www.baghdadic.gov.iq    |
| Diyala Investment Commission       | http://invesdiyala.com         |
| Saladin Investment Commission      | http://investsalaaddin.org     |
| Kirkuk Investment Commission       | http://www.investkirkuk.com    |
| Nineveh Investment Commission      | http://www.mosulinvestment.org |
| Anbar Investment Commission        | http://www.anbarinvest.net     |
| Wasit Investment Commission        | http://www.wasitic.gov.iq      |
| Holy Karbala Investment Commission | http://www.krinves.com         |
| Babylon Investment Commission      | http://www.bic.gob.iq          |
| Holy Najaf Investment Commission   | http://www.investnajaf.net     |
| Thi-Qar Investment Commission      | http://www.thiqarinvest.gov.iq |
| Maysan Investment Commission       | http://www.misic.com           |
| Muthanna Investment Commission     | http://www.misic.org           |
| Diwaniya Investment Commission     | http://www.investdiw.gov.iq    |
| Basra Investment Commission        | http://www.investbasrah.com    |



# Why Invest in Iraq?

Iraq is characterized by having many factors that would attract capitals and investments, due to the availability of natural resources like oil, gas, lands, and human resources, as well as the large size of the Iraqi market and the geographic position which creates opportunities for production, import, and export. All this represents diversified attracting factors that reflect the diversity of investing opportunities in different economic sectors.

In the light of the change that the economic philosophy of Iraq has witnessed, the goals and the reasons included in the Investment Law (no. 13 for the year 2006, amended) have contributed to attacking foreign investment, due to the privileges and exemptions to these projects on the basis of the following:

- 1. Adding the developer concept who could be defined as each natural or corporal person obtaining an investment license in cities construction and investment zones or any other sector suggested by the National Investment commission after obtaining the Ministers council approval, and adding the subordinated developer concept who could be defined as each natural or corporal person to whom a part of the investment project (of the suggested sectors) ownership is transferred to be developed.
- 2. Inserting the phrase of the mixed sector to investment as law was limited to promote private Iraqi and foreign sector only.
- 3. Establishing industrial investment projects and warehouses for agricultural sector on agricultural lands in and outside the fundamental designs.
- 4. Encouraging Iraqi and foreign investors through facilitating easy conditioned loans provided that the investor implements 25% of the project, the loans also granted to the housing projects implementers and to the final beneficiary while this privilege was previously restricted to Iraqi investors only.
- 5. The new amendment allowed owning the state lands allocated for housing projects by Iraqi and foreign investors against estimated fees if the land was within the fundamental design and without fees if it was out of the fundamental design of the cities.
- 6. Acquiring or leasing lands for Iraqi investors in order to establish land and industrial investment projects with a lease term up to 50 years that can be renewed (depending on the project's size and type) in addition to allowing partnership with foreign investor.
- 7. Investing in the halted strategic and federal projects in all sectors for the purpose of completion and rehabilitation.
- 8. The new amendment obliged the Ministries, independent entities and provincial municipalities to provide the estates / lands suitable for establishing investment projects and in case of not committing to this provision, the Ministers council shall have the right to transfer the estate/land ownership to the National investment Commission without any fees and the Commission in its turn shall have to allocate the estates/ lands for investment projects.



- 9. Entering and taking out the capital allocatted to the project as well as its profits and revenues in accordance with the provisions of the aforementioned law and Iraqi Central Bank regulations.
- 10. Circulating shares and bonds in Iraqi Stock Market and acquiring membership in joint-stock companies.
- 11. Creating investment portfolios in shares and bonds.
- 12. Insuring projects with any Iraqi or foreign insurance company.
- 13. Opening accounts in Iraqi or foreign currency or both in any bank inside or outside Iraq.
- 14. Employing and hiring foreign labor in projects alongside local labor.
- 15. Providing foreign investors and workers the right of residency in Iraq and facilitating the process of entering and leaving the country for them.
- 16. Open a branch of the foreign company in Iraq.
- 17. Register patented for his investment project.
- 18. The new amendment granted exemptions from taxes and fees for licensed investment projects for (10) years starting from the date of operation for each phase of the project phases not to include customs exceptions, while it allowed tax and customs exemptions for the imported assets providing being imported within the construction phases before commencing commercial operation for each phase and according to the fundamental design of the project and the implementation timetable as the law previously exempted the imported assets for three years starting for the date of obtaining the investment license. This was considered an obstacle to investors but it was treated in the new amendment.

The new amendment also exempted housing investment projects from land screening fees, estate registration fees including the fees of transferring housing units' ownership to people.

The new amendment included taxes and customs exemptions granted for environment friendly preliminary materials imported for the purpose of the commercial operation of the national nutrition basket materials, medicines and construction materials and according to the percentage of the local materials contribution in manufacturing which represent support to local productions.

- 1- The new amendment exempted estates/ lands allocated for investment projects from the provisions of the laws and decisions below for their role in hindering investment:
- a- The law of selling and leasing state owned possessions No. (21) for the year 2013
- b- The law of Agricultural reclaimed lands No. (35) for the year 1983, the law of Reorganizing agricultural ownership No. (42) for the year 1987 and the law of renting reclaimed agricultural lands No. (79) for the year 1985
- c- The law of Industrial investment No. (20) for the year 1998 regarding investors keeping allocated land for himself accordingly.
- d- Provision (second) of the decision No. 850 for the year 1979 as amended by the decision No. 940 for the year 1987



- e- Decisions of the dissolved Council of the Revolution Leadership No. 581 for the year 1981, 1187 for the year 1982, 222 for the year 1977 and 165 for the year
- 19. Granting hotels, tourism institutions, hospitals, health institutions, rehabilitation centers, and educational and scientific institutions additional exemptions from the duties paid on furniture and the material needed for modernization and renewal purposes at least once every four years.
- 20. Covering strategic partnerships with public sector projects in rehabilitating, operating or establishing in cooperation with privet sector by the advantages of the Investment Law.
- 21. Provide investors with a badge after granting the investment license to enjoy privileges accordingly.

#### **Concept and Importance of Investment Environment**

The importance of the investment environment is noticeable in attracting local and foreign investments because it includes fundamental aspects to successful investments and appropriate to investors activity in present and future time. Investment environment includes all policies, indicators and tools that affect directly and indirectly decisions regarding economic policies (financial, monetary and trade) in addition to (legal regulations and infrastructure). It's also related to other factors such as basic facilities, laws and regulations, political and security situation in addition to real investment opportunities, incentives and various markets for production.

We can identify investment environment as (a comprehensive concept focusing on negative and positive circumstances in making investment opportunities successful ones and affect investment mobility. It includes social, economic, political and legal situation, and governmental supporting agencies).

#### **UNCTAD** defined the investment climate on two dimensions:

The first dimension: includes various basic factors affecting the investment decision, including the level of political, economic and social stability, laws related to foreign investments, applicable standards for dealing with foreign investors, work policies, the nature of the market and its mechanisms, international agreements on foreign direct investment, privatization programs, trade policies and tax systems.

The second dimension: relates to the state's reputation, quality of life, the level of investment support and promotion through the provision of financial incentives such as tax and customs exemptions, financial incentives such as granting loans with low interest rates, and subsidies provided to the investor.

While the World Bank went to a more accurate and comprehensive definition of the concept of the investment climate; it defined it as a set of specific factors in a particular location that shape investment opportunities, incentives and motives for companies to invest productively, generate job opportunities, and expand the scope of their business.

Some defined the investment climate as the political, institutional and regulatory environment in which companies operate. While others see that the appropriate



investment climate is limited to a set of specific conditions that are subdivided into the basic conditions for attracting investment, As follows:

Basic conditions for attracting investment: they are the indispensable conditions for attracting foreign investment and encouraging domestic investment. These conditions are represented by political and economic stability; If profits are high in a certain investment environment, but it lacks a stable political and economic climate, this makes this environment repulsive to investment. This is because the investor will invest in an environment devoid of the possibility of predicting profits or their stability, which means that this environment is dominated by uncertainty, and thus exposes human, physical and financial capital to risk.

Other conditions to attract investment: After the basic conditions are met, additional ones must be guaranteed to create an appropriate investment climate and an encouraging and attractive environment for investment. These conditions include (market size and growth rate, availability of skilled and qualified human resources, a developed base for means of communication, and an effective institutional environment).

#### **Investment climate components:**

The investment climate consists of a set of factors that determine the appropriateness of the economic, investment and legislative environment, the degree of its attractiveness to attract and localize investment, and the achievement of increasing rates of commercial exchanges in open markets, which in turn raise the rate of economic growth and push it towards development sustainability that leads societies to prosperity and a higher standard of living. The investment climate, which can be divided into economic components and non-economic components, as follows:

## Economic components of the investment climate

It includes a set of elements indicative of the level of performance of the national economy, the most important of which are:

**Economic policy**: It is viewed through three sub-policies: **fiscal policy**, **monetary policy** and **foreign trade policy**.

The state's fiscal policy is considered one of the most important economic tools, because of its effects on economic variables, as it affects the actual demand and consequently the levels of activity and operation and the general level of prices and others. One of the results of this policy is the occurrence of an equilibrium, a deficit, or a surplus in the public budget. However, what is undesirable regarding the investment climate is an excessive deficit that leads to a significant rise in the rate of inflation or a sharp deflation and economic depression. The more fiscal policy maintains a stable rate of the state's general budget deficit, in a manner that does not lead to mass inflation or a downward stagnation, and this is attractive to investment so that the deficit is not an obstacle to investment growth.



As for the monetary policy, it refers to the planned change in the money supply in order to influence aggregate demand in the desired direction, it can expansionary or deflationary, and with regard to the investment climate, monetary policy should control both the exchange rate and the inflation rate. Sudden fluctuations in exchange prices has a negative impact on the investment climate, and such fluctuations make it difficult to study the feasibility of projects and expose the investor to a large unexpected loss, as well as inflation rates a direct impact on pricing policies and the size of profits, and thus the movement of capital. It also affects the production costs that investment companies are interested in. Therefore, the more expansionary monetary policy is, the more attractive it is to investment and vice versa, provided that this is done using appropriate monetary tools, and that it is compatible with the change in the volume of economic activity required and is characterized by stability.

As for foreign trade, and its role in improving the investment climate when it stimulates exports and encourages export-oriented investments, and works to remove restrictions that stand in the way of international trade, it is distinguished by a flexible, low and transparent customs tariff, few procedures and easy implementation, far from bureaucratic complications, and the effects of this policy are reflected positively or negatively in the current account of the balance of payments, as the current account achieves a surplus if the foreign trade policy is good and sound and thus brings new investors, or a deficit in the opposite case.

How open economy is: The economy direction to deal with the outside world means that there are no restrictions on the movement of trade exchange or production elements, which ensures good economic efficiency in directing them and the absence of imbalances in these markets (the elements of production). The higher the degree of open economy, the better the investment climate is.

#### **Investment climate in Iraq (reality and challenges):**

Iraq enjoys enormous potentials and huge resources, if well exploited and managed, it would upgrade its economy and encourage national investments and attract international investments. These ingredients are embodied in all the necessary factors of production; In terms of the land element, Iraq owns a large area, and its land represents an important geographical area with distinctive characteristics capable of embracing agricultural, industrial, commercial and many other projects. In terms of the raw materials, raw materials produced in high efficiencies if produced according to standard specifications Iraq are of and have the appropriate atmosphere, in addition to Iraq's openness to foreign markets. Regarding work element; the working age group represents the largest proportion of the population of Iraq, so the population of Iraq is called the young population. As for the capital component; providing capital in Iraq is of high



potential, considering the free movement of capital and its production locally. Therefore, if these ingredients were efficiently managed, they would be enough to attract huge investments, and if those investments were directed towards the productive sectors, the backward and forward linkages would have resulted in much better economic growth.

**First:** the internal economic balance: It is the stability of the internal indicators of the economy in its structure, and it includes the gross domestic product, the rate of inflation and interest rates (monetary policy evaluation), the stability of the public budget (financial policy evaluation), and the stock market index in the Iraq Stock Exchange.

Gross Domestic Product: The Gross Domestic Product (GDP) indicator is one of the most famous indicators to measure the country's production base and its diversity. By analyzing the structure of GDP in Iraq, it is possible to know the extent of diversification of the Iraqi economy. In this context, focus must be placed on a detailed analysis of economic growth, in order to assess the course of macroeconomic policy and the extent to which it is moving towards the best goal.

# A Glance at Iraq's Geography

Iraq has a strategic and effective position in the world represents a crossroad for the different routes connecting world continents and a land bridge leading to naval communication routes. Iraq is important on both international and commercial levels. The capital of Iraq is Baghdad. The country consists of eighteen Provinces, three of them, Al-Sulaimanyah, Erbil. and Duhouk, constitute Kurdistan



Region, whereas Basra, Mosul, and Erbil are considered the principal Provinces due to the large areas and large number of population they enjoy. Iraq's main resources are oil, natural gas, sulfur, phosphates, iron, red mercury, kaolin clays, bauxite, limestone, gravel and sand.

Geographically, Iraq can be divided into four main areas: the Western Area, the Southern Area, the Mountain Area, and the Sedimentary Plains Area on the Tigris and Euphrates. The area of the country is about (438,446) km<sup>2</sup>. The population of Iraq is about (38.8) million, 19.6 m male and 19.2m female. Most of them live in urban areas.

Iraq has two main rivers which are Tigris and Euphrates, whose lengths are (1850 km) and (2350 km). Both of these rivers rise in Turkey and meet in Al-Qurna City in Basra Province to form Shatt Al-Arab which in turn flows for another (185 km) before reaching The Arabian Gulf.

Iraq borders <u>Turkey</u> to the north, <u>Saudi Arabia</u>, Kuwait and Gulf to the south, Iran to the east, Syria and Jordan to the west.



# **Land Borders**

The total length of Iraqi borders is (3631) km distributed as follows: (1458) km with Iran, (181) km with Jordan, (242) km with Kuwait, (814) km with Saudi Arabia, (605) km with Syria, and (331) km with Turkey. On the other hand, the total length of maritime borders is (58) km\*.

# Lakes

There are many lakes in Iraq, the most prominent of them are:

Dowkan Lake, Al-Habaniya Lake, Al-Razaza Lake, Sawa Lake, Darbendekhan Lake, and Al-Thirthar Lake.



# **Dams**

Dowkan Dam, Darbendekhan Dam, Al-Habaniya Dam, Al-Faluja Dam, Al-Hindiya Dam, Mosul Dam, Duhouk Dam, Himreen Dam, Al-Kut Dam, Samaraa Dam, Qazanya Dam, Al-Itheim Dam, and Hadeetha Dam



# **Rivers**

The Tigris, The Euphrates, Diyala River, Al-Zab Al-Kabeer River, Al-Zab Al-Sagheer River, Shatt Al-Arab River, Al-Idhaim River, Al Gharaf river and Al Dejail river.



Iraq Geography

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# **Surface Classification**

Iraq's surface can be classified into four main areas: the Western Plateau, the Mountainous Area, the Sedimentary Plain Area, and the Undulating Area.

# **Mountains**

Sinjar Mountain, Qaradagh Mountain, Himreen Mountain, Sanam Mountain, Al-Jabal Al-Abyadh, Kara Mountain, Qindeel Mountain, Helgord Mountain, Mateen Mountain, Korek Mountain



# **Marshes**

Al-Hamar Marsh, Al-Huweiza Marsh, Al-Jibayish Marsh, Al-Qurna Marsh.



# **Islands**

Alus Island, Jibba Island, Um Al-Khanazeer Island, Um Al-Russas Island, Hijam Island, Um Al-Babi Island, Al-Sindbad Island.



# A Glance at Iraq's Economy

#### **Oil Sector**

- Oil plays a vital role in the development of Iraq's economy as it contributes to GDP about 56% in fixed prices for the year 2018, (according to primary estimation of the five- year plan 2018-2022) and more than 90% of financial revenues.
- Oil sector has achieved a daily production of 4.401 m bpd in 2018 while it was 4.469 m bpd in 2017.
- Gas proven reserves is 132.9f<sup>3</sup> trillion.
- Iraq has large potentials and competitive experience in sulfur-related industries. It also produces significant amounts of nitrogen fertilizers and phosphate.
- The daily average of oil exports for 2018 (3.836) million barrels / day
- The daily average of oil exports for 2017 (3.802) million barrels / day
- fixed oil reserves (146.9) million barrels

#### Table (1)

#### **Oil Sector Indications**

| Fixed Oil Reserves 1/1/2018                  | 146.9 Billion barrel            |
|--|---------------------------------|
| Fixed Gas Reserves 1/1/2018                  | 132.9 trillion cubic feet (TCF) |
| The daily average of oil production for 2017 | 4.469 m bpd                     |
| The daily average of oil production for 2018 | 4.401 m bpd                     |
| The daily average of oil exports for 2017    | (3.802) m bpd                   |
| The daily average of oil exports for 2018    | (3.836) m bpd                   |
| Target crude oil 2019                        | 5.000 thousand barrels          |
| Target crude oil 2020                        | 5.000 thousand barrels          |

<sup>\*</sup>source: Iraqi Ministry of Oil/ studies, planning and follow-up Dept. according to its letter no.961 on 9/1/2019



# Capital formation of the public and private sectors

The available data for the year 2015 indicates that private sector participation in capital formation amounted to 34.7% compared to 65.3% for the public sector. In light of the relevant economic trends and policies, the National Development Plan 2022-2018 aims to strengthen the role of the private sector and to create appropriate opportunities to play its real role in the development process, especially in light of the decline of the role of the state and the suspension of many government projects due to the financial crisis and the low size of available financial revenues. The development plan aims at the private sector's contribution in investments to reach in 2022 about 38.3% compared to 61.7% for the public sector as shown in the following table.

**Table (2)** 

| Public /private sector contribution to the capital formation in fixed prices |                      |                |                  |                |  |  |  |  |
|--|----------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|
| Sector   | Standard year        | 2015           | Target year 2022 |                |  |  |  |  |
|  | <b>Public sector</b> | Private sector | Public sector    | Private sector |  |  |  |  |
|  | %                    | %              | %                | %              |  |  |  |  |
| Agriculture  | 67.6                 | 32.4           | 60.0             | 40.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Oil  | 100.0                | 00             | 95.0             | 5.0            |  |  |  |  |
| Mining   | 66.4                 | 33.6           | 66.0             | 34.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Transformational industry  | 39.5                 | 60.5           | 30.0             | 70.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Power & water  | 80.8                 | 19.2           | 75.0             | 25.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Construction & building  | 43.1                 | 56.9           | 40.0             | 60.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Transportation & telecommunication   | 9.9                  | 90.1           | 5.0              | 95.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Trade  | 13.1                 | 86.9           | 13.0             | 87.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Finance &insurance   | 4.1                  | 95.9           | 4.0              | 96.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Services   | 81.8                 | 18.2           | 70.0             | 30.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Total  | 65.3                 | 34.7           | 61.7             | 38.3           |  |  |  |  |



#### **GDP**

The value of goods and final services produced in a country with a certain period of time. It consists of public and private expenditures, capital structure and changes in exports and imports. GDP is an important indication that reflects the economic stability.

#### **Economic Growth**

The National Development Plan 2022-2018 aims to achieve an appropriate economic growth rate consistent with the rates achieved by the Iraqi economy during the past periods based on the material and human resources it enjoys, especially with the maintenance of oil production and the ability to achieve oil exports guaranteeing the sustainability of financial revenues that can be employed in the productive and other services sectors. The target growth rate has been specified for the years 2018-2022 to be 7%, 7.5% of which for the growth of oil sector and 6.1% growth rate for all other non-oil activities (commodity, distribution and service). Although the conviction is available to the ability of the Iraqi economy to achieve higher growth rates, but taking into consideration the global instability of oil prices on one hand and the terrorist threats and security instability on the other hand and other factors that undermine the development process in the coming years.

#### **First: Gross domestic production**

Below we present the table of GDP growth rates at the fixed prices estimated for the years 2018 - 2022 which were calculated according to the model adopted for the plan.

Table (3)

| Sector                              | 2015<br>standard<br>year | Target growth rate (%) | 2018              | 2019              | 2020              | 2021              | 2022              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Agriculture                         | 3707.5                   | 8.4                    | 4722.5            | 5119.2            | 5549.2            | 6015.3            | 6520.6            |
| Oil                                 | 100929.2                 | 7.0                    | 125384.0          | 134787.5          | 144896.9          | 155764.2          | 167446.5          |
| Mining                              | 330.0                    | 1.0                    | 340.0             | 343.4             | 346.8             | 350.3             | 353.8             |
| Transformation al industry          | 1535.1                   | 10.5                   | 2071.2            | 2288.7            | 2529.0            | 2794.5            | 3088.5            |
| Power & water                       | 2130.7                   | 6.0                    | 2537.7            | 2690.0            | 2851.4            | 3022.4            | 3203.8            |
| Construction & building             | 13768.4                  | 6.8                    | 16772.5           | 17913.0           | 19131.1           | 20432.0           | 21821.4           |
| Transportation & telecommunica tion | 14313.9                  | 7.0                    | 17535.1           | 18762.6           | 20076.0           | 21481.3           | 22985.0           |
| Trade                               | 14872.9                  | 8.3                    | 18892.1           | 20460.2           | 22158.4           | 23997.5           | 25989.3           |
| Finance<br>&insurance               | 11815.1                  | 2.6                    | 12760.8           | 13092.6           | 13433.0           | 13782.3           | 14140.6           |
| Services                            | 19777.8                  | 4.5                    | 22569.8           | 23585.4           | 24646.7           | 25755.8           | 26914.9           |
| Non - oil activities                | 81402.0                  | 6.1                    | 98201.8           | 104255.3          | 110721.6          | 117631.5          | 125017.3          |
| Total \$b                           | 182331.2                 | 7.0                    | 223585.8<br>189.2 | 239042.8<br>202.2 | 255618.5<br>216.3 | 273395.7<br>231.3 | 292463.8<br>247.4 |

It is clear that the plan aims to increase the gross domestic product and fixed prices to (292.5) trillion dinars in 2022 compared to (182.3) trillion dinars in 2015 and an absolute increase of (110.2) trillion dinars and a growth rate of 7%. The main target sectors are the industry sector 10.5% and the agricultural sector 8.4%. These rates are conditional on the availability of the necessary investments in both public and private sectors.



Table (4)

| Sectorial structure of the GDP compared to the standard year |      |      |      |  |  |  |  |
|--|------|------|------|--|--|--|--|
| Sector   | 2015 | 2018 | 2022 |  |  |  |  |
| Agriculture  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.2  |  |  |  |  |
| oil  | 55.4 | 56.1 | 57.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Mining   | 0.2  | 0.2  | 0.1  |  |  |  |  |
| Transformational industry                                    | 0.8  | 0.9  | 1.1  |  |  |  |  |
| Power & water  | 1.2  | 1.1  | 1.1  |  |  |  |  |
| Building & construction                                      | 7.6  | 7.5  | 7.5  |  |  |  |  |
| Transportation & telecommunication                           | 7.8  | 7.8  | 7.9  |  |  |  |  |
| trade  | 8.2  | 8.4  | 8.9  |  |  |  |  |
| Finance &insurance   | 6.4  | 5.7  | 4.8  |  |  |  |  |
| Services   | 10.7 | 10.1 | 9.2  |  |  |  |  |
| Total  | 100  | 100  | 100  |  |  |  |  |

**Table (5)** 

| Non- oil activities contribution in GDP 2018-2022 (billion ID) |          |      |          |      |          |      |          |      |          |      |
|--|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|
|  | 2018     |      | 2019     |      | 2020     |      | 2021     |      | 2022     |      |
| Activity   | Product  | %    |
| Goods  | 26443.9  | 11.8 | 28354.3  | 11.9 | 30407.5  | 11.9 | 32614.5  | 11.9 | 34987.6  | 11.9 |
| Distributive   | 38056.1  | 17.0 | 40924.8  | 17.1 | 43980.7  | 17.2 | 47270.5  | 17.3 | 50812.6  | 17.4 |
| Services   | 33960.4  | 15.2 | 34976.0  | 14.6 | 36333.4  | 14.2 | 37746.4  | 13.8 | 39217.2  | 13.4 |
| Gross domestic product   | 223585.8 | 44.0 | 239042.8 | 43.6 | 255618.5 | 43.3 | 273395.7 | 34.0 | 292463.8 | 42.7 |



#### **Second: Investment and Growth**

Required investment in both public and private sector to achieve the target growth rate of 7% with a total amount of (220.6) trillion dinars equivalent to (186.7) billion dollars throughout the years of the plan (2022 - 2018) of the amount of 132 trillion dinars is expected to be provided by the state budget as governmental investment and the rest up to 88.6 trillion dinars reflects the private sector investments in all forms and as shown below:

**Table (6)** 

| Estimated revenues and investments for 2018-2022 plan | Trillion ID |
|---|-------------|
| Total envisaged revenues                              | 440.0       |
| Total required investments                            | 220.6       |
| Estimated investment in the state budget              | 132.0       |
| Envisaged investment in the private sector            | 88.6        |

#### - Governmental investment

The expected governmental investment during the years of the plan is about 132 trillion dinars, equivalent to 111.7 billion dollars and constitutes about 60% of the total required investment of 220.6 trillion dinars, as shown in the table above.

#### - Non-governmental investment (private)

The plan envisages that the private sector will contribute 88.6 trillion dinars, equivalent to 75 billion dollars during the years of the plan 2022 - 2018. It reflects the private sector investments in Iraq in all its directions and activities, which constitutes 40% of the total investments required to achieve the target growth rate in the plan.

#### - Sectoral distribution of required investments

In order to achieve the sectoral targeted growth rates, we list below the estimated investments required annually for each sector of the economy, where it is clear that the oil sector continues to get a high proportion of investments, around 38.4%, a total of about 84.7 trillion dinars for the period 2022 – 2018. This comes in line with the need of this sector for large investments as a capital intensive sector that needs advanced technology as well as to meet the obligations of the international oil companies. The infrastructure sectors (electricity, water, construction, transport and communications) together account for about half the estimated investment up to 49.5% as the need for electricity and water sector was estimated to around 20.2 trillion dinars for the next five years, While the estimated investments required for the construction sector amounted to



about 12.2 trillion dinars during the plan years. The required investments for the transport and communications sector were estimated at 39.6 trillion dinars, which is required to meet the requirements of reconstruction in the affected areas, in addition to the decline in the infrastructure throughout the country with reference that the private sector is the main contributor in this vital sector, where the proportion of its contribution to about 90%. The services sector also needs large investments during the years of the plan estimated at 37.2 trillion dinars and up to 17% of the total investment estimated in the hope of re-activity to this vital sector that touches the daily needs of citizens. The production and commodity sectors (agriculture and manufacturing) accounted for 5.6% of their share, which is low due to weak absorptive capacity, technological backwardness, unfair competition from imported goods and poor implementation of related procedures and decisions.

**Table (7)** 

| Size of the estimated investments to achieve the target growth rates in the economic sectors 2018 -2022 |                      |         |         |         | Billion II | Billion ID |  |
|---|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|------------|------------|--|
| Sector  | Target growth % rate | 2018    | 2019    | 2020    | 2021       | 2022       |  |
| Agriculture   | 8.4                  | 1280.8  | 1388.4  | 1505.0  | 1631.5     | 1768.5     |  |
| oil   | 7.5                  | 14579.5 | 15673.0 | 16848.5 | 18112.1    | 19470.5    |  |
| Mining  | 1.0                  | 5.6     | 5.7     | 5.7     | 5.8        | 5.8        |  |
| Transformational industry   | 10.5                 | 787.2   | 869.9   | 961.2   | 1062.2     | 1173.7     |  |
| Power & water   | 6.0                  | 3591.1  | 3806.5  | 4034.9  | 4277.0     | 4533.7     |  |
| Building & construction   | 6.8                  | 2135.8  | 2281.1  | 2436.2  | 2601.8     | 2778.7     |  |
| Transportation & telecommunication  | 7.0                  | 6883.0  | 7362.8  | 7880.3  | 8431.9     | 9022.1     |  |
| Trade   | 8.3                  | 14479.9 | 1568.0  | 1698.2  | 1839.1     | 1991.8     |  |
| Finance & insurance   | 2.6                  | 1077.9  | 1105.9  | 1134.7  | 1164.2     | 1194.5     |  |
| Services  | 4.5                  | 6803.3  | 7109.5  | 7429.4  | 7763.7     | 8113.1     |  |
| Total   | 7.0                  | 38592.2 | 41172.8 | 43934.2 | 46889.4    | 50052.5    |  |
|   |                      | 32.6    | 34.8    | 37.2    | 39.7       | 42.3       |  |



**Table (8)** 

| Percentage distribution of         | %                       |      |  |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------|--|
| Sector                             | Investment (billion ID) | %    |  |
| Agriculture                        | 7574.2                  | 3.4  |  |
| oil                                | 8468.7                  | 38.4 |  |
| Mining                             | 28.6                    | 0.01 |  |
| Transformational                   | 4854.3                  | 2.2  |  |
| industry                           |                         |      |  |
| Power & water                      | 20243.3                 | 9.2  |  |
| <b>Building &amp; construction</b> | 12233.6                 | 5.5  |  |
| Transportation &                   | 39582.1                 | 17.9 |  |
| telecommunication                  |                         |      |  |
| Trade                              | 8545.1                  | 3.9  |  |
| Finance & insurance                | 5677.2                  | 2.6  |  |
| Services                           | 37219.0                 | 16.9 |  |
| Total                              | 220640.0                | 100  |  |

# Third: Average per capita

The plan aims at achieving a real GDP growth rate of 7% with a population growth rate of 2.5%. It is expected that the average real per capita will increase by 4.5%. The average per capita GDP and fixed prices for 2007 are about 4.9 million dinars in 2015 and about 5.1% Dinars for 2016, where the average per capita is expected to reach about 6.9 million dinars at the end of the plan in 2022.



**Table (9)** 

| Average per capita during the plan year |                         |                                 |                                   |  |  |
|---|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| Year                                    | Target GDP (billion ID) | Estimated population (thousand) | Average per capita<br>Thousand ID |  |  |
| 2018                                    | 223585.8                | 38124.2                         | 5864.7                            |  |  |
| 2019                                    | 239042.8                | 39127.9                         | 6109.3                            |  |  |
| 2020                                    | 255618.5                | 40150.2                         | 6366.6                            |  |  |
| 2021                                    | 273395.7                | 41190.7                         | 6637.3                            |  |  |
| 2022                                    | 292463.8                | 42248.9                         | 6922.4                            |  |  |

The plan aims to achieve a significant improvement in the standard of living of citizens by ensuring the suitable employment opportunities in addition to maintaining inflation rates at the minimum levels through the adoption of fiscal and monetary policies to maintain the stability of prices, stability of exchange rates and to maintain as much as possible supporting low-income groups through social security networks and continued support of the ration card.



**Table (10)** 

Consumer Prices Index Numbers for the years (2019-2020)

(100 - 2012)

|     | Main sectors                             | Weight | Annual rate |       | Change rate | Contribution<br>Rate |
|-----|--|--------|-------------|-------|-------------|----------------------|
|     |  |        | 2019        | 2020  |             |                      |
| 1.  | Foods and non alcoholic drinks           | 29.605 | 97.5        | 97.0  | (0.5)       | -31.7                |
| 2.  | Tobacco                                  | 0.615  | 121.1       | 121.9 | 0.7         | 0.9                  |
| 3.  | Readymade clothes and shoes              | 6.472  | 102.2       | 101.9 | (0.3)       | -4.2                 |
| 4.  | Lodging, water supply, power supply, gas | 25.539 | 113.9       | 113.8 | (0.1)       | -5.4                 |
| 5.  | Domestic equipment and maintenance       | 6.524  | 96.7        | 96.1  | (0.6)       | -8.4                 |
| 6.  | Medical care                             | 4.124  | 123.1       | 131.2 | 6.6         | 58.3                 |
| 7.  | Transportation                           | 15.185 | 97.6        | 97.5  | (0.1)       | -3.3                 |
| 8.  | telecommunication                        | 3.109  | 109.7       | 109.1 | (0.5)       | -3.3                 |
| 9.  | Entertainment and recreation             | 1.998  | 94.2        | 95.1  | 1.0         | 4.3                  |
| 10. | Education                                | 0.922  | 144.0       | 154.7 | 7.4         | 14.6                 |
| 11. | Restaurants and hotels                   | 1.527  | 112.1       | 112.2 | 0.1         | 0.3                  |
| 12. | Different goods and services             | 4.542  | 106.7       | 115.2 | 8.0         | 77.8                 |
| 00  | General index number                     | 100    | 104.5       | 105.1 | 0.6         | 100.0                |
|     | General index number after exclusion     | 100    | 105.2       | 106.2 | 1.0         |                      |

Source: Central Statistics Organization, General Indexes directorate



**Interest Rates**: there are several effects and dimensions for interest rates that extend deeply in macroeconomics; as it widely affects investment especially the productive side of it which contributes to expanding the productive capacity and increasing the resilience of the production system; on one hand it affects the investment costs and on the other has an impact on the capital sufficiency limits.

Interest rate represents the cost of the borrowed capital, the increase in the interest rate leads to higher borrowed capital cost and in the end to low investment; investment is reversely connected with the interest rate as it depends on the real interest average considering it as cost of borrowing, and the trend of the investment mark is minus: raising the interest rate leads to lowering investment levels and vice- versa.

On the other hand, interest rate affects the sufficiency limits of investment as well as the present value of the future income streamline and the market interest rate connects reversely with the present value of the future income streamline, as a result the increase in interest rates leads to (I) lowering the present value and if it is higher than costs means that the investment is profitable before raising the interest rates but in raising market interest rates present value shall become lower than costs and the investment is unprofitable.

Likewise, the market interest rate affects the investment by its effect on the marginal sufficiency of the capital. After calculating the marginal sufficiency of the investment, it is compared with the market interest rate and thus the increase (or decrease) of the market interest rate may make the marginal sufficiency of the investment less (or greater) than the price. Market interest and thus the investment is unprofitable (or profitable). This is because the market interest rate represents the opportunity cost of investing. The higher it is, the higher the opportunity cost. Whereas the higher the marginal sufficiency of the investment, the higher the investment.

**Third**: Infrastructure Reality: infrastructure is defined as the concrete capital invested in public utilities and services, and it is an indispensable economic factor that is critically important for production, trade and investment inside and outside the country, and it can be divided into two types: tangible and intangible infrastructure.

Tangible infrastructure includes quality of roads, irrigation systems, airports and seaports, bridges and so on. While intangible infrastructure includes power supply, telecommunications, technology and others.

In Iraq, all infrastructure had been subject to devastation beside a tremendous lack of finance capacity and the most important part of devastated infrastructure is electricity which represents a decisive factor in investment and production process and a vital nerve in the modern life the matter that leads to giving it special attention by planners and economic policy drawers embodied by the annual enormous financial allocations, for this sector front and back connections with other economic sectors in Iraq and the back connections can be represented by activating the oil sector and products derived out of it and other big industries, while front connections includes activating agriculture, industry in all its branches, trade and other economic sectors.



# **Banking Sector**

#### Reinforcing and fostering the banking sector and the financial institutions

#### Developing regulation in the banking sector

Iraqi Central Bank has always been keen to have principles of corporate governance established and applied in order to keep pace with the international developments and apply the best practices in the banking sector through inserting structural, legislative and monitoring developments that aim at minimizing possible risks since investors are trending towards dealing with banks that use intact governance structures.

- Governance aims at defining the nature of relationship between the bank board of directors and executive administration in a way that leads to protecting the depositors, stock holders and benefits owners' money in addition to focusing on disclosure and transparency, and out of this principle a corporate governance guide has been published by the CBI based on relevant Iraqi laws and international standards issued by international establishments and institutions like (IFC, OECD, Basil committee for banking monitory, AAOIFI, IFSB) to help banks reinforce the general frameworks for governance and wise management.

The CBI, in its implementation for the strategic plan and through its keenness to continue abiding by applying the best international practices in the field of banking industry and international standards for financial reports (IFRS), applied the international standards for financial reports in all licensed banks for the purpose of reinforcing the safety of their financial ranking and deepening the concepts of transparency and disclosure in these banks as this standard included abiding all banks to form a committee responsible of applying it that contains a group of members to insure the success of the process of converting from the international accounting standard.

#### **Developing and Supporting Islamic Banking Industry**

- Islamic banks had imposed a new reality on the international banking market where terms like solidarity, checks and partnership had become common in western banks and they could present a new concept in the banking transactions. And for the purpose of developing and supporting the Islamic banks in Iraq CBI issued the final edition of the executive regulations that regulate the work of the Islamic banks and as follows:
  - \* Issuing the regulations of the Islamic funding tools
  - \* Issuing the regulations of risks management in Islamic banks
  - \* Issuing the regulations of legislative monitory, internal checking and compliance committee in Islamic banks according to Islamic Sharia



- CBI also drafted the regulations for solidarity insurance by a committee formed for this purpose in cooperation with the insurance diwan; also, it developed the draft of the Islamic Investment Checks Law and presented it to the State Council.

#### Supporting the establishment of Deposits Guaranty Institution

- CBI had sought according to its strategic plan to establish a Deposits Guaranty Institution which represents an essential part of the financial safety network to solidify the fellows confidence in the banking sector by guarantying their savings deposited in the banks, and based on its strategic plan an establishment contract for the institution had been signed with the committee formed on the 31<sup>st</sup> of January 2018, which included the membership of 44 government and private banks (6 government banks, 22 commercial banks, and 16 foreign banks), this establishment shall play a big role in protecting the banking sector especially individuals and corporate deposits to reinforce confidence in the banking sector inside and outside Iraq, the matter that can contribute much to attracting more deposits to be reused in crediting and investment for the good of the Iraqi economy.

#### **Participating in Developing the Financial Markets**

- For the purpose of reinforcing and fostering the banking sector and the financial establishments in managing the banking liquidity in Islamic and commercial banks and participating in developing the financial markets (monetary market in Iraq), CBI constructed a diversified structure for its securities with one year and less terms and offering them through auctions according to the central securities depositary system and as follows:
- Commencing the issuance of Islamic deposit certificates as a new investment window for the Islamic banks to manage liquidity in the banking sector, as a plan had been prepared to offer new short and medium term financial products with variations in the rates of revenues whether they were for the CBI transfers or for the traditional or Islamic deposit certificates.

The central bank trained banks staff on the central securities depositary to use the system and loaning services.

CBI had established the new Financial Products Unit for the purposes of researching and analyzing the possibility of inventing new financial products to manage liquidity and finding the best applications to implement the monetary policy through searching in the global experiments and available financial tools with measuring the effect and analyzing the results.

#### Developing the regulating body and structure of the CBI

Aiming at supporting the continuation of the work in the banks, CBI issued the regulations of the business continuance management system in the Iraqi banking sector and trained the IT and risk management committees to apply these regulations according to the requirements of the international standard for business continuance and the



recommendations of receiving the returning information from the banks regarding applying these regulations.

The CBI reconsidered the monitory regulations to make sure they are compatible with the international standards issued by Basil Committee for Banking Monitory (III) in cooperation with (METAC) which were recently published and as follows:

- The monitory work guide that concentrates on the regulations of risks management in the traditional banks.
- Supervisory controls for the capital adequacy standard in accordance with the requirements of Basel (III).
- Regulations for organizing the work of brokerage firms for the sale and purchase of foreign currency No. 1 of 2018
- Regulations of Islamic financing tools.
- Instructions and procedures issued by the Central Bank to regulate banking activity in Iraq, including (branches of foreign banks).
- Executive controls to regulate the work of Islamic banks
- Instructions for the business continuity system in the Iraqi banking sector according to the international standard.

#### **Developing the CBI operating performance**

After meeting the requirements of the international standard last year, CBI obtained the ISO certificate in the field of cash management granted by LMS Certification Limited, and the ISO9001 standard is considered as the most spreading in the world for the management systems which essentially helped CBI to develop and regulate its management standards in the various fields.

Finishing the process of preparing the BSRS program and the tests of connecting banks with the CBI in terms of auditing financial statements.

For the purpose of gradual converting to the centrality of accounts, CBI achieved the first stage of unifying accounting processes for foreign currency auction window.

CBI also created new departments within the exchange monitory office, dept. analyzing the banks performance and risk monitory, section of evaluating the real estate mortgages, and the IT section in the banks and the financial institutions. departments and sections were created according to the best international standards.

# Reinforcement and completion of infrastructure

In order to develop the infrastructure of the banking communication network, obtaining safe and fast communication channels and maintaining the credibility and availability levels of the banking network, CBI connected the main branched of government, private and foreign banks and the Ministry of Finance by using the fiber optics project to the CBI sites.



#### (VPN) Virtual Private Network

CBI accomplished the project of VPN (Virtual Private Network) according to developed standards. devices and levels of protection and encryption act as principal connecting channels for the users of the electronic systems and as auxiliary connecting channels to support the banking communication network working with the technologies of the fiber optics to be used by the network subscribers in case of the stoppage of the main streamline of the banking connecting network. CBI could finish the infrastructure works of the database centers, database systems, their operating applications, and ICT systems that provide a platform for backup and programming in order to avoid partial and total failure of database systems.

#### **Macroeconomic objectives**

#### **Financial Policy:**

#### **Objectives**

- Goal 1: correct the public spending structure.
- Goal 2: diversify the structure of public revenues and increase the revenues of non-oil revenues
- Goal 3: address the real deficit in the state budget.
- Goal 4: Improve public financial management.
- Goal 5: Raise private saving rates.

#### **Monetary policy:**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: To maintain inflation rates within the limits of the decimal point.
- Goal 2: To maintain the stability of the local currency exchange rate.
- Goal 3: To promote the principles of disclosure, transparency, monitoring and the establishment of governance systems in the Iraqi banking sector.
- Goal 4: Enhancing financial inclusion.
- Goal 5: Create a growth-driven credit activity.
- Goal 6: Reinforcement of foreign exchange reserves.
- Goal 7: Combating the phenomenon of money laundering.
- Goal 8: Activate the role of the Central Bank of Iraq in promoting monetary and financial integration, including capital markets, banking and investment institutions and insurance companies.
- Goal 9: The adoption of information technology in the mechanisms of the Central Bank of Iraq.

#### **Trade Policy:**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Improve the competitiveness of domestically produced goods.
- Goal 2: increase the revenues of the general budget.



- Goal 3: Achieve equilibrium in the balance of payments.
- Goal 4: Promote national production.
- Goal 5: To increase the volume of commodity exports.
- Goal 6: Increase agricultural and industrial production.
- Goal 7: Coordinate macroeconomic policies in Iraq.

#### 4. Sectorial development objectives of the plan

#### 1-4: Population and labor force

# First: Population

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: couples are free to choose the number of births or spacing between them.
- Goal 2: return 100% of the total displaced persons to their original places voluntarily.
- Goal 3: achieve population stability in rural and less developed cities.

#### **Second: Labor force**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Reduce the unemployment rate.
- Goal 2: Develop a planning framework for human resources for more than 5 years.
- Goal 3: Invest the demographic window (by governorates).

# **Third: Wise Governance**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Strengthen the rule of law and reduce human rights violations.
- Goal 2: Develop the capacity of human rights institutions.
- Goal 3: Improve administrative decentralization.
- Goal 4: Improve the degree of integrity and transparency and reduce administrative and financial corruption.
- Goal 5: To improve the performance of the administrative system efficiently and effectively.
- Goal 6: Ensure public participation in the decision-making process.
- Goal 7: Adopting the electronic governance system as an alternative to the current administrative style.

#### Fourth: Activating the role of the private sector and improving the business and investment environment

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: increase the contribution of the private sector.
- Goal 2: Improve the business and investment environment.
- Goal 3: Developing Small and Medium Enterprises.
- Goal 4: To establish a genuine participation of the private sector in the process of reconstruction and development, and share burdens and benefits thereof.



- Goal 5: Restructuring public companies.
- Goal 6: Private Sector Governance.

# Fifth: Reconstructing and developing the post-crisis governorates Objectives:

- Goal 1: adopt an effective administrative and financial system that responds to the needs of recovery, the requirements of community stability and sustainable peacebuilding.
- Goal 2: rehabilitate the infrastructure with comprehensive coverage.
- Goal 3: revive the sectorial economic activities and optimize the opportunities for development.
- Goal 4: Strengthen human protection and protect against the risks of relapse.

#### **Sixth: Poverty alleviation**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Higher and sustainable income for the poor.
- Goal 2: Improve the health situation.
- Goal 3: Improve the education for the poor.
- Goal 4: Adequate housing and a responsive environment to challenges.
- Goal 5: Effective social protection for the poor.
- Goal 6: Enable and promote the social, economic and political integration of IDPs and returnees in the liberated areas.

# **Agriculture and Water Resources Sector Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Increase the contribution of the agricultural sector in the gross domestic product (non-oil activities) from 4.5% in 2015 to 5.2% in 2022. Achieving growth in the agricultural sector in the target year reaches 8.4%.
- Goal 2: Achieving sustainable food security.
- Goal 3: Secure the annual demand for water for sustainable uses in the fields of agriculture, industrial and municipal, and achieve water balance with the possibility of reducing the annual demand for water to 500 million m<sup>3</sup> annually.
- Goal 4: Work towards sustainable water resources.

#### **Energy and manufacturing industries**

First: Oil and Gas sector

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: increase the production capacity of crude oil to reach (6.5) million bpd.
- Goal 2: increase the export capacity of crude oil to (5.25) million bpd.
- Goal 3: raising the crude oil capacity of the crude oil in export warehouses.
- Goal 4: raising natural gas production to reach (3500) mf<sup>3</sup> per day.
- Goal 5: Strengthen proven gas reserves.



- Goal 6: To achieve self-sufficiency and export of petroleum products by increasing the refining capacity to reach (900) thousand bpd.
- Goal 7: To strengthen the reservoir energy of petroleum products to secure storage of 2267 m<sup>3</sup>.
- Goal 8: Protect the environment from pollution and address the environmental problems caused by the oil and gas activity of existing facilities and reduce CO2 emissions.

#### **Second: Electricity sector Objectives:**

- Goal 1: to increase the production capacity in the electrical system to reach (20869) megawatts.
- Goal 2: increase the per capita electricity supply to reach (4041) kWh.
- Goal 3: Improve the efficiency of the electrical system.
- Goal 4: Improve the quality of services provided to consumers according to categories (household, government, industrial, agricultural, commercial).
- Goal 5: To rationalize the consumption of electricity for different uses and reduce it by 7% annually.
- Goal 6: Improve the environmental impact of electricity activity by reducing Co2 emissions.
- Goal 7: Enhancing the role of the private sector in managing the production and distribution sectors.
- Goal 8: Promote governance of the electricity sector and its institutions.

## Third: Manufacturing and Extraction Industries (excluding Oil) **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Increase the contribution of non-oil manufacturing and extractive industries to GDP by 40% from the base year.
- Goal 2: work on finding other sources of funding for public sector projects and limiting the financing of the investment budget for strategic projects only.
- Goal 3: activate the strategies related to this sector and modernize them according to the industrial strategic developments in Iraq up to 2030 and the implementation mechanisms.
- Goal 4: support important strategic industries, especially in the liberated areas, because they contain minerals and natural gas, which is a major incentive to encourage these industries.
- Goal 5: achieve a sectoral link between the manufacturing sector and other sectors and the involvement of the private sector within this threading by using the potential available to the private sector.
- Goal 6: Revitalize geological surveys in order to develop an integrated map of the country's mineral resources in order to turn them into investment opportunities.



#### 4.4: Transport, Communications and Storage Sector

First: Transport Sector

# Port activity Objectives:

- Goal 1: increase the capacity of the existing ports and their Ship canals to 23 million tons annually.
- Goal2: complete the initial construction to begin building Faw port.
- Goal 3: Promote private sector involvement in the implementation and operation of port services.

#### **Shipping activity**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Enhance the role of the national maritime carrier in securing Iraq's trade.
- Goal 2: Supporting the role of the private sector in the field of maritime transport.

#### Air transport activity

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal1: Improve the performance and development of the role of the national carrier through a global partnership which enjoys economic efficiency in the field of air transport.
- Goal 2: Supporting the role of the private sector in the field of air transport.

#### Passenger transport activity

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Improve the efficiency of transport activity performance.
- Goal 2: Develop the role of the private sector in the transport sector.
- Goal 3: Strengthen the role of public transport and support it through administrative and operational partnerships which enjoy economic efficiency.

#### Land transport by truck

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Enhance the role of the private sector in implementing the comprehensive long-term transport plan and activate its real participation with the public sector.
- Goal2: Join to the international transport agreements and activate the agreements with the neighboring countries.

## Railway activity

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Modernize the railway system, develop it and increase its operational capacity.
- Goal 2: Improve the level of service delivered in this activity
- Goal 3: Strengthen Iraq's geographical location as a link between east and west.
- Goal 4: Enhancing the role of the private sector and foreign investment.



#### **Activity of roads and bridges**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Increase the length of the road network in all its details and branches.
- Goal 2: build a modern maintenance system for the entire land network.
- Goal 3: Implementing the traffic control system in an integrated and accurate manner.

#### **Second: Telecommunications Sector**

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal1: increase the contribution of the telecommunications sector to GDP.
- Goal 2: meet demand for services at competitive prices and qualities.
- Goal 3: Keeping up with the rapid development of the ICT sector.
- Goal 4: Reach everyone.
- Goal 5: To make the communication environment safe and informative.

#### Third: the storage sector

#### **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: secure strategic stocks of basic crops.
- Goal 2: the contribution of the private sector in the management, maintenance and operation of the silos.

## **Buildings and services sector**

#### **Objectives**

- Goal1: completion of housing projects under implementation or on hold (including investment), which is estimated at (700) thousand housing units in all provinces except Kurdistan.
- Goal 2: Provide 100 thousand housing units to be implemented in accordance with the modern methods and techniques used in the construction of housing units in order to contribute to filling part of the housing deficit achieved in all governorates, including the governorates that were destroyed by terrorist operations and military operations.
- Goal 3: Establish 100 thousand housing units suitable to provide requirements for displaced families as a result of terrorist operations, military operations, ambiguities and transgressors according to the framework document of the National Plan for Reconstruction and Development of the provinces affected by terrorist and war operations of 2017.
- Goal 4: Provide 50% of the mortgage finance from the private sector investment required to cover the housing deficit based on economic feasibility studies of projects and supported by the design prepared according to Building Information Modeling (BIM).



# Water and Sanitation First: Potable water Objectives

- Goal 1: ensure the supply of potable water according to international standards and access to the share of per capita consumption of clean water to fit the population growth and at least 250 liters / day per person in Baghdad and provincial centers and 200 liters / day in the districts and villages.
- Goal 2: Improve the quality of potable water.
- Goal 3: Reduce the lost by at least 10% of the base year.

# **Second: Sanitation**

# **Objectives**:

- Goal 1: increase the percentage of beneficiaries to 97% in Baghdad and 72.66% in the provinces.
- Goal 2: bring treated water to the river according to the standard specifications.

# Culture, tourism and archeology

# First: Culture Objectives:

- Goal 1: Complete the ongoing or expected infrastructure projects.
- Goal 2: bring up and spread the Iraqi culture in the society.
- Goal 3: Promote investment in cultural activity.

# **Second: Tourism and Archeology**

# **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Increase the contribution of tourism activity in the GDP.
- Goal 2: Preserve the historical-cultural heritage and revive archaeological monuments.
- Goal 3: Enhance the role of the private sector in tourism investment.

#### **Spatial development**

# **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Reduce the bilateral spatial development, and reduce the developmental disparity among provinces.
- Goal 2: Strengthen rural infrastructure.
- Goal 3: Improve the hierarchy of the urban system and urban renewal of city centers.
- Goal 4: Activate urban management and organize cities.
- Goal 5: Integration of different transport systems (improvement of the inter-governorate transport system and the development of urban transport).
- Goal 6: Promote decentralization, transfer of powers and participation in the management of development among governorates.



# **Human and Social Development**

**First: Education Objectives:** 

# First: pre-university education

#### Goal 1:

- Increase enrollment ratios as follows:
- Increase the net enrollment rate in kindergartens to 30% in the target year.
- Increase the net enrollment ratio at the primary level to 99%.
- Increase the net enrollment ratio in the intermediate level to 70%.
- Increase the net enrollment ratio in high school level to 45%.
- Increase the enrollment rate in vocational education to 7%.
- Increase the contribution of private education in the providing educational opportunities for public and higher education by at least 20%.
- Goal 2: Provide the buildings and supplies necessary to accommodate the targeted numbers of pupils and students during the plan period.
- Goal 3: Improve the efficiency of the educational system.
- Goal 4: Provide educational services and supplies to create an attractive school environment.
- Goal 5: Develop educational techniques in curriculum modernization.
- Goal 6: Enhance the developmental role of vocational education.
- Goal 7: Improve the use of administrative governance in schools.
- Goal 8: Develop educational and social guidance and health care.
- Goal 9: Develop the methods of testing and evaluation.
- Goal 10: Support literacy projects.
- Goal 11: Restore the educational institutions that have been affected by terrorism.
- Goal 12: Promote coherence and positive values in education.

# **Second: University education**

- Goal 13: Improve the international classification of Iraqi universities.
- Goal 14: Develop the academic side of Iraqi universities.
- Goal 15: Strengthen partnership with the private sector.
- Goal 16: Reconstruction and rehabilitation of universities in liberated areas.

# Third: Health

# **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Improve and modernize the health system.
- Goal 2: Improve the health protection system.
- Goal 3: Develop health information management.
- Goal 4: Improve the delivery of health services.
- Goal 5: Implementing administrative governance in the health sector.
- Goal 6: Reduce rates of transitional and non-transitional diseases.
- Goal 7: Rehabilitation of health institutions in areas affected by terrorism.
- Goal 8: Maximize financial resources and promote health economics.

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# Forth: Women Objectives:

- Goal 1: Empowering women scientifically and knowledgeably.
- Goal 2: Empowering women economically.
- Goal 3: Empowering Women Healthily.
- Goal 4: Empowering women in areas affected by terrorist acts.
- Goal 5: Expanding women's participation in the private sector.

# Fifth: Youth Objectives:

- Goal 1: Commit to the implementation of national policies, plans and strategies related to youth.
- Goal 2: Provide an enabling environment for young people.

# Sixth: Social development

# **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Reduce the disabled and people with special needs rate.
- Goal 2: Improve institutional services provided the disabled and people with special needs.
- Goal 3: Raising awareness and community participation in educating people with disabilities and special needs in primary and secondary schools.
- Goal 4: Reduce the rate of child labor.
- Goal 5: Reduce violence against children.
- Goal 6: Reduce juvenile delinquency.
- Goal 7: Reduce levels of addiction to drugs, alcohol and smoking.
- Goal 8: Reduce the rate of early marriage for females.
- Goal 9: Rehabilitation of infrastructure and integration of vulnerable groups in areas affected by terrorism.
- Goal 10: Improve quality of life.

# **Environmental sustainability**

# **Objectives:**

- Goal 1: Ensure availability and management of water and sanitation, including:
  - Protecting and improving water quality.
  - Development of liquid waste management system.
  - Preserving the marine and coastal environment.
  - Reduction of oil pollution.
  - Water harvesting projects.
  - Systematic utilization of groundwater.
- Goal 2: Address air pollution and its effects, including:
  - Protect and improve air quality.
  - Control oil pollution.
  - Projects to reduce electricity pollution.
  - Develop the waste management system.



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- Development of energy and environment units.
- Reduction of radiation pollution.
- Integrated management of hazardous materials
- Legislation and institutional framework
- Goal 3: Protection, restoration and sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, including:
  - Reducing land degradation and combating desertification.
  - Conservation of biodiversity.
  - Evolution of the use of alternative materials in agriculture and the trend toward clean agriculture.
- Goal 4: Address climate changes and its impacts
  - Protect and improve air quality.
  - Development of waste management system.
  - Reduction of radiation pollution.
  - Integrated management of fragrances.
  - Institutional framework and legislation.
  - Mitigation and adaptation to climate changes.



# **Province of Baghdad**

# **Historical Background**

Province of Baghdad is the capital of the Republic of Iraq. It is situated on the Tigris River. It is the biggest city in Iraq; the second biggest city in the Arab world after Cairo, and the second biggest city in Western Asia, after Tehran, the capital of the Islamic Republic of Iran. Baghdad is an important point as roads, air, and trains cross at it. It is the economic. administrative. regarded commercial and educational center and GOI headquarter.

Baghdad has been the most important center of the various sciences in the world. It had been the



meeting spot of scholars and learners for many centuries. Baghdad has several names, such as, Al-Mudawarrah (the Circular), Al-Zawra (the Deviated), and Dar Ul-Salam (House of Peace). Tigris River passes through the city, dividing it into two halves: Karkh (Western part) and Rusafa (Eastern part).

Baghdad has a lot of historical and civilization sites, most important of which is Al-Mustansiriyah School, ancient Islamic mosques, ancient palaces, and the National Museum which embraces the most important civilization, Mesopotamia. .

• Area: Baghdad has the area of 4.555 km<sup>2</sup>.

# Population

Inhabitants of Baghdad are approximately (8.318.696), eight million and three hundred eighteen thousand, six hundred ninety six persons. Almost 83% of the inhabitants of the capital are concentrated in the City of Baghdad itself, while 17% of them reside in its countryside and outskirts as Baghdad is the biggest city in Iraq and the second in area in Asia. This data show that the density within the municipal boundaries of the city is extremely high. This high density requires more and more housing complexes and other various economic activities.









#### **Main cities**

- Rusafa District (Eastern Karada, new Baghdad, Palestine)
- A'adhamiyah District (Rashdiya, Fahama, Zuhoor)
- Al-Sadr Al Azali District (Al Sideeq Al Akbar, AL Oula),
- Al-Sadr District (2) (Abna Al Rafedain, Al Munawara),
- Karkh District, (Al Mansour, Al Mamoon)
- Kadhimiyah District, (That Al Salasil, Al Taji)
- Mahmoudiyah District, (Al Yousfiya, AL Latifiya, Al Rasheed)
- Abu Ghraib District, (Al Nasir Wa Al Salam)
- Tarmiyah District. (Al Mishahda, Al Abayachi)
- Madaien District, (Al Jisir, Al Wihda)



# • Bridges in Baghdad:

Muthanna Bridge, Aa'ima Bridge, 14<sup>th</sup> of Ramadhan Bridge, Iron Bridge, Bab Al-Muadham Bridge, Shuhada Bridge, Ahrar Bridge, Sinak Bridge, Jumhuria Bridge, 14<sup>th</sup> of July Bridge, Jadria Bridge, Hasanain Bridge, Dora Bridge.

#### Main activities

The most important activities at the Province of Baghdad are concentrated in the following fields:

Oil refining, light industries, financial services, food manufacturing, tobacco, furniture, printing, construction, chemical and plastic material production, and electric devices.









# **Economy at a Glance**

The capital Baghdad is regarded the center of the main and commercial activities. The main important oil industries are concentrated in it. Among these industries is Eastern Baghdad oil field which includes the biggest fixed reservations, in addition to many innovated and traditional industries among which are leather, textile, cement, and tobacco industries.

Baghdad, as well, is a vital and crucial center of financial and banking exchanges through its financial and banking sector (state and private). The most important specialized universities, schools, specialized institutes, state and private hospitals are located at it, in addition to a wide net of roads, international and local transport lines.

#### • Infrastructures

- There is a wide net of main roads and highways which link the capital to its south, north, east, and west. Among the most important of these is the international highway which links Baghdad to the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, in addition to the international way which links Basra to Turkey through Zakho in the north and passes through Baghdad, the capital.
- There are a number of important railway lines which link north Iraq to its south. There is, for instance, (Baghdad- Mosul) and (Baghdad- Basra) railways.
- There is also one of the most important airports (Baghdad International Airport), which is located at the western part of Baghdad, 16 km away from the center of the city. In addition, there is a net of land roads which link Baghdad, the capital, to the international lines, such as, Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Iran, Turkey, and Syria.

#### Education

Baghdad has four state Universities, Baghdad University (est. 1957), Mustansiriyah University (est. 1963), Technology University (est. 1974), and Nahrain University (est. 1980) and the Iraqi university. There is also the Technical Institutes Foundation (est. 1969) which turned to be (Technical Teaching Commission) in 2001. Fine Arts institutes (6) and teachers' institutes (50). There are many private Universities and Colleges all over the city, in addition, there are almost 2474 public and private primary school and 317 public and private kindergartens and more than 1334 public and private secondary school, and 97 technical institutes.

#### • Health:

Baghdad has 85 public and private hospital, 43 specialized public hospitals, 19 general hospital, 4 pediatric hospital, 2 Maternity and child hospital, 2 Maternity and Gynecology hospitals and 16 specialized hospital. In addition to 69 health center with 357 other health facilities.

#### • Tourist sites



Baghdad has many museums, most important of which are the National Iraqi Museum which exhibit the antique treasures of Mesopotamia Civilization, Baghdadi Museum for Folklore Arts. It has numerous mosques, religious shrines, such as Al Kadhimiya Holy shrine, the Great Imam Mosque in addition to churches and

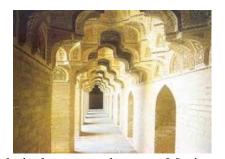
cathedrals. 288 hotels are located in Baghdad in different ranks.

1. Mustansiriyah School: This had been the most important university in the Islamic world during the Abbasid era. It had gained a wide reputation in teaching Arabic language; Theology, Astronomy, Mathematics, Medicine, Pharmacology, as well as it had its own university hospital to train its students.

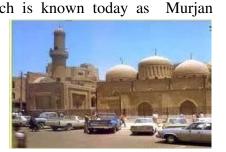


Historically speaking, Mustansiriyah School had been famous for its watch which had been functioning astronomically; in addition to pointing time, it depicted locations of sun and moon at any time.

2. **Abbasid Palace**: One of the important buildings in Baghdad traced back to the second Abbasid era. It is situated near Bab Al-Mua'dham, on the River bank. Historians assign its building to the Caliph Al-Nasir Li Deen Illah (575-623 A. H./ 1179- 1225 A. D.).



3. Murjaniyah School: Murjaniyah School which is known today as Mosque is situated at Shorja quarter, Rasheed street. It was named so after Ameen Al-Deen Murjan who built it in 758 A. H./ 1357 A. D., i. e., almost a hundred year after the Abbasid era. In its early stages, it had been similar to the Mustansiriyah School, as it had classrooms and a dormitory department.



4. Baghdad fence and its gates: It is one of the most striking features of Baghdad. Its walls were built circularly; its four gates deviated with 90 degrees for defensive purposes. Administrative and religious buildings were at the city center so as people may reach them easily.





5. Agarquf: This is an important historical city. It is one of the cities which were built according Babylonian architectural Sumerianconcepts. It is situated on 30 km west northwards of the city center. Its building age traces back to the 15<sup>th</sup> century B. C. according to an order by the King Qurikalzo the first after whom it had been named.



Agarquf was built on a prolonged scheme on

natural limestone. The city took its water from a branch of the River Euphrates (Baiti Inleel), i. e., God Canal, according to the Babylonian naming. People dedicated for this God the city biggest temple. It is the creative God and God of

The most immanent thing one can see is the city Ziggurat, as it elevates to 57m above the plain surrounds it while the base was rectangular.

6. **Madaien**: This is one of the important historical cities the ruins of which erect on the eastern bank of the river Tigris, 30 km southwards the center of Baghdad. It was built during the 2<sup>nd</sup> century BC. Its most prominent features are its high arch, a part of a huge palace on the River Tigris. Its building time goes back to the middle of the 3<sup>rd</sup> century A. D. This Arch is the biggest and highest brick built Arch all over the world.



Its building design had been developed from genuine Iraqi style of architecture. Iwan (Hall) idea was developed from the ancient Iraqi buildings. Cities' entrances frontages and some Assyrian palaces provide clear order of the development of the idea of Iwan.



# **Province of Diyala**

# **Historical Background**

Ba'quba is the center of the Province of Diyala. All over the Province there are ancient buildings and historical sites which are considered as tourist sites. Most prominent of these sites are Prophet Danial Shrine, Tel Asmer, Tel Abu Uthaina, Tel Shihab, Zindan, the Abbasid Dam on the river Al-Uthaim, ancient Saray of Ba'quba, and the River of Wend and Khait Al Habs). The Province is characterized for its historical hills which are traced back to the 5th century B. C.



#### Location

Province of Diyala is situated in the eastern part of Iraq, between the longitudes (34-36) and the altitudes (44-46). The center of the Province is the city of Ba'quba, 56 km north east of Baghdad. It is boarded by the Provinces of Baghdad, Saladin, westwards, Sulaimaniyah to the north, Wasit and the Islamic Republic of Iran to the east. The main paved roads which link Baghdad to Tehran, Baghdad- Kirkuk, Sulaymaniyah and Irbil pass through the Province.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Diyala is (17.685) km² which represents 4% of the total area of Iraq.

#### **Population**

Population of the province is (1.660.007) person according to population growth in Iraq 2.8%

#### **Main cities:**

- Ba'quba District
- Baladrouz District
- Khalis District
- Mouqdadiyah District
- Khanageen District
- Kifri District



# **Economy at a Glance**

The economic activities at the Province are concentrated in agriculture because of being situated on two main sources of water, Diyala River (a main affluent of Tigris River) and Uthaim River in addition to Himreen and Uthaim lakes with maximum storage capacity 5.5 bm³ and Qazaniya and Mendly dams with storage capacity of 1.25 mm³ A large number of the manpower is employed in agriculture. Orange is widely grown in its orchards. Date palm trees are concentrated around Mouqdadiyah and run north towards Kifri. Olive, wheat, barley, and dates planting are common. The Province is also famous for cattle breading, poultry, honey heaves, and fisheries.

The best part of its land is characterized by being fertile and plain, beautified by the mountains of Himreen and Zagros, the two lakes of Himreen and Uthaim, the orchards of date palms, fruits, farms of vegetables, grains, and dozens of factories.

# **Education:**

The Province has only one University, University of Diyala and two private collages, Al Yarmook and Mesopotamia collages. There are more than 844 primary school in Diyala; 44 kindergarten, more than 409 secondary school; 15 technical school 2 institutes for Teachers' Qualifying, and one technical institute.

#### Health:

Diyala has 10 governmental hospitals, 3 private hospitals, 54 main medical center and 39 clinics.

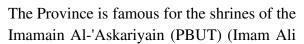




# **Province of Saladin**

#### **Historical Background**

Saladin is one of the Iraqi Historical Provinces. Its center is Tikrit. It is essentially linked to the wake of civilization, almost 4.000 years ago. Its history has continued to be present during all the historical ages of ancient Iraq until the pre-Islamic era. The province has been named after Saladin Al-Ayoubi.





Al- Hadi and Imam Al- Hasan Al-'Askari 'PBUT') in Samara, Al-Malwiyah minaret, (Abbasid mosque), Ashiq Palace, Abbasid Caliph Palace, mosque of Abi Dulaf, the historical city of Ashour at Shirqat on the River Tigris, and overlooks, northwards, on a wide plain at the end of which is the present city of Shirqat, Tikrit fence, Nun monastery, and a number of the churches on both banks of Tigris at the city of Tikrit, and the Seeniyah Dome, northward the present city of Samara, near Ashiq Palace and the shrine of Saeed Mohamed, Son of Imam Ali Al- Hadi at the city of Balad, one of the important religious sites in the province.

#### Location

Province of Saladin is situated northwards Baghdad, the capital, and almost 165 km away from it. It is bordered by the Provinces of Nineveh and Irbil from the north, Kirkuk and Sulaimaniyah to the east, Diyala and Baghdad to the south and Anbar to the west. Saladin has a vital geographical location being the knot of transportation between the northern and southern Provinces. It has two roads and a railway linking Baghdad with other provinces in addition to Tigris river passing through it in 250km and the biggest part of Thirthar lake.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Saladin is 25.807 km<sup>2</sup>.

#### **Population**

Population of the Province is (1.615.924) person.



#### **Main cities:**

- Tikrit District
- Tuz Khirmato District
- Samara District
- Balad District
- Peigi District
- Dour District
- Shirqat District
- Dijail District



# Main activities

Cattle breading, agriculture, oil refinery, animal feed, drug industry.

#### **Infrastructures**

One of the main roads that lead to the north passes through the province of Saladin. In addition, there are roads which link it to Kirkuk to the east, and Haditha and Qaim to the west. Baghdad- Mosul railway passes through the city of Tikrit, too.

#### **Education:**

The Province has only one University, (University of Tikrit), more than 1199 primary school, 42 kindergarten, more than 527 secondary school, 11 Teachers' Qualifying Institute and many vocational institutes and schools

# Health

Province of Saladin has 12 hospitals and almost 98 medical center.



# **Tourism**

**City of Samara**: The ruins of the city of Samara run on the eastern bank of the River Tigris for 35 km, from Samara to the south: The Grand Mosque, Malwiyah, and Ashiq Palace.

To the north of Malwiyah, there is the house of the Caliph, Equestrian arena, Abu Dulaf Mosque, Mutawakkiliyah, and Rasasi River.





# **Province of Kirkuk**

# **Historical Background**

Kirkuk is an ancient city. It is 250 km north of Baghdad. It was built, firstly, as a castle on a circular four cornered hill. It includes the areas among Zagros Mountain, the rivers of minor Zab and Tigris, and Himreen Mountain series. History of Kirkuk City goes back to 1.600 years B. C.

Kirkuk is famous for the shrines, mosques and the ruins of some buildings and antiques it has which can be traced back to the beginnings of the third



millennium B. C., i. e. the early beginnings of the historical eras, in addition to its geographical and commercial location.

#### Location

Province of Kirkuk is situated at an important geographical area within the part which links north Iraq to its middle. It is surrounded by the Provinces of Sulaimaiyah, Irbil, Nineveh, Saladin, and Diyala.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Kirkuk is 9.679 km<sup>2</sup>, 2.2% of the total area of Iraq.

# **Population**

Inhabitants of the Province are (1.629.625).

# **Main cities:**

- Kirkuk District (Bayji, Alton Kopry, Multaqa, Taza Khormato, Shwan, Laylan, Qart Hanjeer)
- Hawijah District (Abasi, Riyadh, Al Zab)
- Daquq District (Al Rashad)
- Dibs District (Serkaran)



#### Main activities

- Crude Oil
- Cement
- Agriculture

# **Economy at a Glance**

• Kirkuk governorate is characterized by being rich in its mineral resources as well as its natural resources. Oil is the main focus of its economic activities as it has the largest oil field in Iraq and the daily production of crude oil is estimated at 650 million barrels per day. In addition, it enjoys the presence of natural gas and sulfur. It also enjoys the fertility of its agricultural lands and the presence of many arable lands suitable for investment, in addition to the presence of irrigated lands that include reclaimed and non-reclaimed lands and muddy lands that depend on rain.

#### • The most important irrigation projects

- A- Kirkuk Irrigation Project: It irrigates lands within the areas: (Debs, Hawija, Riyadh, Rashad, Taza, Daquq). It is hoped that the project, upon completion, will irrigate an area up to the Uthaim area in Salah al-Din Governorate and its area is estimated at (one million) dunams.
- B- Al-Hajjah project: irrigates an area estimated at (150,000) dunams.
- Kirkuk has several main sources of water that the governorate depends on for agriculture and industry activities. Among these sources are: -
  - C- The Lower Zab River, from which five small rivers branch in the Zab district within the Hawija district.
  - D- Part of the Tigris River in the Zab region, south of Hawija, near the city of Al-
  - E- Khasa River (seasonal), a dam is currently being built to regulate the water course.
  - F- Artesian and surface wells.
  - G- Springs and wells
  - H- Valleys that feed Al-Uthaim River / Tuz, Zgaitoun, Taza, Gai Daquq

#### **Infrastructures**

Province of Kirkuk is characterized by the many main roads which link it to the neighboring provinces. It is located on the main road linking the capital with the north.

The strategic location of the province which links the north to the middle has made the city a crossway for roads and railways linking it to the capital, Baghdad.



# **Education:**

The Province of Kirkuk has only one University, (University of Kirkuk), more than 1121 primary school, 77 kindergartens, more than 461 secondary school, and many vocational institutes and schools.

#### Health

Province of Kirkuk has 9 hospitals and more than 114 medical center.

# **Tourism**

Castle of Kirkuk: This is one of the ancient sites at the Province. Its height is 140m with an oval shape, it has historical sites such as churches and Prophet Daniel Shrine in addition to palaces from the Ottomans era.





# **Province of Nineveh**

# **Historical Background**

City of Nineveh has an ancient history which goes back to the fifth millennium B. C. This city is regarded as one of the most historically important cities in Iraq as it had been the capital of the Assyrian Empire during its widest expansion. In it the first library was established. This Province, with Mosul being its center is the second biggest city in Iraq, after the capital, Baghdad, regarding its area.



#### Location

Nineveh Province is situated in the northern western part of Iraq, (402 km) from Baghdad.

#### Area

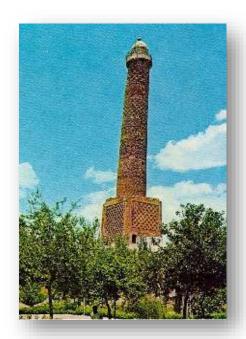
The area of the Province of Nineveh is (36.515 km<sup>2</sup>).

# **Population**

Inhabitants of the Province are (3793982).

# **Main cities**

- Mosul District (Basheeqa, Shora, Hamam Al Alil, Qayara, Mahalabiya)
- Hamdaniyah District (Namrood, Bartila)
- Sinjar District (Shamal, Qayrawan)
- Tilkef District (Wana, Al Qoosh)
- Ba'aj District (Qahtaniya)
- Tella'fer District (Zamar, Rabeea, Eyathiya)
- Sheikhan District (Zankan)
- Hatra District (At Tal)
- Makhmour District (Kwair)



Al-Hadba'a Tower



#### Main activities

Agriculture, oil, asphalt, textile, sugar, dairy products, and cement.

### <u>Infrastructures</u>

Mosul represents the crossways center in the north of Iraq. Both the main road from Baghdad to Turkey and the railway line pass through it. It also has an international airport, a number of bridges on the River Tigris which links east to west banks.

#### **Education:**

The Province has only one University, (University of Mosul), more than (1802) primary school, 114 kindergartens, more than (647) secondary school, 10 Teachers' Qualifying Institutes, (43) library and many vocational institutes and schools.

# **Health**

Nineveh has 18 hospitals and 156 health center.

# **Tourist sites**

There are a lot of tourists sites in Nineveh among which are the Mosque of Prophet Younus, Mosque of Khidhr, Hadba Minaret, Noumroud, and Bashtabiyah Castle. The city is famous for its tourist woods, Mosul Dam, in addition to many worship places and religious shrines which is related to many Prophets and priests.

**Dam of Mosul:** It is located on the River Tigris, approximately 60 km to the north of Mosul. It had been accomplished in 1986. Its length is approximately 75 km from the Dam site to the Iragi- Turkish borderline. The area of its lake is almost 220 km<sup>2</sup>. A tourist city was established by it. It contains several tourist facilities and apartments.





# **Province of Irbil**

# **Historical Background**

Arbeel or Irbil is the capital of Iraq's Kurdistan. It is the fourth city in Iraq regarding area after Baghdad, Basra, and Mosul. It is 360 km from Baghdad. Mosul city is westwards of Irbil, almost 80 km away from it. It is 112 km away from Sulaimaniyah.



#### Area and climate

The area of Irbil is (13.165) km². The province occurs within the steppe area which has transitional climate between that of the Mediterranean and the desert climate. It is characterized for its sever cold and drop of humidity average. Irbil is regarded as one of the historically important cities throughout ages and an important effective cultural and civilization center in Kurdistan of Iraq. Its naming refers back to the Assyrian age when it was given the name of (Arba-Ilo), i. e. the four Gods. This is a metonymy of the important Assyrian temples at Irbil.

# **Population**

The number of the inhabitants of Irbil is 1.896.753 person

#### Main cities

Province of Irbil constitutes of a number of main districts:

- Irbil District, (Behraka, Ainkawa, Shamamek)
- Benslawa District (Dartoo, Qoshtaba, Rezkari, Kesnezan)
- Soran District, (Khlaifan, Diana, Sedkan)
- Shaqlawa District. (Saladin, Hareer, Heran, Basmera, Balisam)
- Joman District (Haj Umran, Smelan, Gelala, Qasry)
- Kwesenjeq District (Taqtaq, Shoresh, Ashty, Sektan, Serdekan)
- Khabat District (Dar Shukran, Rezgary, Korkosek)
- Rawandouz District (Werty)

#### **Infrastructures**

Irbil is the capital of Kurdistan Reign and a commercial center. It has a land strategic line which links it to Iran and the border center of Choman for commercial exchange. The province has three round streets, street 60, street 90, and street 120. It has Irbil International Airport as well.



#### **Education**

The Province has a number of primary and secondary schools among which is the international school of Shwaifat, and many state universities, colleges and institutes in addition to the private ones. The most important state Universities include Hawler medical university, Saladin University. Among the private institutions are Kurdistan University, Dijlah College University, Jihan College University, the Lebanese-French University for Business Management, and Ishq Medical College.

#### Health

The Province has more than 42 hospital covering all the specializations and a number of the State central hospitals, among which are (Irbil University hospital, Azadi hospital, Rezgari hospital, Central Pediatric hospital) and 270 medical center all over the province outskirts and districts.

#### **Tourist sites**

Castle of Irbil: It is situated at the center of the city of Irbil at Kurdistan of Iraq. Its history dates back to the Assyrian age, approximately the first millennium B. C. It was built primarily for defensive purposes, as it was regarded as an immune stronghold for the city of Irbil by then.



# Gilli Ali Beg waterfall

This waterfall occurs between the cities of Khalifan and Soran. Its length is 12 km. It is situated between the mountains of Korek and Nouathneen, 60 km from Shaqlawa summer resort. Gilli Ali Beg waterfall descends from a high point in a high speed. It is 130 km from the city of Irbil and it is one of the beautiful summer resorts in Irbil and in Iraq in general. It is 800 m above sea level.





# **Bikhal waterfalls**

They are regarded among the most beautiful tourist sites in Iraq. The area is characterized for its humming waterfalls and its beautiful landscapes. These waterfalls are 10 km. from Rawandouz city. Bikhal has been known as summer resort which has wonderful waterfalls and landscapes.



# Shaqlawa resort

The city is famous for its waterfalls and mountainous nature as it is situated on the mountain Sifeen.





# Province of Duhok

#### **Historical Background**

An Iraqi city which falls in Kurdistan of Iraq. Its three sides are bordered by mountains. This grants the city a marvelous looking. A streamlet coming from the Big Duhok Dam penetrates the city turning it to be one of the most beautiful sites. The Province of Duhok is famous for its fascinating landscapes.

The origin of the city dates back to the Stone Age, then it became a part of the Assyrian Empire; then the Babylonians; the



Akhminians before it failed in the hands of Alexander the Great and the Romans.

#### Location

Province of Duhok is situated in the region of Kurdistan, extremely to the north west of Iraq. This province enjoys a special importance from the historical and geographical stand of view. The ruins and sculptures which were discovered in its hills and caves depict this importance. Moreover it has a distinctive geographical situation as it occurs on the borders between two states, and an international strategic transport way passes through it to link Iraq to Turkey and the external World as well. In addition, oil line which passes from Kirkuk to Turkey penetrates its north western corner. The province of Duhok is characterized by its various land shape, including the high mountains which shape the political borders of Turkey, and wide plains which are rich in their agricultural resources. These shape the southern part of the province.

# **Population**

Inhabitants of the Province is (1318458).

#### Main cities

Province of Duhok is consisted of several important districts:

- Duhok District (Zaweeta, Mankeshek)
- Summail District (Bytel)
- Zakho District (Derkar, BAtifa)
- Namidi District (Sarseng, Kani Masy, Derlok, Jamanky, Bamerny)
- Sheikhan District (Qasrorek, Etreesh, Baadery, Ekry, Denarta, Bejeel, Kurdseen)
- Berdersh District (Dartoo, Rovia, Kelek)



#### **Infrastructures**

Province of Duhok is an important commercial center. Ibrahim Al-Khaleel entrance on the border with Turkey is one of the important points through which 40% of the materials pass. The province has a strategic road links it to Turkey.

#### **Education:**

The province has more than five private Universities and Colleges most important of which are (College of Agriculture, University of Duhok, and University of Kurdistan), many technical and administrative institutes, 440 primary schools, 215 secondary school and many Teachers' Qualifying Institutes and vocational institutes and schools.

#### Health

Province of Duhok has 19 hospitals inside the province and 157 medical center all over its outskirts and districts.

#### **Tourist Sites**

#### **Serseng summer resort**

This is 126 km from Mosul. It is 1.046 m. above sea level. The maximum temperature there during summer mounts to  $34^{\circ}$ .

#### **Soulaf summer resort**

This is (166) km from Mosul through a paved way, 5 km from Imadiah. It is 1150m above sea level. It has many marvelous waterfalls as high as 25 m. The summer resort is characterized by its numerous caves most important of which is Safi cave shaded by nut trees.

#### Jarsteen cave

This is a four columned cave at the valley of Duhok. Some historical references and some historians who visited the area confirm that it is one of the most ancient caves in which man had lived.

Historians confirm that Jarsteen cave dates back to the middle ages with its most ancient documents dates back to 12.000 years B. C. There is also the hill of Bastik and of Kammoun which date back to the history of the Kurdish Metanic State, in addition to the hill of Malta, the cave of Hilamta at Shandoukha, southward the province center which dates back to the ages of the Kurdish medians.

Still, there are many other caves and antiques sculptured on stones and many other ancient sites.









# **Province of Sulaimaniyah**

It is situated in the eastern north of Iraq, on the Iraqi- Iranian borders. It affiliates to the region of Kurdistan. It is 2.895 f. above sea level. Mountainous nature overwhelms the province which increases as one goes towards the east borders with Iran. It is 140 km eastward of Kirkuk. 60 km North West the city of Sulaimaniyah is the Dam of Dokan on the River of Minor Zab.

#### **Population**

Inhabitants of the Province are (2.212.099).

#### Main cities

Province of Sulaimaniyah is consisted of several important districts including:

- Sulaimaniyah District, Bakra Jo
- Qara Dagh District, She Setan
- Shara Zour District, Halabcha Taza- Warmao
- Sayed Sadiq District, Serjok
- Halebcha District, Serwan- Khormal- Byara
- Penjoueen District, Kermek- Talbareez
- Sharbareez District, Chwarta- Sewtel- Setek- Zlan- Kapilon
- Mawt District.
- Bishder District, DIza Castle- Hero- Helsho- Thar Awo- Nawa Desht- Esawy
- Ranyah District, Chwar Qorna- Haji Awa- Betwana- Serkabkan
- Dokan District, Sordash Bera Macrin- Khalkan- Khadran- Benkerd
- Derbendikhan District, Baw Khosheen
- Klar District, Klar- Bebaz- Shiekh Taweel
- Chamchamal District, Shoresh- Sinkaw- Tekiya- Aghchiler- Qadir Karam-Tekiya Jabbar
- Khanaqeen District, Maydan- Bmo- Qowra too

#### **Infrastructures**

Province of Sulaimaniyah is a border province which has a commercial relation with Iran and has Sulaimaniyah International Airport.



#### **Education**

Education in Sulaimaniyah, just like in other places in Iraq, is free starting from primary school till university graduation. Sulaimaniyah has more than 600 primary school; 310 secondary school; more than 15 vocational institutes and the University of Sulaimaniyah which was established in 1968 using Arabic and English languages in teaching. It was transferred to Irbil under the name of Saladin University and the new University of Sulaimaniyah has been inaugurated in 1991 which teaches in Arabic, English and Kurdish as well. In 2007 The American University at Sulaimaniyah, the first University of International teaching has been inaugurated. It teaches in English and includes 6 private Colleges.

#### Health

Province of Sulaimaniyah has 50 hospitals and 502 medical center all over its outskirts and districts.

#### **Tourist Sites**

# **Serchenar summer resort:**

Serchenar summer resort is 5 km away from the center of Sulaimaniyah city. It is rich in trees, lot of water, and wide shaded areas. This summer resort has the hotel of Serchenar in addition to many tourist houses, a number of hotels and coffee shops ready to welcome tourists and provide services. There are also Luna parks and big entertainment gardens.



#### **Dokan Lake:**

This lake is 71 km from the center of the province of Sulaimaniyah, 141 km from the city of Kirkuk. It has been established near the Dam of Dokan on the Minor Zab. For the ease of tourist, an integrated vast tourist complex, game hall, coffee shops, and a modern market have been established to help people get their food. There are playing areas for adults and children, a pool, and boats marina too.



#### **Ahmed Awa waterfalls:**

These are 75 km to the east of Sulaimaniyah, parallelizing the Iranian borders. This spot is regarded as a border point between Iraq and Iran, as the distance from there to the Iranian borders is only half an hour by car. The area is 2.000m above the sea level. The summer resort is situated amidst high mountain series. It is regarded as one of the most important sites in the city.









# **Province of Anbar**

# **Historical Background**

Anbar is regarded as the biggest Iraqi Province with its center Ramadi. It is situated in the western side of Iraq, 100km from the capital, Baghdad. It had been known before 1961 as (Liwa Ul- Dileim).

#### Area

The area of the province is approximately 137.723km<sup>2</sup>.

**Population:** The population of the Province is (1.796.557) person



# **Main cities:**

- Ramadi District, Habaniya -Al Waffa
- Heet District, Al Baghdadi -Kubaisa-
- Faluja District, Al Amriya- Saqlawiya-Karma
- Ana District
- Hadeethah District, Haglaniya-Berwana
- Rutbah District, Al Waleed- Al Nikhaib
- Qaim District, AL Uboor- Al Ubaidy
- Rawa District

#### Main activities

- Planting grains
- Cattle breading
- Dates production
- Fertilizers production
- Cement Manufacturing
- Ceramics Manufacturing
- Glass Manufacturing







# **Economy at a Glance**

Industrial raw materials are available at Anbar Province which can be extracted through open mine methods like that of natural gas and oil in (Ukaz) gas field westward Anbar which reserves is estimated to be (50) b. f³ and (Reesha) gas field, oil experts estimates refers to the availability of oil reservoirs in the Province of Anbar which need more exploring processes so as to estimate the quantities of the reserves and its economic feasibility. Anbar has approximately 53 Trillion cubic feet of natural gas in addition to the natural mineral fortunes, such as gold, phosphate, iron, uranium, sulfur, and silver. There are water resources embodied in the River Euphrates which runs (450 km), from the western north to the eastern south of the Province. In addition, there are four big water surfaces, the lakes of (Habbaniyah, lake of dam of Hadeethah, lake of Thirthar, and Razaza Lake).

There are reservoirs of groundwater suitable for irrigation in the western desert and arable fertile soil.

#### **Infrastructures**

There is only one railway in the province. It starts from the capital, Baghdad, to end at the mines' area at Ukashat in Qaim, having the length of (522) km. This railway is used to carry passengers and goods. Anbar has (24) station for passengers and (5) for goods.

- The highway is regarded as the longest of the main roads in the province of Anbar, as it is (596) km. It stretches from Baghdad- Faluja- Ramadi-Turaibeel- Tunuf at the Iraqi- Syrian borders.
- Another way has the length of (219) km linking Qaim Ukashat- Rutbah district.
- Qaim- Hadeethah road, (156) km
- Nikhaib- Ar'ar outlet (160) km on the borders of Saudi Arabia.

Province of Anbar has borders with three states: Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, Syria, and Saudi Arabia Kingdom.

The Province has (4) outlets:

- Turaibeel outlet with the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.
- Tunuf outlet with Syria.
- Qaim outlet with Syria.
- Ar'ar outlet with Saudi Arabia Kingdom.



#### **Education:**

The Province has two Universities, Anbar University and Faluja University, in addition to technical institutes, a number of private colleges and the College of Al-Imam Al-'Aadham- Branch of Anbar. There are 1201 primary school; 47 kindergarten, 584 secondary school, 4 Teachers' Qualifying Institute and many vocational institutes and schools.

#### Health

Province of Anbar has (15) hospital and (161) medical center

# **Tourist sites**

Lake of Thirthar: One of the most beautiful artificial lakes in Iraq. It was formed after Dam of Samara was built for irrigation purposes and to control floods of the Rivers Tigris and Euphrates. The lake can be attained at from Baghdad via Faluja and Ramadi, or via Samara.

Lake of Habbaniyah: This is a pan located to the south of the city of Ramadi, used to store 3.3 b.m<sup>3</sup> and to return 2.7 b.m<sup>3</sup> to the River of Euphrates at the season of draught. The lake is controlled by the Dam of Ramadi. The lake is linked southward to a river which connects it to the lake of Thirthar to drain the surplus water from Habbaniyah Lake to the Lake of Razaza whose capacity is 26 b.m<sup>3</sup>. A resort has been established on the banks of this lake.







# **Province of Wasit**

# **Historical Background**

It is situated in the middle of Iraq. Building the city started in 78 A. H. and it was finished in 86 A.H. to be the new administrative headquarter of the country. It was named Wasit due to its location in the center of the country or in between Al Koufa and Basra, this province is important for its Historical and ancient sites as it has more than (420) location such as Wasit historical City which is located in the South – east of the province as



well as (Tal Mariees) located to the north of Badra District and (Tal Al Welayia) located in Al Ahrar District.

#### Location

Province of Wasit situates in the southern part of the middle area, The province center is the city of Kut, 172 km to the south of Baghdad, bordered by the Province of Diyala and Baghdad to the north and Maisan Province (206 km) and Thi Qar (204 km) both to the south, Babylon is (274 km) to the west and AL Qadesiah is (192 km) to the south west. Eastwards of the Province is the international borderline of Iraq with the Islamic Republic of Iran.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Wasit is (17153) km<sup>2</sup>

#### **Population**

The population of the Province is (1.401.442) person

#### **Main cities:**

- Kut District, Wasit- Shikh Saad
- Al Noumaniah District, Al Ahrar
- Hai District, Al Muafaqiya- Al Bashair
- Badra District, Jasan- Zurbatiya
- Sewaira District, Al Zubaidiya- Al Shihaymia
- Aziziyah District, Taj Al Deen- Al Boni



**Al-Kut Dam** 



#### **Main Activities:**

- Agricultural.
- Livestock.
- Crude oil extraction.
- Border port



#### **Economic at a Glance**

The Provinces famous for its Minerals and natural resources and a huge reservations of oil (such as, the oil fields of Ahdab at Ahrar District and Badrah field) and reservations of natural gas linked to the oil reservations. Raw materials for construction industries, such as cement, gypsum, brick, etc.) are also available in large quantities.

The province is distinguished by its agricultural lands and producing a high quality of the strategically grown plants such as wheat, barley, corn, cotton, sunflower, rice and many dates, vegetables and fruits production where The River Tigris go through it from north to south in a 327 km length in addition to Al Garaf, Al Deejail and Al Kalall seasonal rivers and underground waters. Livestock is also of great importance to the national economy and the economy of the province, it contributes to providing raw materials for the industrial sector. The governorate is famous for producing poultry meat, fish fields and honey bees.

#### **Infrastructure:**

#### **Electricity:**

Al Zobaidiah station is considered as a large electrical project in the country, it includes six generating units, four of them is of 330 MW per unit, and two of them are of 610 MW each one of them.



# **Education:**

The Province has only one University, 3 private

collages (Al Kut Collage, Imam Al Kadhim Collage, and Al Wasity Collage) and a number of technical institutions, 754 primary school; 222 secondary school and some technical schools.

# Health

Province of Wasit has 10 public and private hospital, 47 health center and 33 clinics.

#### **Roads and Transportations:**

In Wasit there is a net of main roads that link it with the Capital Baghdad and other province s such as (Thi Qar, Maisan and Babylon) in addition to the main road that



connects the province with the borderline with The Islamic Republic of Iran through Badra Border Port.

# **Tourism Locations:**

The province has many ancient and historical sites in addition to the religious sites dispersed in different locations of the province.

# **Wasit Historical City:**

The city is located to the south east of Wasit and it goes back to 83 H, the gate of the city is one of the noticeable sites till this day which is thought to be the remains of the sand school in Wasit City.



#### Saeed Ibn Al Jabeir Shrine:

The shrine is Located in District of Al Hai 40 km to the south of Kut as he was one of Imam Ali (Poh) friends. The total area of the shrine is currently ten thousand square meters, and it is a source of attraction for many visitors, in addition to holding literary and poetry festivals.



#### **Imam Taj Al Dein Shrine:**

The shrine is located in Taj Al Dein District (to the north of Wasit province) around 100 km far from the center of the city and it is considered as a source of attraction to many visitors and tourists which empowers the tourism in the area.

#### Imam Mahdi Threshold (PBH):

The Threshold is located on the road connecting between Numaniyah and Kut,( 15 Km far from Numaniyah and 22 Km far from Kut). The threshold regularly visited by lots of visitors during the religious occasions.



The shrine is located in Al Numaniya District in Wasit in which Al Mutanabi poetical festival is held annually with the present of many known Arab and Iraqi writers and critics, a festival that activate tourism in the province.







# **Province of Babylon**

# **Historical Background**

Province of Babylon had been known as the Capital of the Babylonians during the rule of Hammurabi where the Babylonians ruled over Mesopotamia. The first dynasty of the Babylonians, ruled by Hammurabi (1792- 1750 B. C.) had ruled the majority of Mesopotamia provinces.

This Province is one of the main areas known for their agricultural production and it is rich in historical sites. Its center is Hilla. The Province has many investment opportunities among



which are the religious, archeological and cultural tourism, cattle, and agricultural ones.

#### Area

Babylon has the area of (5.258) km<sup>2</sup>.

# **Population**

The population of the Province is (2.093.416) person.

# Main cities

- Hilla District, Al Kifil- Abi Gharaq
- Mahaweel District, Al Mashrooa- Al Imam- Al Nile
- Hashimiyah District, Al Qasim- Al Midhatiya- Al Shomaly- Al Taliaa
- Musaieb District, Sadat Al Hindiya- Jurf Al Sakhar- Al Eskandariya

#### Main activities

- Industry
- Textile
- Cattle breading
- Grains
- Dates
- **Tourism**



**Obelisk of Hammurabi** 



# **Economy at a Glance**

Agriculture is regarded as the main activity in the Province, as 70% of its area is suitable for cultivation using 15% of the Euphrates waters. However, there is also an industrial activity as another field, among which is the State Company for Automobile Manufacturing at Alexandria which produces vehicle bodies and assembles automobiles, in addition to other number of operating companies such as the State Company for Mechanical Industries and Hilla textile factory, Al Forat State Co., Corn flour and dextrin plant, Al Sada Cement Plant and disposable syringes plant.

#### **Infrastructures**

The Province is located to the south of Baghdad; therefore, it has many roads which link it to the capital and other areas in Iraq. There is a direct road which links the Province to the Provinces of Karbala, Najaf, Diwaniyah, and Wasit. the (Basra – Baghdad) highway road passes through the Province.

#### Education

The Province has two Universities (Babylon University) and (Al Qasim /Al-Khadraa University), technical college and institute and a number of private collages, more than 881, primary school; 46 kindergartens, more than 383 secondary school, 5 Teachers Qualifying Institutes and a number of vocational Institutes.

#### Health

Babylon Province has (19) hospital and (111) health center.

#### **Tourism**

Babylon historical site: This is situated 5 km to the north of the city of Hilla. It had been the most famous city in the ancient and modern worlds and the miracle of the ancient world, particularly after its widest expansion by the Babylonian famous King Nebuchadnezzar (605- 562 B. C.). It became famous to such a degree that it turned to be the title of Mesopotamia



civilization as a whole, Babylonia was the name. Its walls and Hanging Gardens were among the Seven World Wonders.

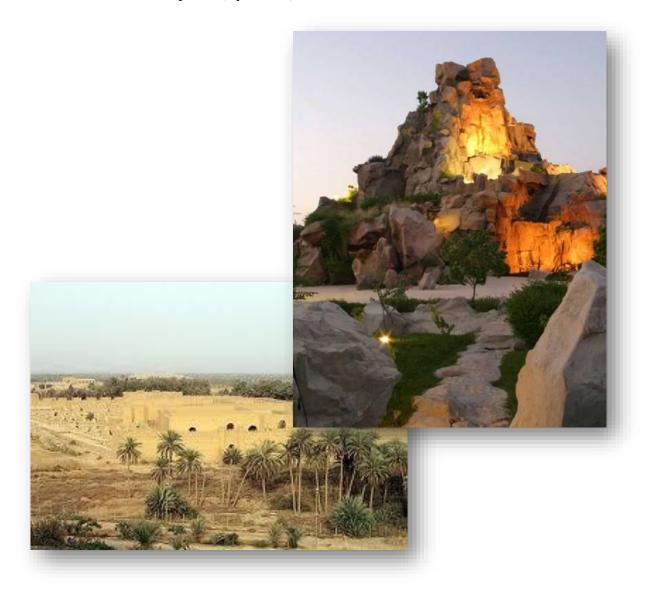


# **Burs**:

Burs is situated almost 15 km southwards the city of Hilla. Its scaled tower is a high mark on the Hilla- Kifl road. Its present name (Burs) is derived from its Babylonian ancient name (Bursia), a Sumerian word which means "Sea sword" or "Sea horn" as it had been situated on a stream or a lake.

# **Keesh historical site:**

This is situated 13 km away from the city of Hilla, 6 km eastwards of Babylonian historical site. Among its antiques is the ziggurat of "Aneer Kedirma", the ziggurat dedicated for the temple of (Ayil Baba), the God of war.





### **Province of Holy Karbala**

### **Historical Background**

The city history dates back to the Babylonian era. Some historians see that the word Karbala means (qurb Alilah: near God), a Babylonian origin word. It is said that the word has been chiseled from (Kur Babil: a collection of Babylonian villages). The Province has soft pure land surrounded by dense orchards irrigated by the River Euphrates. The most prominent feature of the Holy City of Karbala is the shrine of Imam Hussein (Poh) and the shrine of his brother, Al-Abbas, (Poh). Within the Province, there is also Al- Akhaidhir stronghold, southward the city, the palace of Sham'oun at Ain Tamr, and Al-Tar historical caves.



### Location

Province of Karbala is situated on the right bank of River Euphrates, surrounded by important agricultural areas on three sides, particularly, the eastern side which occurs between the city and the River Euphrates. The city is 105 km to the western south of Baghdad, bordered from the north by the Province of Anbar; from the south by the Province of Najaf; from the east by the Province of Babylon; and from the west by the desert of Sham and the Saudi Arabia lands. The city occurs on the longitude 44° and the altitude 33°.

### Area

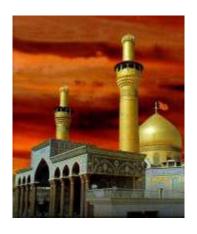
The area of the Province of Karbala is 5.034 km<sup>2</sup>.

### **Population**

The population of the Province is (1.241.237) person.

### Main cities

- Karbala, Al Husainiya- Al Hur
- Ain Tamr
- Hindiyah, Al Jadwal Al Gharbi- Al Khairat





#### Main activities

- **Tourism**
- Oil refine
- Dates
- Citrus
- Agriculture
- Canning factories



### **Infrastructures**

There are two main roads pass through Karbala, the first starts from southern Baghdad, passes through Karbala, and continues to Najaf. the second starts from Babylon and goes westward to Kerbala and continues through the south part of Anbar to the border outlet of 'Ar'ar towards Saudi Arabia Kingdom, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, and Syria.

### **Education:**

The Province has two Universities, Karbala University and Ahl al-Bait University, 532 primary school; 43 kindergartens, 233 secondary school, 5 Teachers' Qualifying Institutes and many vocational institutes and schools.

### Health

The Province has (8) hospitals and (51) medical center.

### **Tourist sites**

### Karbala

Karbala is one of the ancient Iraqi cities. It enjoys a religious prestige due to shrine of Imam Hussein (Poh) and the shrine of his brother, Al- Abbas (Poh),. Among the most historical sites at the Province are the following:

Akhaidhir stronghold: This feature is one of the defensive archeological buildings. It is one of the characteristic Islamic military architecture regarding design geometry, not only in Iraq, but also on the level of the Arab and Islamic World. The stronghold occurs on a desert way links Iraq to the external world.







Razaza Lake: This Lake is 18 km from Karbala, on the way leads to Akhaidhir. The Lake is 60 km in length 30 km in width. This wide beautiful lake is an important tourist site visited by people who are eager to practice various kinds of water sports and fishing.



Ain Tamr: The city of Ain Tamr "Shithatha" is situated to the western south of Kerbala, (67 km) from Karbala. It is a historical spot as it has ancient civilization antiques. Ain Tamr district is regarded the largest oasis in the western upland, It is famous for its palm tree forests and orchards. It is characterized for its landscapes, beautiful weather during spring and autumn seasons. It is also famous for its mineral water which



flow from more than fifty natural springs. A tourist complex composed of 20 tourist apartments, a hotel, and a restaurant, in addition to extended gardens was established in the area.



### **Province of Holy Najaf**

### **Historical Background**

Najaf is a historical city. It represents an important cultural, religious, commercial, and agricultural center at the center of Iraq. It is situated on a high mound over vast sand land overlooking from the northern eastern front on the cemetery of Wadi Salam "Valley of Peace"; and from the western front on the sea of Najaf.

The Province of Najaf embraces the tomb of Imam Ali, (Poh). It receives millions of visitors from all over the world.



### Location

Najaf is one of the Provinces which occurs in the middle of south Iraq, at the edge of the western upland, 161 km from Baghdad. The city is 70m above sea level. It is bordered from the north by the Province of Karbala, almost 80 km away.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Najaf is (27. 845) km<sup>2</sup>.

**Population**: The population of the Province is (1.500.522) person

### **Main cities:**

- Najaf District, Al Haideriya- Al Shabaka
- Kufa District, Al Abasiya- Al Huriya
- Manathirah District, Al Hera- Al Mishkhab- Al Qadisiya

### Main activities

- **Tourism**
- Agriculture
- Cattle breading
- Commerce



#### **Infrastructures**

- A main road starts from Baghdad southward to the Province of Babylon, and then
  to the province of Najaf. Another road links province of Najaf to the Province of
  Karbala.
- The Province has the International Airport of Imam Ali (Poh).

#### **Education:**

The Province of Najaf has only one University, University of Kufa and (616) primary school; 45 kindergartens (322) secondary school; (4) Teachers' Qualifying institutes and many vocational institutes and schools.

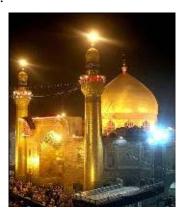
### Health

Province of Najaf has 13 public hospitals and 76 medical center.

### **Tourist sites:**

Tomb of Imam Ali (Pbh):

It is one of the most important sites for religious tourism. Its attended by almost 40 million visitors a year.



### Khan of Rahba:

It occurs on the old Hajj route within a low area, almost 30 km from the village of (Rahba). It was built from rocks and gypsum.



### Palace of N'uman Bin Al-Munthir:

Palace of N'uman Bin Al-Munthir is one of the palaces which date back to the ancient kingdom of Heera and the state of Manathirah which enjoyed a major role in the Arab pre-Islamic history. Its monuments remained to cope with the historical events; it often enriched poets' imagination who chanted these monuments and ruins.





### **Province of Muthanna**

### **Historical Background**

Human settlements in the southern part of the province were found during various ancient eras. Sumerians settled in Warka City in the fifth millennium B. C. many civilizations were built representing the first shift to the stable style of life and the early beginnings of the appearance of modern lifestyle, laws which organized the social life in addition to developed Agriculture and irrigation system which made Al Warkaa city the first spark in the Sumerian civilization.



### Location

Muthanna province is located in the south part of Iraq, at the edges of the alluvial plain. The majority of its areas height varies between (70- 220m) above the sea level. The River Euphrates and its branches pass through it. It is the only water resource for agricultural crops irrigation. The Province is 270 km from Baghdad to the south. It is the second biggest Province, after Anbar, regarding its area. It has a desert climate, and its center is Samawa District and the province has administrative borders with Al-Najaf and Al-Diwaniyha from the North, Basra and Dhi Qar from the east, Saudi Arabia from the west and part from Basra and Kuwait country from the south.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Muthanna is (51.740) km², 12% of the total area of Iraq. The desert occupies 47.000 km², which means 91% of the total area of the Province.

**Population**: The population of the Province is (824.831) person.

### **Main cities:**

- Samawa District, Sewair
- Rumaitha District, Al Majd- Al Warkaa- Al Najmi- AL Hilal
- Salman District Al Basiya
- Hatra District, Al Daraji



#### Main activities

- Agriculture
- Industry, especially cement, bricks, concrete structures
- extractive industries
- Oil products and refineries
- Cattle breading

### **Economy at a Glance**

The Province is characterized by the availability of the natural and human resources for investment, especially in the industrial sector. Muthanna province is rich with raw materials of the low cost in extraction and production, such as, limestone which is used in cement industry, sedimentary compounds of Sodium and Chlorine as salty compounds used in salt production. The Province is also characterized by lots of date palm orchards and its distinctive tourist site being near the Lake of Sawa and some tourist facilities. UNISCO approved the historian location of AL Warkaa to join the international heritage which granted the province an international reputation and importance.

#### **Infrastructures**

- The Province has a vital location in the southern part of Iraq on the International road linking Basra to Baghdad and international borders.
- (Baghdad- Basra) railway line goes through the city with a maintenance station for locomotives and train carriages.
- Oil refinery with 30.000 bpd capacity
- The strategic gas pipe line from Basra to Baghdad passes through Muthanna Province.

### **Education:**

The Province of Muthanna has only one University and (496) primary school; 21 kindergartens (154) secondary school; (2) institutes for Teachers' Qualifying, and 1 vocational institute.

#### Health

The Province has (4) hospitals and (57) general medical center.



### **Tourist sites**

Lake of Sawa: a closed salty lake located at the Province of Muthanna, southern Iraq, and few kilometers from the city of Samawa. The Lake is surrounded by a natural limestone wall which quickly repairs itself if broken due to fast hardening character of the limestone material in the water.



### Historical tourist city:

the location of historical Warkaa





# **Province of Diwaniyah**

### **Historical Background**

It is one of the middle Euphrates Provinces that lies within the alluvial plain of Iraq. The name of the city first appeared during the eighteenth century. River Euphrates passes through the Province where it is known as Shatt Al-Diwaniyah. Diwaniyah is characterized by the fertile lands which qualifies it to be the food basket for the people at the area in specific, and for Iraq, in general.



### Location

The Province of Diwaniyah is located at the southern part of Iraq, surrounded by Najaf, Karbala, Babylon, Muthanna and Thi Qar. It is characterized by agriculture, such as rice, and other agricultural crops.

### Area

The area of the Province of Diwaniyah is (8.507) km<sup>2</sup>.

**Population**: The population of the Province is (1.311.699) person.

### Main cities:

- Diwaniyah District, Saniya-Shafiya- Daghara
- Ifak District, Nifer- Bedair-Sumer
- Shamiyah District, Ghammas- Mhanawiya-Salahiya
- Hamza District, Sadeer-Shanafiya





#### Main activities

- Agriculture (rice as the most famous product)
- Food stuff industries
- Textile industries
- Rubber industries (Tires)
- Cattle breading
- White meats, eggs and fishes
- Construction industries (Bricks factories)
- Oil industry (Diwaniya Oil refinery)



#### **Infrastructures**

There is a main road starts from Baghdad to Diwaniyah and a multi- track highway passes through the Province. The main Iraqi railway passes through the Province as well from north to south. Three generating stations are available in the province, two of them produce 300 MW and the third one produces 500 MW, in addition to the International Diwaniya Airport. It also has many industrial companies for rubber, textiles, dairy, cement, petrochemicals, and oil refinery.

#### **Education:**

The Province of Diwaniyah has only one university and some private collages and institutes (Technical, Teachers and Fine Arts) and (666) primary school; 58 kindergartens, (249) secondary school; And a good number of private teaching institutes (nursery, kindergarten, primary schools).

### Health:

Province of Diwaniyah has (9) hospitals, 4 specialized centers, (73) medical center in villages around the city and 3 working private hospitals and others under construction.





### **Province of Thi Qar**

### **Historical Background**

Thi Qar is one of the Iraqi southern Provinces. Its center is the city of Nasiriyah. Historical evidence indicates that this name exists from old ages. Some historical sites, such as, the ancient city of Ur, 5.000 years B. C. occurs there. It is the land where the Sumerians and Acadians settled.

### Location

The Province of Thi Qar is located at the heart of the southern part of Iraq. The best

part of the area of the Province is situated next to the Rivers of Euphrates and Gharraf. The Province is one of the most ancient lands settled by mankind and established the first human civilization and there still lays the ancient archeological monuments of cities such as Ur and Lagash and else.



The area of the Province of Thi Qar is (13,626) km<sup>2</sup>.

**Population**: The population of the Province is (2.132.149) person.

### **Main cities:**

- Nasiriyah District, Al Eslah- Al Bathaa- Said Dekheel- Ur
- Rifa'i District, Qalaa Suker- Al Nasir- Al Fajir
- Suq Al-Shouyoukh District, Akeka- Karma Beni Saad- Fdhaliya- Al Tar
- Al Jabaish District, Hammar- Al Fohood
- Shatra District, Dwaya- Al Garaf



Zaqura Heritage City





#### Main activities

- Agriculture
- (Engineering and textile) industries
- Oil and gas production
- Cattle breading
- Fishing

### **Infrastructures:**



Archeological Harp

Thi Qar Province has an electric-thermal station that produces 600 MW, there is also Al Nasyriah Gas turbine station and an Oil Refinery with a refining capacity of 30,000 bpd, it has a good net of roads and transportation linking it to the neighboring provinces as there are many land roads. These are:

- Baghdad -Basra international highway
- Nasiriyah- Kut way
- Imarah Ri'fai- Diwaniyah way
- Nasiriyah- Diwaniyah way
- Nasiriyah- Samawa way
- Nasiriyah- Imarah way



The Province is also penetrated by the railway which links Basra to the capital, Baghdad.

#### **Education:**

The Province of Thi Qar has two state universities, Thi Qar University at the City center and Sumer University at Ri'fai district and there are almost (1273) primary school; 40 kindergartens, (555) secondary school; (7) institutes for Teachers' qualifying, and many vocational institutes and schools.

### **Health:**

There are 11 hospitals and 138 public medical center in Thi Qar.



### **Province of Maysan**

### **Historical Background**

It is one of the southern Provinces of Iraq. It is located to the east of the country, on the Iranian borders. Its center is the city of Imarah. It is located on the River Tigris. It had been known, before 1976 as Imarah Province. It is believed that the origin of the name of "Maysan' refers back to the Kingdom of Mayshan, and turned, by time, to be Maysan.



Its distinctive location formed a core for an important city and commercial center and had been adopted by Alexander the Great as a capital for his kingdom. Among its common names "Korat Dijlah" which means a number of villages alongside the River Tigris.

#### Location

The province is located in the southern eastern part of Iraq, on the banks of the river Tigris. It is almost 400 km away from Baghdad. It represents a commercial center for agricultural crops, fish, and cattle. It is linked to the Provinces of Basra and Wasit by a 200 Km main road; and with the Province of Thi Qar through another road. An oil pipeline passes through the eastern part of the province and extends down to Basra and Fao southward.

**Population**: The population of the Province is (1,134.968) person.

#### Area

The area of the Province of Maysan is (16.072) km<sup>2</sup>

### **Main cities:**

- Imarah District, Kumait
- Maymouna District, Said Ahmed Al Rifaii- Al Maymouna
- Qal'at Salih District, Al Aziz
- Mijar Al Kabeer District, AL Adil- Al Khair
- Kahla District, Al Musharah-Beni Hashim





### **Main activities**

- Oil
- Agriculture
- Cattle breading
- Agricultural industries
- Sugar production
- Paper production

### **Education:**

The Province of Maysan has only one university and (653) primary school; 31 kindergartens, (186) secondary school; (4) institutes for Teachers' Qualifying, and many vocational institutes and schools.

### **Health:**

In Maysan, there are 6 hospitals and 80 general medical center





### **Province of Basra**

### **Historical Background**

Basra is the third Province in Iraq regarding population and considered as the economic capital of Iraq, its only port overlooking the Arab Gulf and its main sea outlet. Basra has several names mentioned by references, after building it, it was named Um Al-Iraq "Mother of Iraq", Khizanat Al-Arab "Treasury of Arabs", Al-Basra Al-Uthma "The Great Basra", Al-Basra Al-Iraq Al-Basim "The smiling mouth of Iraq", Al-Fayha "The extensive", Qubat Al-Ilm "Dome of Science".



### Location

Basra is situated at the extreme south of Iraq, on the western bank of Shatt Al-Arab, the watercourse which results from Rivers Tigris and Euphrates meeting at Qurna, 110 km northward of Fao. Basra is almost 55 km from the Arab Gulf, 545 km from Baghdad. It has mutual border with Saudi Arabia Kingdom and Kuwait southward, and with the Islamic Republic of Iran Eastward. Local borders of Basra are with the provinces of Thi Qar and Maysan to the north and Muthanna to the west. Basra is the only port of Iraq and its main sea outlet.

From a geographical view, it occurs at the southern eastern corner of Iraq. This location has its impact in putting the province within the huge desert extension in the continents of Asia and Africa which consequently results in its overwhelming dry climate.

Basra, within its geographical location, is linked to the other provinces of Iraq through paved roads which lengths vary according to being near to, or far from it.

### Area

The area of the Province of Basra is (19.070) km<sup>2</sup>.

**Population**: Approximately (2,972.162) person.

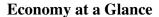


#### **Main cities:**

- Basra District. Hartha
- Abu Al-Khaseeb District
- Zubair District, Safwan- Um Qasir
- Qurna District, AL Dair- Al Thaghr
- Fao District
- Shat Al Arab District, Al Nashwa
- Allmdainah District, Izz Aldeen Saleem- Talha

### Main activities

- Oil and gas
- Sea charging and Railway
- Agriculture
- Food industries
- Heavy industries, such as, iron and steel, fertilizers, and petrochemicals
- Fishing



Basra is one of the important provinces in Iraq, as it is rich with oil fields such as Rumaila field, Shi'aiba field, western Qurna field, and Majnoun field. Due to its location in the plains of Al Rafidain valley, it is considered as one of the best locations for planting rice, barley, wheat, and millet. It is also famous for cattle breading. The province occurs on varying terrain land



includes plains, upland, and desert and is also considered as a tourists Province for having many religious shrines and historical sites.

### **Infrastructures**

Province of Basra has all the six Iraqi sea ports, including the deep port. Thus it is the transportation cross point of the southern part of Iraq. There is also a highway linking the Hashemite kingdom of Jordan to Iraq which starts from the Jordanian borders and ends in Basra. The province is also linked to the State of Kuwait via Safwan border crossing point, a main commercial outlet. In addition to these, there is Basra International Airport too.









### **Education:**

The Province of Basra has only one university, University of Basra and (1198) primary school; 88 kindergartens, (632) secondary school; (14) institute for Teachers' Qualifying, and many vocational institutes and schools.

### Health

Province of Basra has 19 hospitals and (121) medical center.

### **Tourist sites:**

#### **Sindibad Island**

This island is a marvelous tourist site which is located at the middle of Shatt Al-Arab, opposite to Shatt Al-Arab Hotel in Maqal. It is linked to both river banks via Sindibad Bridge.

It has wonderful gardens decorated with beautiful fountains. There are facilities for visitor comfort, a tourist coffee shop, and



tourist houses for residence, in addition to the floating hotel near the Island, and a vast coffee shop at the southern end of the Island.

**Qurna City**: It is 74 km northward of Basra; Qurna is the legendary place of Adam's tree and paradise of Eden, where Tigris and Euphrates meet to form together Shatt Al-Arab, where we can see a lot of farms and orchards especially date palm orchards.

**Abu Al-Khaseeb**: This city is located on Shatt Al- Arab, 26 km to the south of Basra. It is the city of the late great poet Badr Shakir Al-Sayyab, it is also the center of date palm forests which are unique for their beautiful landscapes.







# **Investment Zones in Iraq**

The National Investment Commission has started a program to prepare mechanism and a system to establish secured zones for investment according to the text of (Article 9 of the ratified amended Investment Law no. 13/2006

The National Investment Commission has formed up a strategy for the investment zones in Iraq in cooperation with the Investment



Program in the Middle East and North Africa of the (OECD) to determine terms and conditions that achieve investment in the region.

# The National Investment Commission is working on completing the requirement number of major investment zones:

- **Basra Investment Zone**/Grant Faw port Zone, 2400 hectare, for petrochemicals, power station and oil refinery.
- **Babylon Investment Zone**/ Hitteen Zone, 6000 dunum, for heavy and medium engineering industries with several in site facilities and services.
- **Baghdad Investment Zone**/ near the International Airport, for various economic sectors (housing, recreational, services, educational, exhibitions, and social activities.
- **Middle Euphrates Investment Zone**/ (between the Holy province of Najaf and the Sacred Province of Karbala) for Agricultural industries such as milk and dairy products, fruits canning, vegetables, meat and food industries.
- Nineveh Investment Zone/, suggested to be either in the site of Al Kindy Company or the site of Jaber bin Hayyan Company, for precision engineering industries, equipment and integrated engineering systems for medium and small projects.
- **Diyala Investment Zone**/ The New Camp of Iraq (multipurpose, tourism)
- **Anbar Investment Zone**/ construction materials and glass factories

### A - The importance of establishing investment areas in Iraq:

- Represents a real breakthrough for foreign companies in Iraq and advanced technology.
- Provide greater possibility to monitor the commitment of companies operating in them with all the controls imposed by Iraqi laws, such as environmental conditions and work systems through the administration in charge of the investment area, whether purely Iraqi or with a foreign partner.



- The creation of new economic communities with an advanced infrastructure largely independent of the existing infrastructure in the cities because they are dilapidated and weak in addition to the new projects in reliance on some of the existing services will lead to the weakening of such services as electricity, and thus the investment areas represent a more attractive environment due to the availability of services and infrastructure.
- Reduce bureaucratic procedures and routine as well as exceeding the delay in some commissions due to the delay of sectoral approvals and the lack of clarity of powers among some institutions.
- The application of such model will greatly reduce the dependence on allocations of the investment budget for the establishment of these areas, where the private sector, whether local or foreign will build them .
- Iraq adopts a free-market approach, and therefore, allowing national and foreign private sector initiatives is the direction that should be encouraged at the present time.

### **B.** Advantages of establishing investment zones:

- 1. Encourage the establishment and rapid growth of large and medium-sized industries within a specific location.
- 2. Expanding and increasing employment opportunities, thus reducing unemployment, training and upgrading human resources.
- 3. Creating competitiveness ability and development among the products of the factories established in the city with each other on one hand and between them and similar imported goods on the other hand.
- 4. Transfer, use and localization of modern technologies.
- 5. To grant projects in these areas privileges according to the investment law and the system of safe investment zones, which the NIC is working to accomplish in accordance with the legislative methods.
- 6. Developing local capital and attracting foreign capital.
- 7. Achieving coherence among different sectors.
- 8. Reduce the cost of establishing, operating, maintaining and developing projects.

### C. The role of investment zones in economic and urban development:

These zones play an important role in economic and urban development:

- 1. Reducing population density in large cities, thus reducing pressure on transportation, housing and energy.
- 2. Protecting residential areas from pollution hazards and thus avoiding the impact of industrial waste on the environment.
- 3. Create new and developed areas of cultural and social aspects, especially in the districts and villages where the investment areas are established in addition to raising the living standers and the economic base, productivity and employment.
- 4. Provide special services for workers in these areas at appropriate rates.

### Free Zones in Iraq



### First: Khor Al Zubair Free Zone

### Owned by the Ministry of Finance/ State Commission of Free Zones

| Area                    | Dis. & plot no. | Specifications                     |
|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| 20364200 m <sup>2</sup> | 13/8 M44 Hela   | Available electricity              |
|                         | 1/3             | 2. Near Khor Al Zubair port        |
|                         | 2/2             | 3. 25 km to Um Qasir port          |
|                         | 3/1 M20         | 4. 55 km to Safwan border Crossing |
|                         | Shaawan         | point                              |
|                         |                 | 5. Paved roads                     |

**Second: Al Qaim Free Zone** 

| Area                  | Dis. & plot no. | Specifications                              |
|-----------------------|-----------------|---|
| 430000 m <sup>2</sup> | 133/7533 M 21   | 1. Next to Al Qaim border crossing point to |
|                       | Dayoom Al Maniy | Syria                                       |
|                       |                 | 2. Near power and water resources           |
|                       |                 | 3. Near the center of AL Qaim town          |
|                       |                 | 4. Paved road 25 km between to free zone    |
|                       |                 | and Ukaz gas field                          |

### Third: Al Qaim Free Zone/ Ukashat

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|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Area              | Dis. & plot no.                   | Specifications                          |  |  |
| 6612500           | 133/7530                          | 1. On the way linking Al Qaim border    |  |  |
| m <sup>2</sup>    | 11/5 M 21 Dayoom                  | crossing point to Al Waleed and         |  |  |
|                   | Al Maniy                          | Traibeel                                |  |  |
|                   |                                   | 2. 20 km paved road from Al Qaim border |  |  |
|                   |                                   | crossing point                          |  |  |
|                   |                                   | 3. Strategic location near Ukashat mine |  |  |
|                   |                                   | and phosphate factory near Ukaz gas     |  |  |
|                   |                                   | field                                   |  |  |

### Fourth: Expanding Free Zone in Nineveh

| rourun. Exp    | panding Free Zone in Nineven |  |  |
|----------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Area           | Dis. & plot no.              | Specifications                                 |  |
| 4204980        |                              | 1. Located in Felfeel town to the north of the |  |
| m <sup>2</sup> |                              | province                                       |  |
|                |                              | 2. 20 km from the road linking Nineveh to      |  |
|                |                              | Douhok   |  |
|                |                              | 3. 120 km from Rabiaa Crossing point           |  |
|                |                              | 4. 180 km from Ibrahim crossing point          |  |
|                |                              | 5. Strategic location for big trade exchange   |  |
|                |                              | between Iraq and Turkey in the last few        |  |
|                |                              | years which makes it a good choice for a       |  |
|                |                              | vital crossing point.                          |  |

Ministry of Finance/ State Commission of Free Zones/ property and construction Dept. letter no. 1682 in 21/10/2020





Oil & Gas Sector
Electricity Sector
Communication Sector

Health Sector

**Housing Sector** 

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### 1- Oil and Gas Sector

Iraq is blessed with vast reserves of oil and natural gas, and is one of the most promising, still largely undeveloped sources of hydrocarbon resources in the world. After decades of lack of investments due to wars and sanctions. The importance of oil is not only limited to its role in developing Iraq but exceeds that to the role



which it can play in the international oil market level for the big reserves which can be reinforced in the future because of Iraq's being one of the most responding countries to the increase demand of energy and it is expected for Iraq to be the second largest international resource for the crude oil, this sector contributed to the GDP with the fixed price by %58 during 2020 according to the national development plan. Iraq is actively seeking international investment and expertise to help in the development of its oil and gas sectors so negotiation rounds started and led Iraq for a new march in investment history. The Ministry of Oil announced new ambitious plan to increase oil production and exports during this decade depending on foreign investment as a main source to achieve this goal. The main way for investors interested in oil and gas sector is in oil bidding rounds announced by the ministry.

On the other side, it is more likely that the oil and gas industry will continue to attract foreign business activities in the near future and that Iraq has a wide range of untapped oil and gas fields which requires a large number of investments to develop these fields.



### Oil & Gas Indicators

| Fixed oil reserves 1st Jan. 2018      | 146.9 billion barrel               |  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Fixed gas reserves 1st Jan. 2018      | 132.9 Trillion Standard Cubic Feet |  |
| Daily average of oil production 2017  | 4.469 m bpd                        |  |
| Daily average of oil production 2018  | 4.401 m bpd                        |  |
| Daily average of oil exports for 2017 | 3.802 m bpd                        |  |
| Daily average of oil exports for 2018 | 3.836 m bpd                        |  |
| Target crude oil capacity 2019        | 5.000 thousand barrel              |  |
| Target crude oil capacity 2020        | 5.500 thousand barrel              |  |

Source: Iraqi MoO- Planning & Studies Office, according to letter no: 961 in Jan.9th 2019

### Oil:

There are 146.9 billion barrels of fixed reserves in Iraq discovered in 71 fields, 27 of which are developed and %75 of the fixed reserves concentrated in many major fields in the south east of the country near the Iraqi border with Kuwait and Iran. An additional %20 is located in the northern part of the country near Kirkuk.

### Gas:

Iraq is similarly rich in natural gas, with 132.9 Trillion Cubic Feet in proven reserves.



## Oil and gas export and distribution pipelines

Iraq has a wide pipeline infrastructure total of 4350 miles. There are three main pipelines that connect Iraq to Saudi Arabia, Turkey, Syria in addition to the forth one (the Strategic line) that starts from Basra in the south to Kirkuk in the north. This line exports three quarters of



daily production from Basra oil port in the south and the rest from the north pipeline from Kirkuk to Jihan port in Turkey.

### **Production, Distribution and Export:**

As Iraq is developing its infrastructure at the present time, and heading towards expanding its productive operations in oil field, and to attract investments in production, distribution and export fields for oil sector in order to improve the current situation of oil sector as well as it will help to attract investments in other fields such as export pipelines particularly in Basra



Port, and the export pipelines from

Kirkuk Province to Jihan Turkish Port. There is a wide range of needs in the south of Iraq which includes the need to establish a new pipeline to link the resources extracted from oil wells to refineries and to establish storage facilities in addition to expanding the ports. A number of studies were conducted to develop infrastructure which would enable Iraq to gain its position as a source for natural gas and this requires constructing an expanded infrastructure for gas sector in order to enable Iraq to supply the gas pipelines heading to Turkey and therefore it will supply major European markets.



### **Investment Opportunities in Oil and Gas Sector**

Ministry of Oil announced an ambitious plan to increase oil production and exports in the following years. Participation and direct investments are principal means for achieving this goal through oil licenses rounds announced by the Ministry.

### 1. Investment projects in Refineries and Oil &Gas sectors:

| No | Refinery Name                          | Location | Type of investment |
|----|--|----------|--------------------|
| 1  | Oxide asphalt production unite 10 KBPO | Basra    | ВОО                |
|    |  |          | Or                 |
|    |  |          | ВООТ               |
| 2  | LAB project 75 KT/Y                    | Basra    | ВОО                |
|    |  |          | Or                 |
|    |  |          | воот               |
| 3  | Fuel oil hydrogenation project         | Basra    | ВОО                |
|    | KBPO 30                                |          | Or                 |
|    |  |          | воот               |

### 2. Future investment projects in storage and transportation sector

| No. | Project                          | location | How to implement    | Capacity   |
|-----|----------------------------------|----------|---------------------|--|
| 1   | Mosul warehouse for oil products | Mosul    | Investment or EPC+F | Gasoline 4*20000 M3  Gasoil 3*20000 M3  Kerosene 3*10000M3  Jet fuel 2*10000M3  LPG 2*3000 ton |

Source/ Ministry of oil/ Follow up ,planning, and study office letter no. 2814 dated in 27/1/2022



### 2- Electricity Sector

Electrical power considered as one of the pillars that achieve economic and social development programs in countries since advancement of all economic sectors intrinsically depends on upgrading the power services.



The electrical grid system enters the core of the development process as it is considered one of the most important sectors upon which many other sectors depend.

Iraq is witnessing a crisis in power supply due to the unbalance between supply and demand as the production of power cannot meet the increasing demand which is affected by many factors.

Probably the most prominent problems hindering the provision of electrical power is the dependence on a lonely source, which is the fuel, in production whereas other countries started to resort to sustainable alternatives to meet the rising need.

Many problems result from miscoding in opting the right locations for the electrical generation stations like the environmental problems represented by pollution and the production problems represented by the remoteness of the fuels resources, the matter that largely affected production capacities in addition to the distribution problems represented by the inefficient electricity distribution grid that led to waste large amount of power before its being received by the consumer.

Source: Ministry of Planning/Local & Regional Development Office letter 17867 in 3/8/2021



# **Available Investment Opportunities in the Electricity Sector**

| No. | Project name                       | Additional<br>capacity/ MW | Province    |
|-----|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| 1   | Al Shanafiya thermal power Station | 3×330                      | Al Dewaniya |
| 2   | Al Yousfiya thermal power Station  | 2/ 210+4×350               | Baghdad     |
| 3   | North thermal power Station        | 4×350                      | -           |

Source: Ministry of Electricity/ Investment and Contracts Office letter 9279 in 8/3/2021





### 3- Communication Sector

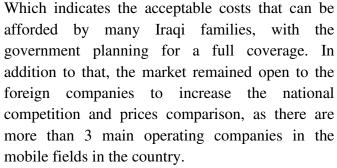
The communication sector (wired wireless) witnessed has substantial growth in Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) attraction in the recent years especially in the mobile phones and internet technologies which can be highly attributed to the existence of an independent organizing and agency the renewable opening up to the foreign companies.



One of the most important development points in the communication sector in Iraq was developing the local wired and wireless communication networks. Wireless

networks have been capable of changing the land line phones market in Iraq as these are providing both of this old service alongside with the internet service without having to use cables through the populated neighborhoods of the city.

Government of Iraq contracted in 2006 with different companies from the private sector to provide the wired communication networks which provide the services of voice and data transmission. Communication and Media Commission also granted in the same year three national licenses and three regional ones for providing local wireless communication services, national licenses may last for 10 years that can be extended for 5 more years while regional licenses can last for only 8 years.



The communication sector is considered as one of the successful sectors in the period following the year 2003. With better security situation, better laws





and fully free market, the climate will be more suitable to attract more local and foreign investments.



### Investment opportunities in the telecommunications sector

- 1. Establishing optical landlines (FTTH): This opportunity is one of the most important investment opportunities offered to sober international companies to establish (Fiber To The Home) lines to provide various services to nearly five million customers, at all governorates of Iraq.
- 2. Investing in the Ministry of Communications infrastructure and establishing a strategic partnership with the global company with the license of the fourth generation technology 4G, by enabling it to work on the entire infrastructure of the General Company for Communications and Informatics, including the optical fiber network, towers and sites to use them in distributing the fourth generation service, in addition to developing and expanding these networks in line with the requirements of the services provided, in a way that guarantees providing (SLA) services in accordance with international standards, which will contribute to speeding up the project and reduce the costs of its creation.
- 3. Marketing a whole basket of telecommunications and Internet services (video call, voice, data, high-definition television channels, games) through the existing Access Net Work networks.
- 4. Investing in the optical cable extending from north to south to provide telecommunications and internet services.
- 5. Investing lands belonging to the State Telecommunications Company
- 6. Marketing communication services and the Internet through land (international and local) and sea ports.
- 7. Securing, improving and developing security systems in the field of communications and electronic protection.
- 8. The Iraqi Satellite Project: to provide telecommunications, informatics and television services to cover all regions of Iraq, especially remote areas (desert, marshes, mountains) in addition to countries within the scope of satellite coverage to be a bridge to terrestrial organizations as well as the security aspect of the project.
- 9. Data and software development centers: Providing secure local centers inside Iraq to host and store all data, host websites, e-mail and all special applications



- related to the promotion of electronic transactions and provide a large storage space for storing and retaining electronic documents, as well as providing software services, technical and accounting systems, electronic applications and all their accessories related to technology Information and training on its scientific methods according to the latest advanced and safe technologies.
- 10. The Space Station Project: Rehabilitation and development of space stations in the General Telecommunications Company through investment and introduction of modern satellite communications applications, and increasing the capacity of (HTS) for broadband services and satellite applications to secure the requirements of security, defense and interior institutions and investing the geographical location of Iraq to establish a Teleport control center to secure Satellite packages as well as providing revenue.
- 11. Electronic signature services: The project provides a system for documenting electronic transactions with a secure and documented mechanism for exchanging data and enabling digital transformation of e-government services. The project can be used to provide services in the banking, health and even oil and gas sectors by reducing the risks of piracy and threats to electronic control systems.
- 12. The smart financing card project: one of the most important strategic projects and investment opportunities provided by Al Salam State Company and in partnership with the private sector. It is the smart financing card project, according to which the current routine mechanisms for receiving ration card materials will be automated and converted into an advanced electronic mechanism that allows citizens to easily receive their monthly ration from the official agent based on an electronic card.
- 13. A project to assemble a national mobile phone: one of the investment projects provided by the Al Salam State Company, in partnership with the private sector, to open a production line for all national mobile phones and tablets bearing the trademark of the Al Salam State Company.
- 14. Integrated Media City Project and Transmission Content Management for Satellite Channels (Media Gateway): This project is currently being prepared by Al Salam State Company as an investment opportunity with the private sector to



- manage satellite transmission content for satellite channels operating in Iraq (visual and audio) to achieves technical, economic and security goals.
- 15. The project of smart electronic monitoring systems for refineries: one of the investment projects provided by Al Salam State Company in partnership with the private sector to design electronic systems and programs related to electronic and administrative monitoring of work sites and workers in oil refineries. These systems are linked within an independent and secure communications network in addition to connecting a main data center and other centers for monitoring and control.
- 16. Electronic payment project: The General Post and Savings Company provides an investment opportunity with the banking sector to prepare a project to issue electronic payment cards, which are used in many financial transactions (depositing money, partial or total cash withdrawal, money transfer, paying bills, shopping and buying through the internet)
- 17. The One Stop Shop Project: One of the projects provided by the General Post and Savings Company, through which post offices are considered as a site for providing services that are practiced by state ministries with all their facilities to citizens by linking post offices with a modern technology system.
- 18. Establishing the mixed Iraqi Postal Bank: The General Post and Savings Company provides an investment opportunity by establishing the Postal Bank in partnership with the private sector to create the best way to help the middle and vulnerable citizens of society, as it will provide investment opportunities for this class while providing financial transactions for those with limited income.
- 19. Internal and external transactions project through post offices: The General Post and Savings Company provides investment opportunities in cooperation with the private sector to launch bank transfer services or transfer money through post offices in Baghdad and provinces.
- 20. Al-Madaen site rehabilitation project for the Al Salam State Company: for the purpose of activating the company's production lines.



### 4-Health and Environment Sector

The healthcare system is defined as the set of the medical programs and activities that aims at protecting community from health problems, and its being developed in any country refers to the country's whole development since health is considered as an important urban development indicator.

healthcare should be ensured for all of the population and can be on different levels and shapes that ranges from the primary medical and child care, medical centers, to the hospitals ... etc, according to the city level in the outposts hierarchy.

- The local planning criterion specified the necessity of the existence of one hospital for each 50 thousand citizen, whereas the number of hospitals in the year 2018 was about 286 public and private hospital, which is an indicator of weak medical services in Iraq for all provinces, and according to this criterion the defect in the number of hospitals will be about 370 public and private hospital. The needs were concentrated in the provinces of (Baghdad and Nineveh) and in the second place come the provinces of (Basra, Thi Qar, Kirkuk, Diyala, Anbar, Saladin, Wasit, Babylon) while come in the third place the provinces of (Qadisiyah, Missan, Najaf, Karbala, Muthana)
- The local planning criterion specified the necessity of the existence of one medical center for each 10 thousand fellow citizen and that the available number is 1,868 medical center in the year 2018 and according to this criterion Iraq is in need for about 1,413 medical center, the need was concentrated in Baghdad province in the first place and in the second place come the provinces of (Nineveh and Basra) while in the third place come the provinces of (Babylon, Najaf, Wasit, Karbala, Diyala, Qadisiyah, Thi Qar, Saladin, Missan, Kirkuk, Muthana and Anbar)

Suggestions to reform the medical situation in Iraq

- 1- Constructing new hospitals and medical centers in parallel way with the rise in the population numbers according to the defect recorded in this service and announcing the investment opportunities in the healthcare sector to build public and private modern hospitals and medical cities.
- 2- Working on improving the quality of the medical service provided to people.



- 3- Working on periodical maintaining of the medical institutions infrastructure services
- 4- Activating the role of medical awareness in both rustic and urban areas
- 5- Providing modern and developed diagnostic devices.
- 6- Working on establishing specialized hospitals in the high population density areas.
- 7- Activating the role of cooperation between the public and the private sectors.

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**Source**/ Ministry of Planning letter / regional and local development department/ numbered 17867 dated 3.8.2021



# **Investment Opportunities in Health Sector announced by Provinces**

| No  | Project's Name   | Type of Investment<br>Opportunities                                  | Province                             |
|-----|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| 1.  | Specialized cancer treatment center  | New  | Baghdad, Al Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa   |
| 2.  | Arabic Child Hospital in Al-Karkh (50 beds)  | New  | Baghdad/ Al-Karkh                    |
| 3.  | 3-4 Drugs and medical appliances factory.  | New  | Baghdad, Al Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa   |
| 4.  | 2 Sterility and fertility hospital   | New  | Baghdad in Al<br>Karkh and Al-Rusafa |
| 5.  | 2 Specialized ophthalmology hospital   | New  | Baghdad , Al Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa  |
| 6.  | 1 Specialized cardiac surgery hospital   | New  | Baghdad, Al Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa   |
| 7.  | 2-3 hydrogen peroxide (pure O2)Plant   | New  | Baghdad, Al Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa   |
| 8.  | 2 Complete medical city  | New  | Baghdad, Al Karkh                    |
| 9.  | 4 General hospitals, capacity: 50 beds each  | New  | Baghdad, Al-Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa   |
| 10. | 4 Specialized medical centers, capacity: (20 beds or more)   | New  | Baghdad , Al-Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa  |
| 11. | Joint venture with international companies for hospital and medical centers management and operating Importing medical teams to work in health institutes. | Contracting with specialized companies to open new hospitals in Iraq | Baghdad , Al-Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa  |
| 12. | Extra governmental hospitals to be submitted as an investment opportunity  | Contracting with specialized companies to open new hospitals in Iraq | Baghdad , Al-Karkh<br>and Al-Rusafa  |
| 13. | 1 General hospital capacity: (100 beds) area 2 dumun   | New  | Wasit/ Kut city center               |
| 14. | 1 Specialized Cardiac and Blood Vessels<br>Surgery   | New  | Wasit/ kut                           |
| 15. | 1 Specialized gynecology Center  | New  | Wasit/ kut                           |
| 16. | 1 Specialized Infertility and IVP (Tube Baby) Center   | New  | Wasit/ kut                           |
| 17. | 1Specialized ophthalmology Surgery hospital (50 beds)  | New  | Wasit/ city center                   |
| 18. | 1 Specialized oncology Center  | New  | Wasit/ city center                   |



| 19. | General hospital 100 beds   | new   | Wasit/ Swaiyra      |
|-----|---|---|---------------------|
| 20. | 1 Specialized in Laparoscopic surgery and   | New   | Wasit/ Kut          |
|     | laser center  |   |                     |
| 21. | 1 Specialized Plastic Surgery Center  | New   | Wasit/ Kut          |
| 22. | 1 Complete Medical City   | New   | Wasit/ Kut          |
| 23. | Medical Supplies and drugs Plant  | New   | Wasit/ Swaiyra- Kut |
| 24. | 1 General hospital 1000 dunum   | New   | Holy Najaf          |
| 25. | 1 General hospital plot 25/2738 m5 Um   | New   | Al-Diwaniya         |
| 26. | Abasyat (10 dunum) Al Shafiya  1 General hospital plot 18/4105 m18 Sadir Al Yousfiya (4 donum) Ifak   | New   | Al-Diwaniya         |
| 27. | 1 General hospital: plot 21/14 m2 Al Hebsa 6 dunum  | New   | Al-Diwaniya         |
| 28. | Specialized Major Surgery Center (cardiac & blood vessels, neurosurgery, oncology)  | New (estimated cost \$5 million, 4000m² area in the commercial zone in Ramadi | Anbar               |
| 29. | Medical equipment, Stethoscope medical beds, gauze, medical cotton, bandage, wheelchairs for people with special needs and handicaps, all kinds of tubes used for laboratory samples, blood pressure monitor, all types of needles, medical waste containers, blood transfusion equipment, temperature gauge, etc.) | New   | Anbar               |
| 30. | Plot no. 818/5466 Qibla total area 32375m <sup>2</sup><br>Building area 10000m <sup>2</sup> *   |   | Basra               |
| 31. | Real Estate 70/129 M 66 Sari Kehaiya **   |   |                     |

<sup>\*</sup> Prime Minister office letter/ Martyrs Foundation No. 262 on 9/2/2022



<sup>\*\*</sup> of Baghdad Governorate letter/ Property Department / Allocation Division No. 317 on 12/1/2021 attached to the Ministry of Finance letter / State Real Estate Department / State Real Estate Branch in Kirkuk Governorate No. 3099 on 11/17/2021

### 5- Housing and Infrastructure sector:

Housing is one of the necessary needs for people that must be secured, and the

housing deficit is one of the problems that countries suffer in general as well developing countries, especially Iraq which has led to the exacerbation of random housing in all governorates especially in Baghdad.

The Ministry of Planning, within the national development plans, has set major goals to



address the housing deficit crisis, and the Ministry of Construction and Housing, within the national housing policies, has also developed a plan to address this problem at several levels to alleviate the problems of this crisis to provide decent housing for citizens. The National Investment Commission and the investment authorities in the governorates have worked towards alleviating this deficit by announcing investment opportunities in this vital sector.

- 1- number of housing units for 2018 was 2,743,164 housing units for all governorates.
- 2- The total deficit in Iraq of housing units in 2018 is about (2,266,531) housing units.
- 3- the housing deficit is mainly in the governorates of Baghdad, Nineveh, Basra, Kirkuk and Babylon.
- 4- number of housing units in the governorates affected by terrorism and liberation operations, is (58,167) housing units according to the Damage Assessment Survey of 2017, and that the most affected governorates are Nineveh with a percentage of (62.1%), Anbar governorate with (20.4%), Saladin, Kirkuk, Diyala, Babylon and Baghdad.
- 5- The planning priorities to address the problem of the housing deficit are (Baghdad, Nineveh, Basra, Kirkuk, Babylon,) as first priority (Dhi Qar, Anbar, Saladin, Diyala, Najaf) As a second priority, and then (Wasit, Karbala, Qadisiyah, Maysan, Muthanna) as a third priority.
- · Source / Ministry of Planning letter / Regional and Local Development Department No. 17867 on 3/8/2021



#### How to address the housing crisis and develop the housing sector

- 1- complete the ongoing and suspended housing projects to secure adequate housing in accordance with the development plans to reduce the overcrowding and occupancy rates, including the city of Bismayah in Baghdad and the Al-Jawhara residential complex in southern Baghdad, as well as the new Habbaniyah city in Anbar governorate, Sinbad city in Basra governorate and Zubaydia city in the governorate New Wasit and Tharthar City included in the Strategic Framework for Urban Development in the Governorates of Iraq.
- 2- reduce the spatial disparity in the housing deficit among governorates.
- 3- Encouraging investors to participate in building new cities in Iraq, in accordance with the provincial development strategy, and to provide job opportunities to reduce unemployment in the provinces.
- 4- Cooperation between ministries and commissions in charge of managing lands, such as the Municipality of Baghdad, as well as governorates and urban planning departments, to facilitate land sorting and distributing, and to announce attractive investment opportunities in this vital sector.

NIC is supervising the implementation of the I million housing project in all Iraqi provinces through facilitating the process of allocating lands for investors, while a group of Iraqi banks (Rafidain Bank, Rasheed Bank, and TBI) are regulating the financial processes regarding this project.

The National Investment Commission has announced many strategic housing projects as investment opportunities, among which are the following:

• **Dhifaf Karbala Housing City Project at the Province of Holy Karbala**: This project includes the construction of a modern city of approximately forty thousand housing unit with integrated services, the project's infrastructure shall include commercial, and recreational centers.





# **Available Investment Opportunities at Housing Sector**

| No. | Project name  | Location  | allocated area<br>in dunem **    | Province          | Land owner                                   |
|-----|---|---|----------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| 1   | plot  | 2/17 m1 Waziriya  | 3509.58 m <sup>2</sup>           | Baghdad           | Ministers presidency / Marty<br>Foundation   |
| 2   | plot  | 4/6/ m 23 Ruqaya &<br>Fadhil                                      | 81 donum<br>237.5m <sup>2</sup>  | Baghdad           | Ministers presidency/Mart<br>Foundation      |
| 3   | plot  | 10/1157 m 19<br>Shamiya &Karaa                                    | 70 donum                         |                   | Ministers presidency/Mart<br>Foundation      |
| 4   | Housing area  | 3/671Abo Jadail/<br>Tajiat  | 8 donum                          |                   | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 5   | Housing area  | 17/40 M 36 Saba<br>Abkar  | 7 donum 15 ulk<br>25m²           | Baghdad<br>Rusafa | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 6   | Housing area  | 2/5794 m29<br>Damook  | 5 donum                          | Wasit             | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 7   | plot  | 3/787 m 38 Al<br>Khachiya   | 3 donum                          | wasit             | Ministers presidency / Mart<br>Foundation    |
| 8   | plot  | 1/4207 m 57 Elebat  | 1 donum                          | Diyala            | Ministers presidency /<br>Martyrs Foundation |
| 9   | Housing complex   | 2/8/10578 m 27 Al<br>Katoon 2 m23<br>Mahr Dar                     | 5                                | Diyala            | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 10  | Housing complex and sport services                      | 1/162 m 67 Bekler<br>Shatir Lo<br>434/ 40 m67<br>Bekler Shatir Lo | 18 ulk 24m² 1 dunum 1ulk 33.5 m² | Kirkuk            | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 11  | plot  | 110/43830 Al<br>Jezera  | 11 donum 3000m²                  | Dhi Qar           | Ministers presidency /<br>Martyrs Foundation |
| 12  | Housing complex for<br>Thi Qar Youth Dept.<br>employees | 9/545 Akad  | 18 dunum                         | Thi Qar           | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 13  | Employees housing complex                               | Hasaw Al Shamiya<br>83/27430 m47                                  | 40                               | Anbar             | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |



| 14 | Employees housing complex      | 7/4 m 77 Shawati<br>Al Sofiya              | 9 donum 23 ulk  | Anbar      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
|----|--------------------------------|--|-----------------|------------|--|
| 15 | Employees housing complex      | 9/5615 m 1                                 | 5 donum 21 ulk  | Anbar      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 16 | Employees housing complex      | 10/723 m 5 Wadi<br>Shesheen                | 7 donum 21 ulk  | Saladin    | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 17 | Housing complex                | 672/1 m 61 talaa Al<br>hamza               | 4 donum 20 ulk  | Basra      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 18 | Employees housing complex      | 1/584 m 63 Al Dair                         | 1 donum 11 ulk  | Basra      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 19 | Employees housing complex      | 37/2359 m 27 Al<br>Akawat                  | 6 donum 10 ulk  | Basra      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 20 | Employees housing complex      | 15/1149 m 61 Tura<br>Beni Mansoor          | 3 donum 8 ulk   | Basra      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 21 | Employees housing complex      | 2/17 m 53 Al<br>Naseer                     | 41 donum 21 ulk | Basra      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 22 | Employees housing complex      | 1/2107 Al Rabat Al<br>Kabeer               | 4 donum 3 ulk   | Basra      | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 23 | Apartments units for employees | 19/1416 m 18 Sadir<br>Al Yousfiya          | 6 donum 16 ulk  | Dewaniya   | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 24 | Housing units                  | 4/3411 m1 Um Al<br>Khail                   | 5               | Dewaniya   | Ministry of Youth & Sport                    |
| 25 | plot                           | 110/49566 Al<br>Jezera                     | 5 donum 1 ulk   | Dhi Qar    | Ministers presidency /<br>Martyrs Foundation |
| 26 | plot                           | 392/20 m 33 Al<br>Heera                    | 600m²           | Holy Najaf | Ministers presidency / Martyrs Foundation    |
| 27 | plot                           | 726/21 m3 Al<br>Mishkhab                   | 754m²           | Holy Najaf | Ministers presidency /<br>Martyrs Foundation |
| 28 | plot                           | 131/91 m 37 Al<br>Shurfa & Al<br>Hashimiya | 1967m²          | Babylon    | Ministers presidency /<br>Martyrs Foundation |

<sup>\*</sup> Ministry of Youth & Sport letter no. 102 in 17/1/2022



<sup>\*</sup> Ministry of Transportation letter/ Contracts and Licenses 7178 in 1/2/2021

<sup>\*</sup> Ministers presidency / Martyrs Foundation letter no 262 in 9/2/2022

#### 7. Transportation Sector

Transport sector in Iraq includes land roads and related activities (passenger transport activities and land transport of goods by trucks), railways, airports, ports and associated maritime transport activity. Total lengths of the roads



are (47,877) km, while railways in Iraq are (2,375) km distributed on (9) lines, most of which are spread longitudinally on the Iraqi map. Iraqi Airways and two local airlines work together with limited capacity. As for the ports, Iraq owns four commercial ports (Umm Qasr, Khor Al-Zubair, Abu Floos, Al-Maqal), two oil ports and four ferry platforms for oil export, in addition to (7) ships.

- Road Network Density compared to the area of Iraq reached (121 km/1000 km2) which makes Iraq as a whole higher than the international standard of (105 km/1000 km2), but the governorates varied according to this indicator, as (Baghdad, Kirkuk, Diyala, Qadisiyah, Karbala, Babylon, Saladin, Maysan, Dhi Qar, Basra) has exceeded the international standard.
- 2. Road Network Density index for the population in Iraq is about (146 km/100 thousand people), this percentage is less than the value of the international standard, which is (496 km/ per 100 thousand people). The table indicates the different degrees of backwardness of all governorates based on this indicator which explains the traffic jams and the weak transport network in Iraq.

To determine planning priorities in addressing the problem of low density of the road network and low per capita share of paved roads, and depending on the gap per capita of roads m/people, the first priority in road projects and paving works for the governorates should be for (Najaf, Nineveh, Baghdad, Basra, Dhi Qar) provinces, (Wasit, Babylon, Muthanna, Holy Karbala) as a second priority, (Maysan, Saladin, Diyala, Kirkuk, Qadisiyah, Anbar) as a third priority.

• Source / Ministry of Planning letter / Department of Regional and Local Development No. 17867 on 3/8/2021



We can list some proposals for the development of the transport sector in the country below:

- 1- **Increasing the length of the network**: by completing the implementation of the strategic main roads, including Road No. (2), which connects the capital, Baghdad, to the governorate of Dohuk in the far north, with the rehabilitation and development of the circle road network around major cities.
- 2- Enhancing integration between cities: by linking governorates to new and medium cities, with the implementation of the alternative movement network (pedestrians and bicycles in the main streets in city centers).
- 3- **Enhancing public transportation**: by implementing a comprehensive transport plan in Iraq, modernizing the passenger transport fleet, as well as initiating the implementation of the monorail train in major cities.
- 4- New railway tracks: by implementing the (Baghdad- Kut) line, extending a line towards Basra, implementing the (Baghdad-Kirkuk) line all the way long towards Sulaymaniyah and Erbil and improving the rail link with the neighboring countries (establishing the dry canal).
- 5- **Developing the existing airports** according to solid economic feasibility studies, to avoid wasting economic resources.
- 6- Completing the construction of the Grand Faw Port in addition to rehabilitation of the current ports and raising their capacity by deepening their shipping lanes, giving a wider role to the private sector in the implementation and operation of port services.







## **Available Investment Opportunities in Transportation**•

## First: Railways State Company

| no | Project name  | Details  | length | Number<br>of lines | Signals & communication | Axial<br>load/ | Speed      | (km/h)    | Total<br>(million) | transport     | Estimat      | e cost (million USE | ))    | Project implementation |
|----|---|--|--------|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------------|-------|------------------------|
|    |   |  |        | or mics            | communication           | ton            | passengers | Goods/ton | passengers         | Goods/<br>ton | Acquisitions | implementation      | total | period                 |
| 1  | Circle line<br>around<br>Baghdad  | Detailed designs were conducted 1982 by Italian consulting company (Sotkny) circle line length (ring) 112km, total length main and branches 284km.   | 284    | mixed              | ERTMS/ level 2          | 25             | 200        | 140       | 23                 | 46            | 430          | 2000                | 2430  | 5 years                |
| 2  | Basra- Fao  | Detailed designs were<br>recently conducted by<br>German consulting company<br>(Dorsh Group)   | 100    | double             | ERTMS/ level 2/1        | 25             | 140        | 100       | 1                  | 70            | 300          | 1410                | 1710  | 3 years                |
| 3  | Baghdad- Kut-<br>Umara- Basra<br>Branch line<br>(Kut- Nasriya-<br>Um Qasir) | Detailed designs (1982) prepared by British Henderson Hughes are old and most of them are lost. The main line (Baghdad-Kut- Umara- Basra) is 504 km—double. The Branch line (Kut-Nasriya- Um Qasir) is 406 km—double. Designs need to be updated with a new feasible study to the project. | 100    | double             |                         |                |            |           |                    |               | 2730         | 11000               |       |                        |
| 4  | Musaieb-<br>Karbal-Najaf-<br>Semawa   | Detailed designs were conducted 1982 by Italian consulting company (Sotkny) updated by Italian (Ital Fair)   | 228    | double             | ERTMS/ level 2          | 25             | 250        | 140       | 6                  | 2             | 750          | 2400                | 3150  | 3 years                |

<sup>•</sup> Ministry of Transportation letter/ Contracts and Licenses Dept. 7008 in 26/1/2022



|    |   |  |     |                             | 1              |    |     |     |   | 1  | 1    |      |      |         |
|----|---|--|-----|-----------------------------|----------------|----|-----|-----|---|----|------|------|------|---------|
| 5  | Mousil-<br>Dehouk-<br>Zakho- Turkey   | Designs were conducted by<br>British consulting company<br>(Henderson Hughes) 1982,<br>updated by Czech<br>companies, EKB, CZ Group,<br>Power Office.  | 160 | double                      | ERTMS/ level 2 | 25 | 200 | 140 | 1 | 55 | 450  | 2157 | 2607 | 3 years |
| 6  | (Baghdad-<br>Baquba-<br>Kirkuk-Erbil-<br>Mousil) branch<br>line (Baquba-<br>Khanaqeen-<br>Munthirya-<br>Iran) | detailed designs were conducted by French consulting company (Sorfrel) 1982, currently updated by Czech consulting company (CZ Group).double line length 455km single line length 200km, can be doubled. Total length of main and branches is 700-750 km | 700 | mixed                       | ERTMS/ level 2 | 25 | 250 | 140 | 6 | 20 | 1650 | 7000 | 8650 | 7 years |
| 7  | Railway<br>connection<br>between Iraq<br>&Jordan (from<br>Rutba to<br>Traibeel)                               | Designs were recently<br>conducted by German<br>consulting company (Dorsh<br>Group)  | 400 | Single<br>can be<br>doubled | ERTMS/ level 2 | 25 | 250 | 140 | 3 | 12 | 50   | 4000 | 4050 | 5 years |
| 8  | Sheaba-<br>Zubair-<br>Marbid-<br>Safwan-<br>Kuwait  | Detailed designs were<br>recently conducted by Italian<br>(Ital Fair). Length shall be<br>according to future projects,<br>final length might be 14kn<br>only from Marbid to Safwan/<br>Kuwait- Al Hadeed)   | 52  | double                      | ERTMS/ level 2 | 25 | 250 | 140 | 2 | 20 | 150  | 500  | 650  | 3 years |
| 9  | Kut- Baquba   | No previous designs or documents, new ones are required  | 250 | double                      | ERTMS/ level 2 | 25 | 250 | 140 | 6 | 20 | 750  | 3000 | 3750 | 4 years |
| 10 | Mono Rail<br>(Karbala-<br>Najaf)  | New project (above the main road towards Najaf   | 70  | Double                      | -              | -  | -   | -   | - | -  | -    | -    | -    | -       |
| 11 | Railway line<br>(Kirkuk –<br>Sulaimaniya)   | Feasible study and detailed<br>designs were done by the<br>Hungarian Company (Mozer<br>Automatica)   | 120 | Single<br>Can be<br>doubled | -              | -  | -   | -   | - | -  | 350  | 3000 | -    | 5.5     |
| 12 | Railway line<br>(Ramadi –<br>Karbala)   | Original designs were done<br>1982by Italian Sotkeny<br>Designs were modernized +<br>New Feasible study were<br>done by German Dorch<br>Group  | 133 | Double                      | -              | -  | -   | -   | - | -  | 400  | 1500 | -    | 3       |









# - Iraqi Airways

| Name of       | location            | Summery   | Plot no.                  | area                 | Specifications  | Estimated  | Implementation   | Notes                                 |
|---------------|---------------------|---|---------------------------|----------------------|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| project       |                     |   | District                  |                      | and<br>requirement  | cost   | period   |                                       |
| 5 stars hotel | Area around<br>BIAP | 5 stars hotel, 8- 10 floors +services facility + all requirements.  Plans, Designs, specifications and bill of quantities subjected to modification | 9/10 Dis. No 17 Al Sowaib | 15000 m <sup>2</sup> | 38-40 m height building subject to Civil Aviation Authority  Equipped with all required services and security systems | \$ 100 m<br>according<br>to the<br>updated<br>feasibility<br>study | 36 months from<br>the date of<br>signing the<br>contract | Plot belongs to the Iraqi Airways Co. |



#### 7- Industry and Minerals sector

Despite the lifting of all international sanctions imposed on Iraq and its converting to the economic openness policy after the 2003 war, the manufacturing system suffered big deterioration especially in the public sector for several reasons like those related to State policy in general through inactivating the laws that contribute to supporting the industrial sector in addition to other technical reasons related to the MIM companies performance and the nature of their management of the manufacturing process, which in the end led to delaying the manufacturing system and the inability of the companies to produce, compete or achieve economic revenues. This status pushed the investment law to activate the industrial sector and technology transfer through partnerships between the public and private sectors.

#### - Big Industrial enterprises

- 1- In 2018 the number of the big industrial enterprises were (627) in both public and private sectors working in (Baghdad, Missan, Diyala, and Qadisiyah)
- 2- The number of the workers in the big industrial enterprises are (115,545) worker, mostly in (Baghdad, Basra, Babylon, Najaf and Kirkuk)
- 3- The added value of the big industries sector, which represents the net increase in the industrial production and reflects the industrial production efficiency standard and the range of its participation in the national income, is (2.731.546.15) Million ID for 2018 in (Baghdad, Basra, and Babylon)
- 4- It is perceived through analyzing the comparative advantage industrial activity index for the big enterprises, that Babylon province has special location comparative advantage with a rate of (3.1%) followed by Najaf province with a rate of (2.87%) and in general the index had showed the existence of location comparative advantages for all provinces with different rates but (Karbala, Basra, Anbar, Baghdad and Saladin) showed weak comparative advantage, the matter that requires studying the reasons behind this weakness and tackling them accordingly. The priority according to the comparative advantage will be to (Babylon and Najaf) for group one, Kirkuk, Diyala, Thi Qar, Nineveh, Wasit, Qadisiyah, Muthana and Missan) for group two, and (Karbala, Basra, Anbar, Baghdad and Saladin) for group three.
- 5- The economic efficiency index, which measures the size of the workers participation in creating the added value, showed (Basra, Babil) were the best to be in group one, (Kirkuk, Missan, Baghdad, Muthana, Karbala) in group two, and (Thi Qar, Qadisyah, Saladin, Diyala, Najaf, Nineveh, Wasit, Anbar) in group three.



#### **Medium industrial enterprises**

- 1. In 2018 the number of the medium industrial enterprises was (198), most of them were in (Baghdad, Diyala, and Kirkuk)
- 2. The number of the workers in the medium industrial enterprises was (2,624) worker and were concentrated in the provinces of (Baghdad, Diyala, and Kirkuk)









# Investment opportunities available for state companies to conclude rehabilitation and participation contracts for 2022

| N. | Company name  | N. | Opportunity  | Target capacity  | Geographical location |
|----|---|----|--|--|-----------------------|
| 1. | The state<br>company for<br>petrochemical<br>industries | 1  | Rehabilitation, development and operation of (cement bags, fluting ,liner and wrapping ) paper lines and their supporting units plus establishing cement bags production line  Missan Paper Plant    | 150 tons/day   | Missan                |
|    |   | 2  | Establishment of Chlorine and<br>Caustic Soda project<br>Basra Paper Plant   | 50 tons/day  | Basra                 |
|    |   | 3  | Line of operation and completion of the deficiencies of the tissue paper machine(PM5) which is qualified with the product sharing system products: (White & Colored tissue paper)  Basra Paper Plant | 16 tons/day  | Basra                 |
|    |   | 4  | Rehabilitation of paper machine (PM3) products (writing & printing paper + drawing paper ) Basra Paper Plant   | 64 tons/day  | Basra                 |
|    |   | 5  | Rehabilitation, development and operation of board machine production line with service and supporting units products: (duplex, liner, triplex & common)  Missan Paper Plant                         | 90 tons/day  | Missan                |
|    |   | 6  | Rehabilitation of board machine (PM1) products ( duplex , liner and paper ) Basra Paper Plant  | 16200 tons/year  | Basra                 |
|    |   | 7  | Rehabilitation, modernization<br>and development of production<br>lines<br>(Ethylene, LDPE, HDPE) and<br>Their Supporting Units<br>Petrochemical Plant   | Liquid Ethylene:<br>113200 tons/year<br>LDPE: 51000<br>tons/year<br>HDPE: 25500<br>tons/year | Basra                 |
|    |   | 8  | Establishing egg dishes production line Missan Paper Plant   | 50,000,000<br>dishes/year  | Missan                |



|    |  | 9   | Egg dishes production line (new) Basra Paper Plant   | 216,000,000<br>dishes/year                | Basra   |
|----|--|-----|--|---|---------|
| ۲. | State company for steel industries                     | 10  | Heavy foundry rehabilitation project/ investment.  | 16000 tons/ year                          | Baghdad |
|    |  | 11  | Free forging rehabilitation project/ investment  | 9000 tons/ year                           | Baghdad |
|    |  | 12  | Closed forging rehabilitation project/ investment.   | 600,000 forged/ year                      | Baghdad |
|    |  | 13  | Project of producing build – up steel sections and bridge girder.  | (40%) of the total local market.          | Baghdad |
|    |  | 14  | Air filters production project for electric power plants.  |   | Baghdad |
|    |  | 15  | Project for developing overhead cranes production and using a solid commercial name.   |   | Baghdad |
| 3. | The state<br>company for<br>electric and<br>electronic | 16. | Production and maintenance of<br>miscellaneous electrical and<br>electronic devices for domestic<br>and industrial purposes  | 32625 pes/year<br>No. of workers 40       | Baghdad |
|    | industries.  | 17. | Production and maintenance of irrigation systems(pumps and submersibles)of all Kinds   | 630 pes/year<br>No. of workers 30         | Baghdad |
|    |  | 18  | Production and rehabilitation of ceiling, table, wall and vertical fans  | 295000 pes/year<br>No. of workers 35      | Baghdad |
|    |  | 19  | Smart meters   | 100000 unit / year<br>No. of workers 30   | Baghdad |
|    |  | 20  | Early warning systems  | Upon request (investor) No. of workers 30 | Baghdad |
|    |  | 21  | Exploitation of plastic injection machines   | Upon request (investor) 35 workers        | Baghdad |
|    |  | 22  | Production of evaporative air cooled engines and water pumps for evaporative air coolers and domestic pumps to exploit the energies available in the State Company | 3000 units<br>30 workers                  | Baghdad |



|    |                         | 23  | Solar powered air conditioners   | Upon request<br>(investor)<br>30 workers     | Baghdad |
|----|-------------------------|-----|--|--|---------|
|    |                         | 24  | Fogging chambers   | 3000 unit/year<br>20 workers                 | Baghdad |
|    |                         | 25. | Production, installation and maintenance of visual surveillance systems and electrical doors   | 11000 pes/year<br>25 workers                 | Baghdad |
|    |                         | 26  | Production, installation and maintenance of elevators stairs   | 380 control panels<br>32 workers             | Baghdad |
|    |                         | 27  | Manufacture of spare parts represented by mechanical parts (axes, gears, flanges, brushes, carbon, copper, and other spare parts(of the Ministry of Oil and Electricity and others ministries. | Upon request<br>(Investor)<br>35 workers     | Baghdad |
|    |                         | 28. | Solar energy systems   | 350 unit/year<br>25 workers                  | Baghdad |
| 4. | Diyala state<br>company | 29  | Project for the manufacture kiosk package substations and ring main units (RMU) (partnership contract)   | 1000 substation /<br>year<br>2000 RMU / year | Diyala  |
|    |                         | 30  | Project to individualization and assembly of cable kitting (partnership contract)  | 20000 pes / year                             | Diyala  |
|    |                         | 31  | Project for the construction of a power transformer production plant.  (Partnership contract)  | 5000 MVA/year                                | Diyala  |
|    |                         | 32  | Project for the construction of a distribution transformer repair workshop.  (Partnership contract)  | 3500<br>transformer/year                     | Diyala  |
|    |                         | 33  | Project for the construction of a Secondary stations production line project.  | 35 station/year                              | Diyala  |



|    |                                      |     | (Partnership contract)   |                     |                    |
|----|--------------------------------------|-----|--|---------------------|--------------------|
| 5. | The State                            | 34. | Establishing Factory for Medical   | 1000000 Bottle/Bag  | Saladin            |
|    | Company for                          |     | Intravenous Solution Using   | /Year               |                    |
|    | drugs                                |     | Highly Advanced Scientific   |                     |                    |
|    | manufacturing                        |     | Technology   |                     |                    |
|    | and medical                          | 35. | Establishing Factory For   | -1000000/Bag/ Year  | Saladin            |
|    | equipment/                           |     | Producing Blood and Urine Bags   | - 80000/            |                    |
|    | Samarra                              |     | and Medical Appliances   | Pack100ml/ Year     |                    |
|    |                                      | 36. | Establishing Factory For Producing Cancer Drugs  | 750000 vial/Year    | Saladin            |
|    |                                      | 37. | Establishing Factory For Producing Human Vaccines  | 2000000 vial/Year   | Saladin            |
| 6. | The state company for                | 38  | Project for the production of liquid and SMF batteries   | 750000 battery/year | Baghdad            |
|    | automotive and equipments industry   | 39  | Project of manufacturing and production of metal structures and iron rolls                             | 27000 ton/year      | Babylon            |
|    |                                      | 40  | Rehabilitation and operation of a factory for the manufacture and production of agricultural machinery | 12000 pes/year      | Babylon            |
|    |                                      | 41  | Production of salon cars and pickups   | 22500 car/year      | Babylon            |
|    |                                      | 42  | pure lead production project   | 7200 ton /year      | Baghdad            |
|    |                                      | 43  | Production and manufacture of tourist and medium buses   | 1000 bus/year       | Babylon            |
|    |                                      | 44  | Production and manufacture of electric cars  | 2000 car/year       | Babylon            |
|    |                                      | 45  | Production and assembly of Iraqi salon cars  | 40,000 car/year     | Babylon            |
|    |                                      | 46  | SMF battery production project   | 2000000             | SMF battery        |
|    |                                      |     |  | battery/year        | production project |
|    |                                      | 47  | Integrated plastic box set production project  | 1 m box/year        | Baghdad/           |
| 7. | The state<br>Company of<br>hydraulic | 48. | Production of Barbed and razorblade wire and chain link Fence .  | 769.3 ton/year      | Baghdad            |
|    | industries.                          | 49. | The Mechanical and Hydraulic<br>Smart parking and elevators<br>production project.                     | 100 park            | Baghdad            |



|          |                   | 50         | Development of the hydraulic       | 900 cheek and         | Baghdad  |
|----------|-------------------|------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
|          |                   | 30         | centers for the test, training and | model                 | Dagiidad |
|          |                   |            | _                                  | 900 person train      |          |
|          |                   |            | conformity certification project.  | 45 certificate        |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | 70 advice             |          |
|          |                   | <i>[</i> 1 | M C                                |                       | D 111    |
|          |                   | 51         | Manufacturing and assembly of      | 800 unit              | Baghdad  |
| <u> </u> |                   |            | pivoted sprinklers project.        |                       |          |
| 8.       | State company for | 52.        | Sponge Iron plant                  | - first stage (400000 | Basra/   |
|          | iron and steel    |            |                                    | - 500000) tons per    |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | year                  |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | - target Production   |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | capacity is           |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | 800,000-1000000       |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | tons per year of      |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | iron sponges to       |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | meet the needs of     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | melting shop of       |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | steel plant in the    |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | state company for     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | iron and steel, and   |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | the private           |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | companies in Iraq     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | instead of steel      |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | scrap                 |          |
|          |                   | 53.        | ERW Longitudinally Welded          | The suggested total   | Basra    |
|          |                   |            | Pipes Plant ERW                    | productivity of the   |          |
|          |                   |            | 1                                  | plant is assumed to   |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | be 150000 Ton year    |          |
|          |                   | 54.        | Seamless Pipes Plant               | The energy of         | Basra    |
|          |                   | 31.        | Scamess ripes riant                | proposed to produce   | Dusiu    |
|          |                   |            |                                    | 1                     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | pipe seamless         |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | estimated 100         |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | thousand tons per     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | year and diameters    |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | of different. Where   |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | ranging diameters     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | pipe accused          |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | produced between      |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | from 6 to 28 inch     |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | and thickness up 40   |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | mm under              |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | international or      |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    |                       |          |
|          |                   |            |                                    | equivalent.           |          |



|   |   | 55. | Construction of an electric power plant  | The power of the is (150 – 200) mega watts | Basra    |
|---|---|-----|--|--|----------|
|   |   | 56  | <ul> <li>Execute, operate, manage Steel &amp; Iron Plant</li> <li>Sponge iron fac. 1260 thousand ton/ year</li> <li>Steel fac. 1925 thousand ton/ year</li> <li>rolling mill fac. 1750 thousand ton/ year</li> </ul> |  | Basra    |
| ٩ | State company of textile & leather industry | 57. | Leather tanning for cows and buffaloes   | 1060000 foot m2                            | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 58. | Small sheep and goat tanning   | 132500 foot m2                             | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 59. | Leather cleats   | 16000 pieces                               | Baghdad/ |
|   |   | 60. | School bags  | 68000/bag                                  | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 61. | Industrial safety shoes  | 93000 pairs                                | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 62. | civilian shoes   | 1192500 pairs                              | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 63. | sport shoes  | 119250 pairs                               | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 64. | leather gloves   | 265000 pairs                               | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 65. | Industrial occupational safety suit  | 53000 pieces                               | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 66. | Different business suit  | 70000 pairs                                | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 67. | Occupational safety gloves   | 300000 pairs                               | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 68. | professional work helmet   | 50000 pairs                                | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 69. | Embroidered acrylic blanket  | 500000 blankets                            | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 70. | Acrylic woven blanket  | 326000 blankets                            | Baghdad  |
|   |   | 71. | Knitted blanket  | 450000 blankets                            | Thi qar  |
|   |   | 72. | Mattresses   | 4800                                       | Babylon  |
|   |   | 73. | Bed sheet  | 24000                                      | Babylon  |





|    |  | 74. | pillows   | 36000  | Babylon   |
|----|--|-----|---|--|-----------|
|    |  | 75. | Velvet fabrics  | 560000 meters  | Babylon   |
|    |  | 76. | Patterned cut knotted rug   | 420000   | Baghdad   |
|    |  | 77. | Patterned mechanical carpet   | 179  | Baghdad   |
|    |  | 78. | Knitted outerwear   | 744000 pieces  | Wasit     |
|    |  | 79. | socks   | 1983000 pairs  | Wasit     |
|    |  | 80. | Knitted underwear   | 2752000 pieces   | Wasit     |
|    |  | 81. | Berry headdress   | 271000 pieces  | Wasit     |
|    |  | 82. | Woven cotton fabrics  | 8750000 meters   | Wasit     |
|    |  | 83. | home towels   | 300000   | Nineveh   |
|    |  | 84. | Lady's gown   | 240000 pieces  | Nineveh   |
|    |  | 85  | Baby suit   | 480000 pieces  | Nineveh   |
|    |  | 86. | Jute bags   | 2million bags  | Babylon   |
|    |  | 87. | Men's suit  | 24000 suit   | Najaf     |
|    |  | 88. | Two – piece business suit   | 100000 suit  | Najaf     |
| 1. | The state<br>company for<br>construction<br>industries | 89  | The old qadisiyah brick factory to establish alterative industries including a factory for the production of thermostone. | Installing the thermos ton production line with a capacity of (90000) m3 annually.                             | Dewaniya  |
|    |  | 90  | Diyala brick factory for the production of pottery bricks   | Supplying and installing tow integrated lines to produce (40) million bricks annually for each line.           | Diyala    |
| 11 | The state  | 91. | Production project of passenger, light truck and agriculture tires.   | (1.550) million tires  | Najaf     |
|    | company for rubber & tires                             | 92. | Hummer tire production project  | (45) thousand tires /year  | Diwaniyah |
|    | industries   | 93  | Project for development scrap tires recycling plant   | (15) thousand<br>tons/year TPF<br>(1.2) thousand<br>tons/year reclaim<br>(6) ) thousand<br>tons/year particles | Najaf     |
|    |  | 94  | Project of producing (500,000) tire / year for radial type.   | (500) thousand tires<br>/year  | Diwaniyah |
|    |  | 95  | Project for the production of rubber pieces from waste tires which is used as fuel (TDS).                                 | 48000 ton/year   | Diwaniyah |



|    |                                | 96. | The establishment of a national laboratory to test imported and | Test (24) thousand tires/year           | Diwaniyah |
|----|--------------------------------|-----|---|---|-----------|
|    |                                |     | local tires.  | thes/year                               |           |
|    |                                | 97  | Project of production for ( off-tires –road ) (OTR).            | (60) thousand tires/year                | Diwaniyah |
|    | 98                             |     | Project for the production of                                   | (100) thousand                          | Diwaniyah |
|    |                                |     | conveyor rubber belts.  | square meters/years<br>of various sizes |           |
|    |                                | 99. | Project of production of (450) thousand big radial tires        | (450) thousand tires/year               | Diwaniyah |
| 12 | The State company for          | 100 | Glass Tableware production plant                                | 160 tons/day                            | Anbar     |
| •  | Glass & Thermal materials      | 101 | High Alumina Brick production plant                             | 1,000 ton/ year                         | Anbar     |
|    |                                | 102 | Thermal Material production plant                               | 10,000 ton/ year                        | Anbar     |
|    |                                | 103 | Sodium Carbonate production plant (soda Ash)                    | 300 tons/ day                           | Anbar     |
| 13 | The state                      | 104 | Nitrogenous fertilizer production                               | 2000 metric                             | Saladin   |
|    | company for the                |     | project   | tons/day                                |           |
|    | northern fertilizer            |     |   | Ministry of                             |           |
|    | industry/ the                  |     |   | Agriculture/ export                     |           |
|    | northern region                | 107 |   | Natural Gas                             |           |
|    |                                | 105 | Methanol production project                                     | 2000 metric                             | Saladin   |
|    |                                |     |   | tons/day Chemical Industries            |           |
|    |                                |     |   | / export                                |           |
|    |                                |     |   | Natural Gas                             |           |
|    |                                |     |   | Tracarar Gas                            |           |
| 14 | The state company for          | 106 | Rehabilitations of fertilizer plant in Abu Al-Khaseeb           | 1300TPD                                 | Basra     |
|    | fertilizers                    | 107 | Establishment of a new plant for                                | 3850 TPD                                |           |
|    | industry / the southern region |     | the urea fertilizer   |   |           |
| 15 | Mishraq Sulfur                 | 108 | Rehabilitation of Purified sulfur                               | one million Tons                        | Nineveh   |
|    | state company                  |     | Production Project  | Per year                                |           |
|    |                                | 109 | Establishment of a plant for                                    | 75,000 Tons                             | Nineveh   |
|    |                                |     | Alum production from Kaolin                                     | Per year sulfuric                       |           |
|    |                                |     | With concentrated sulfuric acid                                 |   |           |
|    |                                |     | plant   |   |           |
|    |                                | 110 | Establishment of a plant for                                    | 30,000 Tons                             | Nineveh   |
|    |                                |     | Sodium Sulfate production                                       | Per year                                |           |
|    |                                |     |   |   |           |
|    |                                |     |   |   |           |



| 1.0                       | The state        | 111 | Systems to improve the power                        | 240 unit              | Saladin  |
|---------------------------|------------------|-----|---|-----------------------|----------|
| 16                        | The state        | 111 | factor and increase the                             | ∠+0 uiiit             | Gaiduii  |
| company for communication |                  |     | performance efficiency of bower                     |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | plants various electrical energy                    |                       |          |
|                           | and power        |     | using modern technologies                           |                       |          |
|                           | equipment.       | 112 | Cathode protection (design and                      | 300 varied anode      | Saladin  |
|                           |                  |     | manufacture of materials used in                    |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | the work of systems catholic protection             |                       |          |
|                           |                  | 113 | Electricity generation project                      | Single station        | Saladin  |
|                           |                  | 113 | through trash recycling                             | capacity (mw)         |          |
|                           |                  | 114 | Plastic parts production                            | 10 m set +200 tons    | Saladin  |
|                           |                  | 115 | Design and assembly of                              | 75 unit               | Saladin  |
|                           |                  | 113 | materials and equipment for                         |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | automated control systems for                       |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | devices and machines                                | 5550 11CC             | 0.1.1    |
|                           |                  | 116 | Communication equipment production plant (UHF, VHF) | 5750 different type   | Saladin  |
|                           |                  | 115 | Assembling and producing smart                      | 100 systems           | Nineveh  |
|                           |                  | 117 | security fencing systems                            | 100 systems           | TAIRCYCH |
|                           |                  | 118 | e- governance and smart                             | Soft wares            | Nineveh  |
|                           |                  | 110 | government  |                       |          |
|                           |                  | 119 | Improving renewable energy                          |                       | Nineveh  |
|                           |                  |     | systems and high-capacity solar                     |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | energy systems                                      |                       |          |
| 17                        | Ibn Majid        | 120 | Establishment of production lines                   | The Ministry of oil   | Basra    |
|                           | company          |     | for the manufacture of oil                          |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | equipment and pipeline                              |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | accessories.  |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     |   |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | compound to build and repair                        | State Co. for the     | Basra    |
|                           |                  |     | river and marine ship.                              | Iraqi Ports, Ministry |          |
|                           |                  |     | Tiver and marine simp.                              | of Defense, Interior  |          |
|                           |                  |     |   | and private sector    |          |
| 18                        | Ur state company | 122 | Factory production of                               | 7428 tons/year        | Thi Qar  |
|                           |                  |     | aluminum bars 9.5mm                                 | ·                     |          |
|                           |                  | 123 | Factory producing polygonal and                     | 16000tons/year        | Thi Qar  |
|                           |                  | 123 | flat bars and sheets and                            | 10000tons/year        |          |
|                           |                  |     | aluminum discs works with                           |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     | continuous casting                                  |                       |          |
| 124                       |                  | 124 | Extrusion factory to produce                        | 4000 tons/year        | Thi Qar  |
|                           |                  |     | medium and small aluminum                           | _                     |          |
|                           |                  |     | clips   |                       |          |
|                           |                  | 125 | PVC section production factory                      | 2160 tons/year        | Thi Qar  |
|                           |                  | 126 | O-H-L suspended air wire                            | 7300 tons/year        | Thi Qar  |
|                           |                  |     | production factory                                  |                       |          |
|                           |                  |     |   |                       |          |



| 19 | The state company for | 127   | Production of Ferro silicon   | 25000 ton/year   | Anbar                                |
|----|-----------------------|-------|---|--|--------------------------------------|
|    | mining industries     | 128   | Production of sodium sulfate  | 50000 ton/year   | Saladin                              |
|    |                       |       | Sodium carbonate Production   | 200000 ton/year  | Baghdad                              |
|    |                       | 130   | Production of poly silicon for solar cells  | 20000 ton/year   | Baghdad                              |
|    |                       | 131   | Magnesium oxide production  | 2500 ton/year  | Basra                                |
|    |                       | 132   | Production of silicon from Iraqi sands  | 1000 ton/ year   | Baghdad                              |
|    |                       | 133   | Production of dyes and inks   | 10000 ton/year   | Baghdad                              |
|    |                       | 20. S | tate Co. for Food Industries  |  |                                      |
|    |                       | 134   | Shampoo and Detergent line  | 25000 ton/ year  | Almamon factory-<br>Baghdad          |
|    |                       | 135   | Soap line   | 3ton/ hour   | Alrasheed factory-<br>Baghdad        |
|    |                       | 136   | Soap line   | 3 ton/hour   | Almamon factory-<br>Baghdad          |
|    |                       |       | Toilet Soap Line  | 3ton/ hour   | Alameen factory-<br>Baghdad          |
|    |                       |       | Al-Ghar line  | 3ton/ hour   | Alameen factory-<br>Baghdad          |
|    |                       | 139   | Detergent line  | 5 ton/hour   | Alrasheed factory-<br>Baghdad        |
|    |                       | 140   | Washing soap  | 3ton/ hour   | Alameen factory-<br>Baghdad          |
|    |                       | 141   | Al Nasir Fac. For Cigarettes  | 396000 box/year  | Baghdad                              |
|    |                       | 142   | Sugarcane factory and farm  | 50000 ton/ year  | Missan                               |
|    |                       | 143   | Rehabilitation of sugar and yeast factory   | White sugar 3000 ton/ year Instant dry yeast 1000ton/year Ethyl alcohol 600 m³/ year | Nineveh                              |
|    |                       | 144   | CO <sub>2</sub> carbon dioxide production plant   | 10000 Kg/day   | Baghdad / al Mansour factory         |
|    |                       | 145   | Hydrogen gas production plant   | 1100m3/day   | Baghdad / al Mansour factory         |
|    |                       | 146   | Oxygen and Nitrogen production plant  | 50 ton/day   | Basra                                |
|    |                       | 147   | Oxygen Filling cylinder stations  | 1000cyl/day  | Three provinces North- middle- south |
|    |                       | 148   | Industrial Water production factory:- Anionic water production plant Radiator water production plant Cooling water production plant | 12000Lt/hr<br>12000Lt/hr<br>10000Lt/hr   | Baghdad                              |



|     |                                | 149 | infant drinking water production factory   | 6000 bottle/hr  | Baghdad    |
|-----|--------------------------------|-----|--|---|------------|
|     |                                | 150 | Modernization and development of starch industry   | 40 ton/ day   | Babylon    |
|     |                                | 151 | Healthy water production   | 2000 box/day  | Babylon    |
|     |                                | 152 | Bread flour  | 150 t/d   | Babylon    |
|     |                                | 153 | Production of gelatinous starch for oil Ministry   | 3000 ton/ year  | Babylon    |
|     |                                | 154 | Pellet feed production   | 30 ton/ day   | Babylon    |
|     |                                | 155 | Detergent line / Imam Hadi<br>(PBUH) factory   | 5 ton/hour  | Missan     |
| * 1 | Al Zawraa State<br>Company     | 156 | Manufacture of cathode protection system   | 10 systems  | Baghdad    |
|     |                                | 157 | Production of connections and joints of medium cables.   | 100,000 box/ year   | Baghdad    |
|     |                                | 158 | Solar heater production  | 10,000 heater/ year   | Baghdad    |
|     |                                | 159 | Rehabilitation and maintenance of electrical distribution transformers.  | 2000 tr/ year   | Baghdad    |
|     | 160<br>161<br>162              |     | Production and assembly of self-<br>extinguishing system.  | 25000 m3  | Baghdad    |
|     |                                |     | Production of current and voltage transformer for low and medium voltage.  | 20,000 tr./l.v .<br>current<br>50 m.v/tr. current.<br>25m.v/tr. voltage | Baghdad    |
|     |                                |     | Rehabilitation and operation of<br>the electrostatic precipitation<br>plate production line for cement<br>factory. | 10,000 plate/year   | Baghdad    |
|     |                                | 163 | Rehabilitation and operation of<br>the electrostatic precipitation<br>plate production line for cement<br>factory. | 25000 electrode<br>/year  | Baghdad    |
| 22  | Industrial Zones<br>Commission | 164 | industrial zone in Holy Najaf / 6000 donum area  |   | Holy Najaf |
|     | 165<br>166                     |     | The industrial city in Wasit / 5000 donum area   |   | wasit      |
|     |                                |     | The industrial city in Nineveh / 748 donum area  |   | Nineveh    |
|     |                                | 167 | The industrial city in Missan / 2527 donum area  |   | Missan     |
| 23  | plot                           |     | 6/41 m11 Hamdi farm  | 1291,23 m²  | Baghdad    |
| 24  | plot                           |     | 2/42 m21 Al Salam  | 2500 m <sup>2</sup>   | Baghdad    |
| 25  | Basra water Fac.               |     | Purification and filling fac. Mineral water filling fac.   | 2000m <sup>2</sup><br>2700m <sup>2</sup>                                | Basra      |

- Reference to Ministry of Industry and Minerals letter no. 10092 in 24/2/2022
- Prime ministry / Martyrs Foundation letter no. 262 in 9/2/2022



#### 8- Tourism Sector:

Tourism is considered as a social phenomenon and a pattern individual and community behaivior. it is a part of the modern civilization requirments indicator of the development and advancment in any country since



each country has tourism enhancements which surely needs hotels that eventualy need services, accordingly all tourism and hotels management teams are directed to adopt philosophies that keep pace with development and change that occur on societies.

Iraq is full of big and diversified tourism potentials. We can see different climate and landscapes, in addition to internationally and regionally competitive tourism environments. Iraq, as it is generally known, has a very ancient history with huge civilization heritage of empires that ruled Mesopotamia for thousands of years represented by various archeological sites. Regarding religious aspect, there is also religious tourism potentials represented by the religious thresholds which are considered as a polarizing point for local and regional visitors. Other tourism potentials like cultural and sport tourisms are also available represented by the sport and cultural festivals since Iraq is the country of authors, poets, artists and athletes.

- 1- In 2018, the number of the workers in the tourism and hotels sector was (8.920) worker who served in (1.666) hotel and tourism entity distributed over most of the Iraqi provinces knowing that most of the tourism entities are located in (Karbala, Najaf and Baghdad)
- 2- The number of guests who used hotels and tourist accommodation complexes during 2018 was (6,097,036) guests, mostly in (Baghdad, Karbala and Najaf).

<sup>\*</sup>Source/letter of the Ministry of Planning/Department of Regional and Local Development No. 17867 on 3/8/2021



# **Available Investment Opportunities in Tourism Sector**

| no | Project name           | Allocated land/   | Province   |
|----|------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| 1  | Military Canal project | Rusafa/ 23km      | Baghdad    |
| 2  | Grand dam site         | 364 dunum         | Diyala     |
| 3  | Babylon Hotel          | 12 dunum - 16 ulk | Babylon    |
| 4  | Mousil Hotel land      | 20 dunum - 24 ulk | Nineveh    |
| 5  | Nineveh Hotel          | 22 dunum - 18 ulk | Nineveh    |
| 6  | Sawah Lake             | 60 dunum          | Al-Muthana |
| 7  | Luna park              | 10 dunum          | Al-Muthana |
| 8  | Najaf hotel land       | 19 dunum - 24 ulk | Najaf      |
| 9  | Al Salam hotel land    | 11 dunum - 13 ulk | Najaf      |
| 10 | Ain Tamr Spa           | 5 dunum -45 ulk   | Karbala    |
| 11 | Safwan motel           | 7 dunum -20ulk    | Basrah     |
| 12 | Al Nikhaib motel       | 1500m²            | Anbar      |

• Ministry of Culture letter – Tourism Commission 1068 in 21/1/2019



# **Available Investment Opportunities in Tourism Sector**

# **In the Provinces**

| No. | Project                              | Location                           | Allocated Land/<br>dunam | Province   |
|-----|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| 1   | Hotel                                | Tikrit City Center                 | 16                       | Saladin    |
| 2   | Tourism project on the Tigress banks | Tikrit City Center                 | 30                       | Saladin    |
| 3   | Tourism City                         | Tikrit City Center                 | 40                       | Saladin    |
| 4   | Tourism location                     | Tikrit City Center                 | 35                       | Saladin    |
| 5   | Luna park                            | Tikrit City Center                 | 48                       | Saladin    |
| 6   | Luna park                            | Jalawlaa 111/15/34 Koshek          | 10                       | Diyala     |
| 7   | Luna park                            | 1334/ Al Uroba                     | 8                        | Diyala     |
| 8   | Luna park                            | 23/899/27 Al Rakaa/ Al<br>Muqdadya | 26                       | Diyala     |
| 9   | Tourist city                         | Aziziya 1/188/m19                  | 5                        | Wasit      |
| 10  | Casino & Rest                        | 1/648 Azizya                       | 4                        | Wasit      |
| 11  | Luna park                            | 12/13 Al Hay                       | 19                       | Wasit      |
| 12  | Damlaj marshes                       | Between Wasit and Dewaniya         | Wide areas               | Wasit      |
| 13  | Luna park and parks                  | 11/918 Jassan                      | 6                        | Wasit      |
| 14  | Hotel                                | Trade center plot 27/13625         | -                        | Holy Najaf |
| 15  | 5 stars hotel                        | Plot 1 Dis. 1 Najaf sea            | 25                       | Holy Najaf |
| 16  | Hotel and indoors pool               | Al Salam Q.                        | 11                       | Holy Najaf |







#### 10. Education Sector

Sustainable development concept is always at the forefront of the international community interests, and since people has always occupied the first priority among the sustainable development factors, international world gave more importance to paying strong attention to develop the mental abilities and learning opportunities for human beings making education a human right for each individual in the society guaranteed by all international laws. The education standards in any country are seen as a measure for its advancement and development. In Iraq; laws guarantee the opportunity of obtaining good education for all Iraqis.

Education is still one of the greatest concerns of countries and despite the big progress in the primary education and the increase in the numbers of pupils joining schools and anti- illiteracy movements, big efforts are still being made increasingly to improve education quality by the government and it is still a big challenge for the developing countries including Iraq to keep pace with the intellectual advancement and skill development starting from pre schools to university levels.

Iraq is one of the most important countries that gave special attention to education system since the mid twentieth century, as it owns many reliable universities which are listed among the best ones in the Arab region. Iraqi universities were established in the beginning of the second half of the twentieth century starting with Baghdad University in 1957, Mustansyriah University 1963, whereas other universities were established after 1980 like University of Technology, Basra University, Mosul University, Sulaimanyah University in addition to a number of technical institutes. Iraq is in need for many educational institutions to meet the increasing demand as a result of population growth, which provides investors with great opportunities to invest in this sector.







# **Available Investment Opportunities at Education Sector**

| no | University name                                      | Plot no.                                    | Area                              | Ownership<br>Type  | Investment opportunity  |
|----|--|---|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| 1  | Al Hamdaniya<br>University/<br>Mosul                 | 1-125<br>district 139<br>Eastern<br>Bertila | 5 dumun<br>2 ulk                  | Ministry of Finance Approvals for allocation are completed                                     | <ul><li>1- Multipurpose stadium</li><li>2- Sport hall and pool</li></ul>  |
|    |  | 2-127<br>district 139<br>Eastern<br>Bertila | 2 dumun<br>2 ulk                  | Ministry of<br>Finance<br>Approvals for<br>allocation are<br>completed                         | <ul><li>3- Language and computer learning center</li><li>4- Investment commercial Center</li></ul>  |
| 2  | Al Qadisiya<br>University<br>Al Qadisiya<br>Province | 4/4175<br>M1/ Um Al<br>Khail                | 1 donum                           | Governmental   | Surgical Research Center  |
|    |  | 37/21 Al<br>Noriya                          | 265 donum                         | Agriculture  | Cows and poultry farm   |
|    |  | 9/5 M1/ Um<br>Al Khail                      | 1200 donum                        | Educational  | Students Club in Arts<br>Collage  |
|    |  | 9/7 M1/ Um<br>Al Khail                      | 1225 m²                           | Educational  | Printing Shop   |
| 3  | Holly Karbala<br>University                          | 1/1359                                      | 400 donum                         | Agriculture,<br>owned by the<br>Ministry of<br>Finance,<br>allocated for<br>our Ministry       | Kindergarten and nursery Swimming pool Club and services center for dormitories Residential area for employees in the university Printing and publishing shop |
| 4  | 4 Al Kufa<br>University                              | 3/88267<br>dis.4 Jezeera                    | 435 domun 22<br>ulk               | Ministry of<br>Higher<br>Education /<br>established<br>university                              | Nursery     Nursing center     Manufacturing,     production, assembling     of PC Tech, teaching and     programing     Drugs factory                        |
|    |  | 31 M 15 / Al<br>Fahal                       | 2 domun 22 ulk<br>50m²            | Agriculture,<br>owned by the<br>Ministry of<br>Finance,<br>allocated for<br>Kufa<br>University | Drugs factory   |
|    |  |   | 4 domun 3 ulk<br>50m²             |  | Manufacturing,<br>production, assembling of<br>PC Tech, teaching and<br>programing  |
|    |  |   | 1 domun 6 ulk<br>50m <sup>2</sup> | Agriculture/<br>Vocational<br>Teaching<br>Institute  | Research, educational and production laboratory for various types of fodder   |



|   |                             |                             | 11 domun 23<br>ulk 50m <sup>2</sup>  |   | A research, educational and production laboratory for dairy and foodstuffs |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|
|   |                             | Plot 49<br>district 26      | 1 donum<br>10                        | Agriculture/<br>Vocational<br>Teaching<br>Institute               | Research and educational laboratory for various types of fodder            |
|   |                             | Plot 49<br>district 26      | 14 donum<br>8 ulk                    | Agriculture/<br>Vocational<br>Teaching<br>Institute               | A research and educational laboratory for dairy and foodstuffs             |
|   |                             | ½ dis. 26<br>Alo Madhi      | 4 donum 18 ulk<br>15m <sup>2</sup>   | Al Kufa<br>University<br>presidency                               | Culture Center   |
|   |                             | 3/88267<br>dis.4 Jeseera    | 435 donum 22<br>ulk                  | Ministry of<br>Higher<br>Education /<br>established<br>university | Students Club  |
| 5 | Thi Qar<br>university       | 33/8                        | 379 donum 2<br>ulk<br>70 donum       | Property<br>Under<br>allocation                                   | <ul><li>Olympic pool</li><li>Educational hospital 100 beds</li></ul>       |
| 6 | Babylon university          | 1/3474/M 17<br>Tajiya       | 1300 m²                              | Babylon university  | Educational environment and research Center                                |
|   | J                           | 1/3474/M 17<br>Tajiya       | 2400 m²                              | Babylon<br>university   | Central Students Club  |
|   |                             | 1/12908/M<br>17 Tajiya      | 12500 m <sup>2</sup>                 | Agriculture   | Educational pools and multipurpose halls                                   |
|   |                             | 24/17859<br>M11<br>Waisiya  | 8700 m²                              | Plot  | Medical research center, educational labs                                  |
| 7 | Mustansiriya<br>University/ | 19/9013 dis.<br>1 Al Khir   | None                                 | None  |  |
|   | Baghdad                     | 16/18 dis. 16<br>Saba Abkar | None                                 | Teachers Institute Education Ministry                             |  |
|   |                             | 3/3454 dis.3<br>Wazeriys    | None                                 | University property   | Study center   |
|   |                             | 6/5841 dis. 3<br>Wazeriys   | (80000*2800)<br>m <sup>2</sup>       | University property   | Bank facility in Economic and Administration Collage                       |
|   |                             | 3/3501 dis. 3<br>Wazeriys   | 15 donum<br>The second<br>12.8 donum | University property   | Administration and IT Development Center Printing Shop                     |
|   |                             | 6/58844<br>dis.5 Silakh     |                                      | University property   |  |



#### 11. Services Sector

Services provision is considered as one of the main factors for a successful investment environment, so GOI has been serious to pay much attention to provide best services as it plays an essential role to achieve productivity and social stability.

The Government of Iraq has always sought to ensure the provision of good services and infrastructure and to display investment opportunities to the private sector with circulating a number of successful policies and programs in this regard.

After the restriction to regional traditional markets, Iraq markets have witnessed a big expansion with a shift in consumption, purchasing and entertainment patterns due to opening investment doors to this vital sector and the orientation towards constructing new commercial centers the matter that led to the large increase in the number of the commercial malls in the last three years with more new ones that are still under construction. Services sector participation in GPD is around 10% in fixed prices 2017.





### $\label{lem:company} \textbf{Available investment opportunities in the State Company for Food Trade}$

| No. | Plot no.  | Area   | Location                                       | Notes  |
|-----|---|--|--|--|
| 1   | 1/7099 dis. 4<br>Wazeriya   | 7 donum<br>4 ulk<br>99.25m <sup>2</sup>                      | Baghdad/ Jamela/ Al<br>Sadir                   | Commercial location with available servicesit has its issues   |
| 2   | 8/9 dis.19<br>8/15 dis.19<br>8/8 dis.19<br>8/7 dis.19<br>8/6 dis.19<br>8/5 dis.19 | 4 donum13 ulk 39m² 20 ulk 20 ulk 20 ulk 20 ulk 20 ulk 20 ulk | Shamaiya/ Al Ubaidy<br>Stores Ghadad –Al Sadir | Within Al Ubaidy industrial zone with damaged stores due to explosion  |
| 3   | Al Sadir Sales<br>Center Stores   | Area for each roofed plot 1080m <sup>2</sup>                 | Baghdad – Kasra &<br>Atash                     | First hall has 4 roofed plots with total area 4320m <sup>2</sup> Second hall has 3 roofed plots with total area 3280 m <sup>2</sup>  |
| 4   | 1/406 dis.27<br>Hamamiyat   | 98 donum   | Badghdad / Taji                                | near the main street, Baghdad-Mosul Road, the Al-Makhzani complex in Al-Taji, less than a kilometer from schools and health centers, and the northern and southern parts of the plot, with an area of 22 and 15 acres. |
| 5   | 25/2694 dis. 5  | 2.4 donum out of 50 donum                                    | Dewaniya/ Shanafiya<br>Um Al Abasiyat          | Warehouse compound, reception and guarding HQ  |
| 6   | 19/1409 dis. 18   | 1 donum  | Dewaniya Sadir Al<br>Yousfiya                  | Near the main road Efak- Dewaniya near a residential area 5 km away from health centers and schools  |
| 7   | 8/141 dis. 2  | 1 donum  | Dewaniya / Albo Salih                          | In the industrial zone near the main road Dewaniya- Semawa   |
| 8   | 24/14420 dis. 11  | 7 donum<br>16 ulk<br>22.88m²                                 | Babylon/ Al Waisiya                            | Near the main road<br>Hilla- Najaf, close to<br>storage houses belongs<br>to the Minstry of<br>Agriculture- 5km from<br>health care centers and<br>schools   |



| 9  | 47/12 dis. 8                  | 130 donum           | Babylon/ Al Aliya and<br>Khamrawiya   | 2 km from the main<br>road Babylon – Najaf-<br>10 km to the left side of<br>Babylon University   |
|----|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 10 | 3/8510 dis. 61                | 4 donum             | Karbala/ Jezera                       | 500 m from Karbala-<br>Najaf road<br>No buildings<br>500 m from residential<br>area<br>1 km from health care<br>centers and schools  |
| 11 | 3/5751 dis. 67<br>jezera      | 2 donum             | Karbala/ Jezera                       | Near our company's branch No buildings   |
| 12 | 83/28706 dis. 47              | 80 donum            | Anbar/ haswa/Al<br>Shamiya/ Al Rumadi | Outside municipality<br>boarders near the<br>highway with no<br>buildings and not<br>included in services ,far<br>from markets and<br>schools                              |
| 13 | 163/344 dis. 21               | 1 donum             | Anbar/ Aziziya/ Al Hoz                | Included in services, inside city center of Ramadi, no buildings near healthcare center, schools and markets   |
| 14 | 23/24 dis. 6                  | 25 donum            | Muthana/ Abo Mahar/<br>Semawa         | 500 m from the main road Semawa/ Nasriya near the warehouse complex for our company no buildings included in services but far from healthcare centers, markets and schools |
| 15 | 23/29 dis. 6                  | 17 donum 4 ulk 75m² | Muthana/ Abo Mahar                    | State Company for<br>Food Trade / 17 extra<br>stores   |
| 16 | 9/108 dis. 36<br>Dhamin River | 40 donum            | Wasit                                 | 500 m form the main<br>road left to checkpoint<br>Baghdad- Wasit, no<br>buildings  |
| 17 | 1/2438 dis. 39                | 20 ulk 2m           | Wasit/ Al Hora                        | Governmental facilities  |
| 18 | 22/6 dis. 4<br>Ibrameen river | 50 donum            | Kenaan – Diyala                       | A plot of land within Kanaan store complex - The complex is located on the road linking Baquba District and Kanaan District.   |

| 19 | 25/760 dis. 1<br>east Shefta     | 1 donum 7 ulk         | Diyala- Tahreer        | The front facade of the company's headquarters building / Diyala branch / located on a commercial public street that can be used to build shops.                            |
|----|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---|
| 20 | 1/ 2461 dis. 3<br>Jezeera/ Najaf | 2 donum               | Najaf                  | Old building with 4<br>stores on the road Kufa-<br>Najaf  |
| 21 | 10/1368 dis. 5<br>Al Uofiya      | 9 donum 14 ulk        | Missan - Al Uofiya     | The plot is near Missan branch and is one kilometer away from the main street, Emara-Basra road. No buildings and about 3 km away from health centers, schools and markets. |
| 22 | 7/1016 Telkaif                   | 10 ulk (1000)m²       | Nineveh                | The plot is near the Armenian Church. It was allocated to be sold to the church whom did not pay, the sale was canceled and currently there is a lawsuit against them.      |
| 23 | 18×40 m²                         |                       | Kirkuk – Co. branch HQ | 4 extra store halls   |
| 24 | 192 & 1/223<br>Shaterloo         |                       | Kirkuk                 |   |
| 25 | 75/191 Utaifiya                  | 635.25 m <sup>2</sup> | Baghdad                |   |





# **State Company for Central Markets**

| No. | Name                         | Area                 | Location  | Plot & dis.              |
|-----|------------------------------|----------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1   | Maysan Central Market        | 5982.9m²             | Maysan province<br>Emara city center<br>Siria district<br>Strategic location, in good shape | 27 Siria<br>district     |
| 2   | Al Faw Central Market        | 12800m²              | Basra Province<br>Al Faw District   | 3343.2 m2                |
| 3   | Al Simawa plot               | 4950 m <sup>2</sup>  | Al Muthana Province Unused plot in an excellent locating in city center                     | 133.2 m7                 |
| 4   | Karbala Central Market       | 3648m²               | Karbala City center, Abasiya zone   | 86.25<br><b>Abasiya</b>  |
| 5   | Al Aamil Market plot         | 24700m²              | Crowded area along side to BIAP   | 7992.19 Al<br>Khir       |
| 6   | Al Salhiya Central<br>Market | 10955 m²             | Near Al Sinak Brg.  | 44.2<br>Karada<br>Maryam |
| 7   | Al Shaab Central Market      | 26565 m <sup>2</sup> | Crowded popular area  | 4.753 m5                 |



#### 11. Youth and Sport Sector:

Youth and Sport Sector provides essential services for a successful investment environment, therefore; the government is keen to secure this sector to provide services and care for youth since this sector has a great importance in increasing productivity and achieving stability and welfare for youth.

The government has sought to provide services and infrastructure in addition to providing investment opportunities for private sector to participate in developing this vital sector. The government has launched several policies and successful programs as Iraq's youth witnessed an intellectual expansion and a real desire to develop sport.

Different investment areas have been launched in this sector especially with the trend toward establishing new youth centers and forums which increased the number of these centers significantly over the last three years noting that there are several projects that are under implementation in this sector.









## Investment Opportunities of Youth and Sport Sector announced by the Ministry of Youth and Sport

| NO  | Project Name   | Location                        | Area                                    | Province             |
|-----|--|---------------------------------|---|----------------------|
| 1.  | Multistory project. balling hall, billiard or PC center, electronic games, multipurpose indoors hall or commercial complex shops for sports supplies,  | 17/663 m2 Zafaraniya            | 8 ulk 9.12 m²                           | Baghdad/Russafa      |
| 2.  | Multipurpose yard for youth and sport activities.  | 1064/1 m 6                      |   | Baghdad/Russafa      |
| 3.  | Multipurpose yard for youth and sport activities.  | 6/3041 m 10 Husainiya           | 8 dunum 15 ulk                          | Baghdad/Russafa      |
| 4.  | Complete project with ideal playground, seats and admin office   | 1/12909 m 9 Thaalba             | 4 dunum 22 ulk<br>85 m²                 | Baghdad/Russafa      |
| 5.  | Taekwondo and sports halls   | 6/4092 m19 Shamaia and<br>Karra | 1 dunem 15 ulk                          | Baghdad/Russafa      |
| 6.  | Completing the pool building   | 30/7 m 18 nothern<br>Harkawi    | 8 dunum 13 ulk                          | Baghdad/ Karkh       |
| 7.  | Sport area   | 5/39 m 11 Hamdi farm            | 15 ulk                                  | Baghdad/Russafa      |
| 8.  | Establishment of a multi-<br>purpose hall (500)<br>spectators with a center for<br>intellectual games or an<br>Internet center, or the<br>establishment of (k-SPAN)<br>halls of type (a,b) three<br>specialized centers for<br>sports medicine to treat<br>sports injuries. Completing<br>the construction of the pool | 5/849 m 22 Al Sabiyat           | 2.3 dunum                               | Baghdad/ Karkh       |
| 9.  | Completion of the swimming pool  | 1150/1 m 15 Latifiya            | 4 dunum, 2 Ulk<br>and 40 m <sup>2</sup> | Baghdad / Karkh      |
| 10. | Expansion, development, management, operation and maintenance of the stadium and investment of halls for sports purposes (there is a rental property on part of the plot)  | 4/67169 m 4                     | 20739 m²                                | Baghdad / Sadir City |



| 11. | Management, operation and maintenance of the establishment of a commercial mall, a martial arts center hall, a medical center, development, management, operation and maintenance of the closed hall. The hall can be invested for events, expansion, development and roofing of the swimming pool, management, operation and maintenance of the swimming pool, and the investment of the empty space for sports purposes | 4/28167 m 4 Wazeriya                      | 13 bunum 5ulk<br>12m²                              | Baghdad / Sadir City                       |
|-----|---|---|--|--|
| 12. | contains two floors of apartments with shops  Expansion, development, management and operation of the swimming pool and investment of the empty space for sporting purposes   | 4/226<br>4/2522 m4 Waziriyah              | 7 Ulk and 20 m <sup>2</sup> 3161.25 m <sup>2</sup> | Baghdad / Sadir City  Baghdad / Sadir City |
| 14. | (there is a lease contract on part of the plot)  Sport investment   | 4/100 m 5 Um AlTelool                     | 2 Dunam  | Al Muthana                                 |
| 15. | Sports investment use the arena close to the sports arena in building investment facility the investor considers appropriate and preferably a sport facility  | & Jelaja<br>56/1289 m 19 Um Al<br>Asafeer | 3 Dunam 16 ulk                                     | Al Muthana                                 |
| 16. | Sports investment using the coffee shop, electronic library, sports halls, pool, kids pool, indoors hall and outdoors playgrounds   | 56/1386 m 19 Um Al<br>Asafeer             | 5 dunem 16 ulk                                     | Al Muthana                                 |
| 17. | Sport investment  | 5/9 m 17 Al Houashly                      | 13 donum 16 ulk                                    | Al Muthana                                 |
| 18. | Youth club and sports medical center  | 2/1 m 5 Um AlTelool<br>&Jelaja            | 5 Dunam  | Al Muthana                                 |
| 19. | Multipurpose Sports<br>investment (youth house<br>near Semawa municipality)   | 2/1 m 5 Um AlTelool<br>&Jelaja            | 1 Dunam  | Al Muthana                                 |



| 20. | Swimming Pool rehabilitation of the building to be used as sports shops.   | 18/523 m3                     | 1 Dunam 4 ulk                    | Al Muthana |
|-----|--|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------|
| 21. | Sports halls and facilities  | 70/4 m22 16/1 m22 Al<br>Amiya | 2 Dunam 16 ulk<br>3 Dunam 12 ulk | Al Muthana |
| 22. | Club, playgrounds and pool   | 440                           | 6 dunum                          | Al Muthana |
| 23. | Investment of swimming pools and exploitation of the empty land for the establishment of tourist hotel and paradise of Aden, multi-purpose halls and tourist facilities.   | 72952                         | 60 dunem                         | Holy Najaf |
| 24. | Constructing a closed swimming pool, multipurpose hall, shops and any other facilities   | 2/17229                       | 2 dunem 6 ulk                    | Holy Najaf |
| 25. | Rehabilitation of stadium and use the rest of the land for sport facilities  | 2498/2                        | 21 dunem 8 ulk                   | Holy Najaf |
| 26. | Rehabilitation of stadium and use the rest of the land for sport facilities  | 1/733                         | 12 dunem                         | Holy Najaf |
| 27. | Tourist hotel 6 floors + shops and sports  | 1426                          | 5 ulk and 10 m <sup>2</sup>      | Holy Najaf |
| 28. | One floor for delegations  | 1427                          | 5 ulk and 20 m <sup>2</sup>      | Holy Najaf |
| 29. | Removal of the building and use of lands for the construction of multipurpose sports halls, recreational swimming pools, the Garden of Eden, a developed games city, five-a-side playgrounds, and any facility that serves the youth | 3/9094 m4 Najaf Island        | 3 dunums and 13 ulk              | Holy Najaf |
| 30. | Sport area   | 1/1580 m 3 Al Haswa           | 1 dunem 17 ulk 77m²              | Holy Najaf |
| 31. | Rehabilitation of stadium and use the rest of the land for sport facilities  | 19/1328                       | 14 dunem<br>1000m²               | Holy Najaf |
| 32. | Multipurpose hall , pool any other sport facility  | 6/40 m7 Al Saheela            | 1 dunem 5 ulk                    | Holy Najaf |



| 33. | Al hashmiya stadium (2500) spectators already exist. Investment vision seeks expansion, development, operating and invest the stadium with the surrounding area  | 92/7 m 37 Al Shurfa & Al<br>Hashmiya                         | 11 Dunam 14<br>ulk 68m²   | Babylon |
|-----|--|--|---|---------|
| 34. | Re-expand, develop,<br>operate and invest the sport<br>hall  | 1179/1 m 13 Abo Sdera center                                 | 2 Dunam 4 ulk   | Babylon |
| 35. | Re-expand, develop,<br>operate and invest the sport<br>hall  | 224/24 m 30 Al Qasim<br>(Jotheriya)                          | 60×50 m²  | Babylon |
| 36. | Babylon stadium  | 128+126/1 m14 south<br>Jumjuma<br>112/1 m19 north<br>Jumjuma | -11 Dunam 18<br>ulk 25m <sup>2</sup><br>-2 Dunam 2 ulk<br>26.30m <sup>2</sup><br>-3 Dunam 2 ulk<br>50m <sup>2</sup> | Babylon |
| 37. | Rehabilitation of the Tartan Squares and the sports halls, or (establishing a commercial shopping center for the purchase of sports and youth supplies, since the site is located in the middle of the Musayyib district). | 39/28 m/19 Talaa   | 11 Ulk and<br>69.18 m2  | Babylon |
| 38. | Sports complex   | 17/336 m 37  | 1 dunum 3 ulk<br>80.94 m²   | Babylon |
| 39. | Al Musaiab stadium   | 105/9 m 17 Jelawiya  | 16 dunem  | Babylon |
| 40. | Plot for spots activities  | 5/64 m9 Hour Husain  | 6 dunem   | Babylon |
| 41. | plot   | 17/1156 m24 Zurfiya  | 6 dunem 22 ulk  | Babylon |
| 42. | Artificial grass play ground   | 1/2051 Al Bidaa Al<br>Kabeer                                 | 24 ulk 26m²   | Babylon |
| 43. | Oil building   | 8/787 m 17 Shakha &<br>Ouda                                  | 14 ulk 76m²   | Babylon |
| 44. | Sport complex  | 17/336 m 37  | 1 Dunam 3 ulk<br>80.94m²  | Babylon |
| 45. | Investment of stadium for football championships and shops for sports equipment  | 10/3/ m 27 Al Rakaa  | 20 dunem  | Diyala  |
| 46. | Investment of stadium for football championships and shops for sports equipment  | 3/22 m4 Al bazool  | 5 dunem   | Diyala  |



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| 47. | Investment of stadium for football championships   | 1059/9 m 18 Al<br>Uthmaniya    |  | Diyala       |
| 48. | Investment of stadium for football championships   | 2/546 m82 Qasab                | 3417 m²                                  | Diyala       |
| 49. | Investment of stadium for football championships   | 2/3928 m1 Sati                 | 3000 m²                                  | Diyala       |
| 50. | Investment of stadium for football championships   | 82 m51 Sindiya                 | 6 dunem 21 ulk                           | Diyala       |
| 51. | Investment of stadium for football championships   | 3/277 m39 Khirnabat            | 11250 m²                                 | Diyala       |
| 52. | water city   | 2/10578 m 27 Al Katoon         | 25 dunem                                 | Diyala       |
| 53. | Investment in the construction of a playground or indoor swimming pool   | 23/2103 m31 Um Al<br>Karami    | 7 dunem                                  | Diyala       |
| 54. | Investment in sports city, tourist resort and water city.  | Part of plot 2m 21<br>Meherdar | 914 dunem 20<br>ulk                      | Diyala       |
| 55. | Penta playground in youth committee  | 315/1603 m 54 Qara Tepa        | 11 ulk 58 m²                             | Diyala       |
| 56. | Olympic stadium, penta playground, sports hall, other sports activities  | 1/2028 m 57 Elaibat            | 1 dunum 97.5m <sup>2</sup>               | Diyala       |
| 57. | Plot next to the Youth<br>House  | 3/1221 m 19 Khan Al<br>Lulu    | 684 m²                                   | Diyala       |
| 58. | It can be invested in the establishment of football tournaments  | 1/1165 m 1 Sherwin             | 2950 m <sup>2</sup>                      | Diyala       |
| 59. | Establishment of a housing complex for employees,  | 55 m 1 east of Shafa           | 1 dunum, 22 ulk<br>and 50 m <sup>2</sup> | Diyala       |
| 60. | Tartat Square, Bani Saad<br>Youth Forum, ,   | 120 m 9, Bani Saad             | 31 ×50 m²                                | Diyala       |
| 61. | It can be invested as a sports forum for the establishment of sports activities, and it can be invested as a cultural forum, event halls, billiards halls, and electronic game halls | 5/10 m 27 Al-Rikaa'            | 10 dunum                                 | Diyala       |
| 62. | Swimming Pool  | 3/2936 m61                     | 5 dunem 4 ulk                            | Holy Karbala |
| 63. | Indoor swimming pool, sport hall and football field  | 1/4793 m 21 Al Haideriya       | 5 dunem 21 ulk                           | Holy Karbala |
| 64. | Sport investment   | 26/428 m 51                    | 6 dunem 10 ulk                           | Holy Karbala |



| 65. | Tourism spa and Luna park  | 3/51839 m 61 Al Jezeera   | 60 dunem 11ulk   | Holy Karbala |
|-----|--|---|--|--------------|
|     |  |   | 44m²   | · ·          |
| 66. | football field or Various sports activities  | 3/51848 m 61 Jezeera  | 5 dunem 1 ulk  | Holy Karbala |
| 67. | Various sports activities  | 880/1 Atiya   | 3 dunem  | Holy Karbala |
| 68. | sport investment (football field)  | 3/1511 m 21 Al Haideriya  | Part of total area<br>8 dunem 24 ulk   | Holy Karbala |
| 69. | Total investment for the hall with any other additions   | 1/980 m 67 Hashmiya   | 1 dunem 20ulk  | Holy Karbala |
| 70. | Karbala Olympic<br>Swimming Pool   | 3/51859 m 61 Jezeera  | Swimming pool 5068 m <sup>2</sup> + empty space in front of the swimming pool 1984.5 | Holy Karbala |
| 71. | Possibility of establishing a pentagonal square, Gym and a celebration hall  | 5/798 m 77 Tarfaya  | 2 dunum 16 ulk   | Holy Karbala |
| 72. | Mall   | 50/1 m 27 Abo Aseed   | 963 m²   | Holy Karbala |
| 73. | It shall be a total investment for the hall or any addition provided by the investor to serve the objectives of the ministry | 26/428 m 51   | 6 dunums 10<br>dunum   | Holy Karbala |
| 74. | Artificial grass play yard with seats  | Ramadi- Zangoora<br>83/38654 m 47 haswa Al<br>Shamiya               | 5 dunem  | Anbar        |
| 75. | Artificial grass play yard with spectators seats   | Ramadi- Al Dewar near<br>Al Irada school 74/146 m<br>37 Karghooliya | 9 dunem  | Anbar        |
| 76. | Artificial grass play yard with spectators seats   | Ramadi – Zangoora<br>35/102 m 39 Al Dewar                           | 4 dunem  | Anbar        |
| 77. | Artificial grass play yard with spectators seats   | Al Khaldiya – habaniya<br>40/1353 m 47 haswa Al<br>Shamiya          | 30 dunem   | Anbar        |
| 78. | Sport city in Habaniya   | Habaniya 4/1364 m 47<br>haswa Al Shamiya                            | 600 dunem  | Anbar        |
| 79. | Olympic swimming pool  | Ramadi- Soufiya 7/4 m<br>77 Soufiya beaches                         | 9 dumen  | Anbar        |
| 80. | Artificial grass play ground with spectators seats   | 29/24 m 12 Albo Ubaid   | 7 dumen  | Anbar        |
| 81. | Indoors hall 1000 spectators   | 66/6020 m 4 Zeweaa Al<br>Dhiban                                     | 2 dumen 20 ulk   | Anbar        |
| 82. | Artificial grass play ground with spectators seats   | Ramadi- Zeweaa Al<br>Sherqiya 1/5127 m 37 Al<br>Jeel                | 16 dunem   | Anbar        |



| 83.  | Sport playground 15000   | 40/643 m 29 Tel Al  | 30 dunem                | Anbar   |
|------|--|---|-------------------------|---------|
| 84.  | spectators  Artificial grass play ground   | Riyian  Heet- Yatamiya/ between                                 | 7 dunem 12 ulk          | Anbar   |
| 01.  | with spectators seats  | Heet and Hadetha 40/3 m<br>27                                   | , dulielli 12 dik       | Tilloui |
| 85.  | Establishment of Al-<br>Baghdadi Youth Forum<br>Model B  | 223/1173 m 48 Janftah<br>and Al-Waqsiyah                        |                         | Anbar   |
| 86.  | Rehabilitation of the swimming pool and its roofing, rehabilitation of stadiums and sports halls, and construction of a recreational complex | 9/2653 m 12   | 15 dunums and<br>17 Ulk | Anbar   |
| 87.  | Construction of a<br>swimming pool, a<br>playground and sports halls<br>+ a university building  | 162/5092 m 28   | 7 bunum and 24<br>ulk   | Anbar   |
| 88.  | Sports project   | 9/2654 m2 Mabadyat and<br>Hammadi                               | 2 dunums and 4<br>Ulk   | Anbar   |
| 89.  | Sport project  | 9/5615 m1   | 5 dunem 21 ulk          | Anbar   |
| 90.  | Rehabilitation of the hall to support sports   | 83/18909 m 47 haswat al<br>shamiya                              | 3 dunum                 | Anbar   |
| 91.  | Pool and spots fields  | 9/28950 m1 Jubail<br>Kharab                                     | 12 dunem 6 ulk          | Anbar   |
| 92.  | 10 sports shops  | 55/3469 m 21 Deyom Al<br>Rayhana                                |                         | Anbar   |
| 93.  | Youth & Sport Club   | City Center near to retirement office 10/723 m5 Shesheen Valley | 7 dumen 21 ulk          | Saladin |
| 94.  | Al Hajaj Playground  | Town Center 44/22m<br>Hasad & Kooz                              | Different areas         | Saladin |
| 95.  | Al Dour Playground   | 162/1672 m32 Tal Al<br>Banat                                    | Different areas         | Saladin |
| 96.  | Saad Playground  | 49/5764 m34   | Different areas         | Saladin |
| 97.  | Old Art House  | City center 2/2413/2 m 7<br>Mtarda                              | 1 dunum 7 ulk           | Saladin |
| 98.  | Hotel for sport delegation   | 4484 Al Sharqiya  | 18 ulk 2m²              | Saladin |
| 99.  | Touz Playground  | Touz 1/47 m Basas   | Different areas         | Saladin |
| 100. | multi-purpose hall, sports,<br>scientific and cultural<br>activities   | 2/14852 m 7 Matarda   | 1 dunem 5 ulk           | Saladin |
| 101. | Sport city   | 7425/1 m45 Un Hilana  | 20 dunem                | Wasit   |



| 102. | Plot  | 248/104 M28 Jaisimiyah   | 9 dunum         | Wasit  |
|------|---|--|-----------------|--------|
| 103. | Penta playground with accessories   | Wasit – Aziziya near<br>Baghdad –Kut main road<br>7/1 m19 Al Ashar                   | 5 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 104. | Plot in Zurbatiya Penta playground with services                                      | Wasit- Badra- Zurbatiya<br>part of plot 1/95 1/<br>Jezman                            | 4 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 105. | A plot of land within the Badra Wasit Forum   | Badra District - Jassan<br>District 31/925 11/ Al-<br>Sakli and Al-Dayer             | 2 dunum         | Wasit  |
| 106. | Indoor hall with services   | Wasit Al Hay Baasher 1/30 /16 Bahiya   | 2 dunem 16 ulk  | Wasit  |
| 107. | Indoor hall   | Wasit- Deboni 2-<br>294/29532 Al Deboni  | 2 dunem 6 ulk   | Wasit  |
| 108. | Plot within Muafaqiya<br>playground   | 1/ 1463 8/Khamesiya<br>(Al Muafaqiya<br>playground)                                  | 1 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 109. | Swimming pool, penta play ground in Dejely district                                   | Kut- Dejely district<br>15/1443 47 Nisf<br>AlDejely (Dejely<br>playground)           | 6 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 110. | Sport city,   | Al Hawraa near the<br>Tigress and the residential<br>complex 7425/1 m45 Um<br>Hilana | 4 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 111. | Sport city 2000 spectators  | 7425/1 m45 Um Hilana   | 4 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 112. | Old playground (Al<br>Numaniya old playground)<br>5000 people                         | Wasit- Numaniya 6/2535/<br>18 Al Baghela   | 23 dunem 7 ulk  | Wasit  |
| 113. | Baasher stadium 500 people artificial grass and a five-lane arena                     | 1/26 m 16 Bahiya   | 10 dunem 19 ulk | Wasit  |
| 114. | plot  | 166/3 m46 Naseef Al<br>Dejaila   | 3 dunem         | Wasit  |
| 115. | Shehaimiya stadium  | 2/1840 m6 Jazeera  | 12 dunem 5 ulk  | Wasit  |
| 116. | Wasit Olympic stadium   | 1/5 m 46 Naseef Al<br>Dejaila  |                 | Wasit  |
| 117. | Penta playground  | Wasit/ Kut/ Al Jihad<br>2/2513/44 Al Sefha   | 43 ulk 71 m²    | Wasit  |
| 118. | Plot  | Kut near the sport city 2/2948 m 45 um hilana  | 10 ulk          | Wasit  |
| 119. | 1 <sup>st</sup> June pool with 3<br>outdoors tartan playground<br>+ penta grass field | 510/4625 m 39 near<br>Adala Police Station   | 4 dunem 10 ulk  | Kirkuk |



| 120. | plot  | 4/691 m 53 khasa temari                   | 9 dunem 23 ulk<br>86m²           | Kirkuk      |
|------|---|---|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 121. | A regular swimming pool with multi-use activities   | 100/1698 m 36 Daqooq                      | 6 dunem 26 ulk                   | Kirkuk      |
| 122. | Sport and commercial investment for a plot  | 46/7 m53 khasa temari                     | 8 dunem                          | Kirkuk      |
| 123. | Pool with multi-purpose halls   | 619/3 Biryadi                             | 1.5 dunem                        | Kirkuk      |
| 124. | Al Noor penta playground  | 4/291 m 53                                | 8 ulk 15m <sup>2</sup>           | Kirkuk      |
| 125. | Indoor pool   | 383/562 m41 Taza                          | 1 dunem5 ulk 50m²                | Kirkuk      |
| 126. | Sport project   | 46/5 m53 khasa temari                     | 8 dunem                          | Kirkuk      |
| 127. | Sport project   | 658/910 m 39 Tiseen                       | 3 dunem5 ulk                     | Kirkuk      |
| 128. | Sport project   | 193/38 m 39 Tiseen                        | 3.5 dunem                        | Kirkuk      |
| 129. | Youth House   | 110/5905 jezzers                          | 1 dunem 9 ulk<br>3m <sup>2</sup> | Thi Qar     |
| 130. | Old stadium with old<br>seating rows, area can be<br>used as pool and<br>recreational halls | 11/1275 Al tafeej                         | 32 dunem 13 ulk                  | Thi Qar     |
| 131. | Water city, recreational facilities   | Number (25,24, 3)<br>1m 98-1/ m 97-1 m 96 | 830 dunem                        | Thi Qar     |
| 132. | Sport area  | 110/49566                                 | 5 dunum 1 ulk                    | Thi Qar     |
| 133. | Pool and mall   | 1538 m 17 July                            | Different area                   | Thi Qar     |
| 134. | Sport Club / Qalaa Suker  | 405/1055 Sarai                            | 632 m²                           | Thi Qar     |
| 135. | Football stadium 5000 people  | 449/5 Salba                               |                                  | Thi Qar     |
| 136. | plot  | 13/2/ m8 Aziz Alla                        | 12 dunum 22 ulk                  | Al Dewaniya |
| 137. | plot  | Part of 91/92 m57 Akar                    | 6 dunum                          | Al Dewaniya |
| 138. | Stadium   | Part of 4/1512 m1 Um<br>Al Khail          | 5 dunum                          | Al Dewaniya |
| 139. | plot  | 2/16489 m23 Abo Al<br>Fadhil              | -                                | Al Dewaniya |
| 140. | plot  | 7/438 7/445 m18 Sadir<br>Al Yousfiya      | -                                | Al Dewaniya |
| 141. | Sport Plot  | Part of 39/1009<br>39/1010 m5 Manfahan    |                                  | Al Dewaniya |
| 142. | Sport Plot  | 135/959 m 74 Sahi Abo<br>Hilan            | 1 dunem 5 ulk                    | Al Dewaniya |



| 143. | Sport halls  | Part of 26/56 m18 Sadir<br>Al Yousfiya              | 2 dunem 13 ulk              | Al Dewaniya |
|------|--|---|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 144. | Indoor hall- Ramadhan<br>District                  | 44/74 Albo Salih                                    |                             | Al Dewaniya |
| 145. | Efek pool and shops                                | 2/2422 m2 um al Etham                               | 18 dunem 22 ulk             | Al Dewaniya |
| 146. | Indoor hall and Tartan yard                        | Part of 2/4178 m2 um al<br>Etham                    |                             | Al Dewaniya |
| 147. | Al Bedair playground                               | 9/485 m4 Al Bedair                                  |                             | Al Dewaniya |
| 148. | Nefer playground                                   | 34/390 m15 Nefer                                    |                             | Al Dewaniya |
| 149. | Sport complex+ indoor hall                         | 39/1011/m 5 Manfahan                                | 12 dunem 1 ulk              | Al Dewaniya |
| 150. | Ghamas stadium                                     | 506/ 740 Al Gharb                                   | 23 ulk                      | Al Dewaniya |
| 151. | Pool +multipurpose hall                            | 4/782 m15   | 3 dunum                     | Maysan      |
| 152. | Whole building investment                          | 18/2336   | 18 ulk                      | Maysan      |
| 153. | Investing the indoor hall                          | 110/1467  | 1610m²                      | Maysan      |
| 154. | Two story building with sport and youth activities | 108/1853  | 2 dunem 5 ulk               | Maysan      |
| 155. | 2000 people stadium                                | 40/784 m6   | 11 dunem 13 ulk             | Maysan      |
| 156. | K- Span hall                                       | 3500/10 m52 Qojaq                                   |                             | Nineveh     |
| 157. | K- Span hall                                       | 1/2209 m/39 Hawi Al<br>Kenisa                       |                             | Nineveh     |
| 158. | Plot   | 432/6 Jewar Al Mousil                               | 23 ulk 36.15 m <sup>2</sup> | Nineveh     |
| 159. | Plot   | 275/2 m 40 Qadhiya                                  | Allocated                   | Nineveh     |
| 160. | Sport Hospitality hall                             | 432/10 Jewar Al Mousil                              |                             | Nineveh     |
| 161. | Sport Falls pool                                   | 45/46 Ulmish  |                             | Nineveh     |
| 162. | Sport project                                      | 2760/10 m52 Qojaq                                   | 1 dunem 8 ulk               | Nineveh     |
| 163. | Sport project                                      | 8 m47 New Mankoba                                   | 1 dunem                     | Nineveh     |
| 164. | multi-purpose sport base                           | 180/706<br>180/7<br>187/1<br>180/4<br>M41 Shamaliya |                             | Nineveh     |
| 165. | Sport complex, pool and shops                      | 2/1006 m 43 Jeela                                   |                             | Nineveh     |
| 166. | Indoor pool  | 504/30 m42 west Nineveh                             | 1 dunem                     | Nineveh     |
| 167. | Penta field, shops luna park                       | 6/8 m 38 Jedida Al Mufti                            |                             | Nineveh     |
| 168. | Plot   | 272/2 m43 Al Qadhiya                                |                             | Nineveh     |



| 169. | Club  | 28/21/ m 42 west<br>Nineveh   | 2 ulk          | Nineveh |
|------|---|---|----------------|---------|
| 170. | Artificial grass playground + pool                        | 957/251 m40 east<br>Nineveh part of plot                                      |                | Nineveh |
| 171. | Sport city  | Plot 849 Qibla near Al<br>Zubair bridge                                       | 585 dunem      | Basra   |
| 172. | Sport project   | 1/762 m61 Tlaa Al<br>Hamza Abo Al Khaseeb                                     | 4 dunem 20 ulk | Basra   |
| 173. | Sport project   | 37/2359 m 27 Al Akawat<br>Shat Al Arab opposite to<br>the old university      | 6 dunem 10 ulk | Basra   |
| 174. | Sport project   | 1/584 m 63 Al Deer – Al<br>Deer sport club                                    | 1 dunem 11 ulk | Basra   |
| 175. | Sport project   | 15/1149 m 61 Tera Beni<br>Mansour / Medina town/<br>Imam Sadiq village        | 3 dunem 8 ulk  | Basra   |
| 176. | Land within the Safwan club, (421/534 m Safwan)           | Safwan sub-district, opposite Safwan Club                                     | 600 m²         | Basra   |
| 177. | Sport project   | 175/604 m 15 Al Swalih/<br>Qurna village Sharash<br>club property             | 2 dunem        | Basra   |
| 178. | Sport project   | 17/2/ m53 Al Naseer/<br>Qurna village   | 10 dunem       | Basra   |
| 179. | Sport project   | 175/605 & 175/604 Al<br>Swalih/ Sharash Club<br>pool Qurna village            | 1 dunem 39 ulk | Basra   |
| 180. | Al Nashwa stadium with artificial grass 500 seat          | 115/134 m 24 Nashwa village near town center                                  | 12 dunem       | Basra   |
| 181. | Esood Al Rafedain stadium with artificial grass 2000 seat | 6/ 293 m 41 Balad<br>Mihzim/ Abo Al Khaseeb<br>near Hamdan industrial<br>area | 16 dunem       | Basra   |
| 182. | Hay Al Husain stadium with artificial grass 1000 seat     | 1/2107 Al Rabat Al<br>Kebeer  | 12 dunem       | Basra   |
| 183. | Shat Al Arab indoors hall 1000 seat                       | 2361/37 m Al Akawat<br>Shat Al Arab opposite to<br>the old university         | 3 dunem 11 ulk | Basra   |
| 184. | Al Zubair hall 1000 seat                                  | 1700 m Al Kut/ Zubair village near the farmers union                          | 7 dunem 18 ulk | Basra   |
| 185. | Part of plot next to Olympic pool and motel               | 1/2107 Al Rabat Al<br>Kebeer / Hay Al Husain                                  | 2 dunem        | Basra   |
| 186. | Sport project   | 2071/12956 / Saad Sq. near the main garage                                    | 1 dunem        | Basra   |



| 187. | Sport project        | Part of plot 1/2107 Al<br>Rabaat Al Kabeer Al<br>Hussain Q. Sport Collage<br>first line                    | 1 dunum 20 ulk<br>45m² | Basra |
|------|----------------------|--|------------------------|-------|
| 188. | A sports project     | part of a total area<br>belonging to the Al-Faw<br>Sports Forum, back part<br>No. 1 (2/3325 m6 Al-<br>Faw) | 3300 m <sup>2</sup>    | Basra |
| 189. | Al Zubair Sport club | 1815/520 Kut Basra- Al<br>Zubair   |                        | Basra |
| 190. | A sports project     | part of a total area<br>belonging to the Al-Faw<br>Sports Forum, side part<br>No. 2 (2/3325 m6 Al-<br>Faw) | 2 dunum 6 ulk          | Basra |



#### 12. Agriculture sector

The agricultural sector is considered as important sectors for the contribution in many factors of development as it well contributes to the GDP. Securing agriculture sector leads to food security in reducing addition to its role in unemployment improving rates and environment through preserving biological diversification, stopping desertification expanding agricultural lands areas.

The agriculture sector in Iraq is facing difficulties represented by several factors like the weak usage of technology and agricultural mechanization in the agricultural and livestock production add to the weakness in using modern irrigation systems that lead to lowering resources wastage.

Agriculture is badly affected by the weak investment in this sector and the increase in the costs of production needs as equipments, seeds, and fertilizers adding to desertification and salinity problems.

- 1- The number of the arable lands areas is about 18.142.800 donum according to 2018 records distributed over the provinces (Nineveh, Diyala, Kirkuk, and Wasit).
- 2- The number of the planted lands is about 6.269.864 donum according to 2018 records which represent (34.6%) from the total arable lands, the planted areas are distributed over the provinces of (Saladin, Kirkuk, Wasit, Nineveh)
- 3- The percentage of the unplanted arable lands areas is about (65.4%), according to 2018 records, and this high percentage comes due to the lack in water resources and the weakness process of lands reclamation in addition to desertification and farmers migration especially after 2003. The unplanted arable lands are distributed over the provinces of (Basra, Najaf, Karbala, Saladin)







\*source/ Ministry of Planning letter/ regional and Local development dept. no. 17867 dated 3.08.2021



### Number and area of agricultural investment opportunities in Iraqi provinces for 2022

| No.   | Province        | Number of opportunities | total area / dunam |
|-------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
|       |                 |                         |                    |
| 1.    | Baghdad/ Karkh  | -                       | -                  |
| 2.    | Baghdad/ Rusafa | -                       | -                  |
| 3.    | Nineveh         | 14                      | 52700              |
| 4.    | Kirkuk          | -                       | -                  |
| 5.    | Saladin         | -                       | -                  |
| 6.    | Anbar           | 15                      | 1252382            |
| 7.    | Babylon         | -                       | -                  |
| 8.    | Diyala          | 53                      | 259070             |
| 9.    | Wasit           | 43                      | 409272             |
| 10.   | Holy Karbala    | 3                       | 315000             |
| 11.   | Holy Najaf      | 3                       | 726435             |
| 12.   | Dewaniya        | 43                      | 14903.23           |
| 13.   | Thi Qar         | 10                      | 29908              |
| 14.   | Muthana         | -                       | -                  |
| 15.   | Maysan          | -                       | -                  |
| 16.   | Basra           | 11                      | 52845              |
| Total |                 | 197                     | 2311995023         |

• According to MoA letter/ 317 in 17/2/2020 Agricultural Investment Office

### **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Nineveh Province for 2022**

| Seq. | District /<br>Township | County No. /<br>Plot No. | Area /<br>dunam | Туре  | Availability<br>of water<br>share/<br>source | Ground<br>waters<br>depth | Soil<br>Analysis<br>PH- type | Groundw<br>ater<br>validity | Location<br>from<br>irrigation<br>projects | Coordinate<br>s<br>x<br>y | Notes |
|------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------|--|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------|-------|
| 1    | Taal Afar              | Al Eyadhiya<br>1/9<br>51 | 3200            | Rocky | Not<br>available                             |                           |                              |                             |  | X: 270358<br>Y: 4050918   |       |
| 2    | Taal Afar              | Al Eyadhiya<br>1<br>48   | 16800           | Rocky | Not<br>available                             |                           |                              |                             |  | X: 261099<br>Y:4041416    |       |
| 3    | Taal Afar              | Al Eyadhiya<br>15<br>1   | 600             | Rocky | Not<br>available                             |                           |                              |                             |  | X: 267656<br>Y: 4040193   |       |
| 4    | Taal Afar              | Al Eyadhiya<br>6<br>3    | 1400            | Rocky | Not<br>available                             |                           |                              |                             |  | X:280200<br>Y:4036621     |       |
| 5    | Taal Afar              | Al Eyadhiya<br>93<br>15  | 1600            | Rocky | Not<br>available                             |                           |                              |                             |  | X:268331<br>Y:4035409     |       |

| 6  | Taal Afar | Al Eyadhiya<br>1 /2<br>43 | 8000 | Rocky | Not<br>available |  |  | X: 251975<br>Y: 4042440 |  |
|----|-----------|---------------------------|------|-------|------------------|--|--|-------------------------|--|
| 7  | Taal Afar | Al Eyadhiya<br>47         | 2000 | Rocky | Not<br>available |  |  | X:257282<br>Y: 4043474  |  |
| 8  | Taal Afar | Al Eyadhiya<br>2/2<br>34  | 350  | Rocky | Not<br>available |  |  | X: 244943<br>Y:4035850  |  |
| 9  | Taal Afar | Al Eyadhiya<br>1<br>60    | 600  | Rocky | Not<br>available |  |  | X: 265388<br>Y:4039912  |  |
| 10 | Taal Afar | Al Eyadhiya<br>4<br>60    | 350  | Rocky | Not<br>available |  |  | X: 263206<br>Y:4039146  |  |
| 11 | Taal Afar | Al Eyadhiya<br>116<br>75  | 9500 | Rocky | Not<br>available |  |  | X:271436<br>Y:4040165   |  |

| 12 | Singar –<br>Center     | 1/18 Sito                   | 200  | Rocky /<br>woods         | Not<br>available/<br>Wells | Less than<br>100m | 9.6-<br>Gypsum | 2500<br>Milimos               | 90km<br>from Al<br>Jezeera<br>irrigation<br>project | X: 362155<br>Y: 4002918 | Allocated<br>for<br>livestock<br>projects |
|----|------------------------|-----------------------------|------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------|---|
| 13 | Sinjar/ Al<br>Qairawan | 1 /2 /19 Um<br>Al Shababeet | 100  | Salty<br>for<br>projects | Not<br>available/<br>Wells | 80-100 m          | 9.7-<br>Gypsum | More than<br>2000<br>Milimosz | 90km<br>from Al<br>Jezeera<br>irrigation<br>project | X: 362150<br>Y: 4002910 | Allocated<br>for<br>livestock<br>projects |
| 14 | Singar –<br>Center     | 18/ 85 Sinjar<br>mountain   | 8000 | Salty<br>for<br>projects | Not<br>available/<br>Wells | 100-120m          | 8.5<br>Celtic  | Less than<br>2000<br>milimosz | 90km<br>from Al<br>Jezeera<br>irrigation<br>project | X: 362141<br>Y: 4004200 | Allocated for woods                       |
|    |                        | n opportunities             |      |                          | 14                         |                   |                |                               |   |                         |   |
|    | Tot                    | tal area                    |      | 5270                     | 0 dumen                    |                   |                |                               |   |                         |   |

<sup>•</sup> According to Agriculture Investment Office in Nineveh Province letter/ number 1706 in 1/2/2021

### **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Anbar Province for 2022**

| No.  | District/    | County   | Plot No.                        | Area / | Type                           | Availability | Water                 | Method of  | Depth of    | Anal | ysis of soil | Validity of  | Loca                                  | Coordinates              | notes  |
|------|--------------|--|---------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------|-------------|------|--------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| 140. | town         | No.  | 1101110.                        | dunam  | Турс                           | of water     | source                | irrigation | underground |      | •            | underground  | tion                                  | X                        | notes  |
|      |              |  |                                 |        |                                | share        |                       | Ü          | waters      | PH   | soil Tissues | waters<br>according to<br>international &<br>local stander | to<br>irrig<br>ation<br>proje<br>cts  | у                        |  |
| 1.   | Qaem         | 24/Kalban<br>al- Tayara<br>And<br>22/dayoom<br>al- Der | 1/49<br>And<br>27               | 107200 | desert<br>Lands                | available    | -                     | wells      | -           | 7.78 | Mixed sandy  | Valid  | 5km<br>to the<br>Euph<br>rates        | X/ 166909<br>Y/ 3843882  | -  |
| 2.   | Qaem         | 20/Western<br>Dayoom<br>Jibab                          | 43                              | 116000 | desert<br>Lands                | available    | -                     | -          | -           | 7.27 | Mixed        | Valid  | 5km<br>to the<br>Euph<br>rates        | X/ 179951<br>Y/ 3793720  | -  |
| 3.   | Hdeetha      | 71/Dayoom<br>, the middle<br>island                    | 1                               | 14000  | desert<br>Lands                | Unavailable  | Underground<br>waters | wells      | 100 meters  | 6.66 | Mixed sandy  | valid  | 12km<br>to Al<br>Qadis<br>iya<br>lake | X/ 0279047<br>Y/ 3805631 | -  |
| 4.   | Ramadi       | Waffa  | 1 Rutba                         | 60000  | Ministr<br>y of<br>Financ<br>e | Available    | wells                 | wells      | 150         | 8.1  | Mixed sandy  | valid  | 5km<br>to the<br>Euph<br>rates        | X: 220105<br>Y: 3664015  |  |
| 5.   | Rutba        | 1 Nekhaib  | 1                               | 500000 | Desert                         | -            | wells                 | wells      | 170-160     | 7.6  | Mixed        |  | Not<br>availa<br>ble                  | X: 236585<br>Y: 3633654  |  |
| 6.   | Hadeeth<br>a | Haqlaniya  | 1/69<br>Shamiya                 | 2250   |                                | Unavailable  | wells                 | wells      | 250-180     | 6.6  | Mixed        | valid  | Not<br>availa<br>ble                  | X: 231402<br>Y: 3758413  |  |
| 7.   | Heet         |  | 390 / 6<br>haswat Al<br>Shamiya | 150    | Govern<br>mental<br>land       | Available    | Euphrates             | Wells      | 45          | 7.5  | mixed Gypsum | valid  | 3km<br>to the<br>river                | X: 302438<br>Y:3716522   | Near the<br>forest of<br>Heet<br>Agricult<br>ure dept. |
| 8.   | Amriya       |  | 1/9802<br>21<br>Shamiya         | 400    | High<br>lands                  | Available    | Euphrates             | Wells      |             | 7.8  | Mixed sandy  |  |                                       | X: 399350<br>Y: 3667325  |  |
| 9.   | Hadeeth<br>a | Berwana 1  | 73 Deom<br>north<br>island      | 200000 |                                | Available    | wells                 |            | 250         | 7    | mixed        |  |                                       | X:271504<br>Y:3804754    |  |
| 10.  | Hadeeth<br>a | Berwana 1  | 71 Deom<br>mid island           | 200000 |                                | Available    | wells                 |            | 270         | 7    | mixed        |  |                                       | X:266634<br>Y:3818999    |  |

| _   |           |           |            |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
|-----|-----------|-----------|------------|--------|--------|-------------|-------|-------------|----------------|---|-------------|---------|------|------------|----------|
| 11. | Hadeeth   | Haqlaniya | 25         | 1512   |        | Unavailable | wells | wells       | 250-180        |   |             |         |      |            | MILITERY |
|     | a         |           | 26         |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            | BASE     |
|     |           |           | haswat     |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
|     |           |           | Shamiya    |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
| 12. | Qaim      | Al        | 24/Kalban  | 305000 | Desert | Unavailable | river | wells       | 100            | 8 | Mixed sandy | invalid | 6 km | X:699800   |          |
|     |           | Rumana    | al- Tayara |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      | Y:3820000  |          |
|     |           | 1/49      | And Abo    |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
|     |           |           | Karis      |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
|     |           |           |            |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
| 13. | Qaim      | Al        | 5 Al       | 102800 | Desert | Unavailable | river | wells       | 100            | 8 | Mixed sandy | invalid | 6 km | X: 733100  |          |
|     | _         | Rumana    | Rumana     |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      | Y:3842300  |          |
|     |           | 1/43      |            |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
| 14. | Ramadi    | Ramadi 83 | 47 haswat  | 500    | Desert | Unavailable |       |             |                |   |             | valid   |      | X: 330196  |          |
|     |           |           | Al         |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      | Y:3679530  |          |
|     |           |           | Shamiya    |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
| 15. | Faluja/   | 36/Al-    | 1/5094     | 50     |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      | X/ 375648  |          |
|     | Saqlawi   | Jabal     |            |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      | Y/ 3712099 |          |
|     | ya        |           |            |        |        |             |       |             |                |   |             |         |      |            |          |
| Nun | nher on c | pportunit | ies        |        |        |             | 15    | Total are   | a in dunum     |   |             |         |      | 1252382    |          |
| Mul | ibei on ( | pportunit | ics        |        |        |             | 13    | 1 otal al C | u III uullulli |   |             |         |      | 1232302    |          |
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# predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Diyala Province in 2022

| Seq | District  | Townshi<br>p | County No.           | Plot No.                    | Area /<br>dunam | Type               | Availability of water | Source of water                                      | Method<br>of          |     | alysis of<br>soil      | Water<br>validity | Locatio<br>n to            | Coordinat<br>es         | notes  |
|-----|-----------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|-----|------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|
|     |           |              |                      |                             |                 |                    | share                 |  | irrigation            | PH  | soil<br>Tissues        |                   | irrigati<br>on<br>projects | x<br>y                  |  |
| 1   | Muqdadiah | -            | 26/Al<br>Haronia     | 70/12                       | 86              | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable           | ground<br>water and<br>rain                          | wells                 | 8.6 | Mixed<br>Clay          | Unsuitable        | Outside                    | X: 503100<br>Y: 3764200 |  |
| 2   | Muqdadiah | -            | 26/Al<br>Haronia     | 76/12                       | 359             | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable           | ground<br>water and<br>rain                          | wells                 | 8   | Mixed<br>Clay          | Unsuitable        | outside                    | X:502400<br>Y: 3764731  | Gas pipe<br>area from<br>A1 to A1                                  |
| 3   | Muqdadiah | -            | 37/Wadi<br>Alhesan   | 42/1                        | 2813            | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable           | ground<br>water and<br>rain                          | wells                 | 8.5 | Clay<br>Sandy          | Unsuitable        | outside                    | X: 514400<br>Y: 3756650 | Mansouriy<br>a station is<br>excluded                              |
| 4   | Muqdadiah | Wajehia      | 10/Alezia            | 11/1                        | 150             | Evergreen<br>Lands | available             | irrigation<br>project<br>evergreen                   | surface<br>irrigation | 7.8 | Mixed<br>Clay          | Unsuitable        | inside                     | X: 496350<br>Y: 3728200 |  |
| 5   | Muqdadiah | Wajehia      | 10/Alezia            | 1/2                         | 500             | Evergreen<br>Lands | available             | irrigation<br>project,(ever<br>green                 | surface<br>irrigation | 7.2 | Mixed<br>Clay          | unsuitable)       | inside                     | X: 493500<br>Y: 3737200 |  |
| 6   | Baquba    | Kana'n       | 24/Tal Abo<br>Raseen | 9/1                         | 350             | Evergreen<br>Lands | available             | irrigation<br>project,<br>evergreen                  | surface<br>irrigation | 7.1 | Clay                   | (unsuitabl,<br>e) | inside                     | X: 488550<br>Y: 3727300 |  |
| 7   | Baquba    | Buhriz       | 21/Tal<br>Al asmar   | 96/1 to<br>51/96 &<br>96/57 | 4632            | Evergreen<br>Lands | available             | irrigation<br>project,<br>,(unsuitable)<br>evergreen | surface<br>irrigation | 8.7 | Mixed<br>Clay<br>Sandy | (unsuitabl,<br>e) | inside                     | X:490376<br>Y: 3671000  |  |
| 8   | Khanaqin  | Jalawlaa'    | 34/Kushok            | 14                          | 40              | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable           | underground<br>, evergreen                           | wells                 | 7.7 | Mixed<br>Sandy         | suitable          | outside                    | <del>-</del>            | The coordinate s could not be taken due to interfere with the army |
| 9   | Khanaqin  | Jalawlaa'    | 34/Kushok            | 111                         | 50              | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable           | underground<br>, evergreen                           | wells                 | 7.2 | Mixed<br>Sandy         | suitable          | outside                    | X: 513600<br>Y: 3798880 |  |

| 10 | Khanaqin  | Jalawlaa'    | 31/Jamelat<br>Arab           | 201  | 100   | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable | underground<br>, evergreen                | wells                  | 8   | Mixed<br>Clay  | suitable          | outside | X: 508900<br>Y: 3799900     |   |
|----|-----------|--------------|------------------------------|--|-------|--------------------|-------------|---|------------------------|-----|----------------|-------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---|
| 11 | Moqdadiah | Mansoria     | 28/Mansoria<br>t<br>Al Jabal | 43   | 200   | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable | underground<br>evergreen                  | wells                  | 7.2 | Mixed<br>Sandy | ,(unsuitabl<br>e) | outside | X: 495100<br>Y: 3777300     |   |
| 12 | Moqdadiah | Mansoria     | 36/Almashro<br>h             | 51.131   | 11000 | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable | underground<br>,(unsuitable)<br>evergreen | wells                  | 7.4 | Mixed<br>Clay  | (unsuitabl,<br>e) | outside | X: 472410<br>Y: 3782700     |   |
| 13 | Moqdadiah | Mansoria     | 16/Alshohan<br>i             | 293/1&4  | 500   | Evergreen<br>Lands | available   | irrigation<br>project ,<br>evergreen      | surfaces<br>irrigation | 7.3 | Mixed<br>Clay  | (unsuitable<br>), | inside  | X: 486000<br>Y: 3773600     |   |
| 14 | Moqdadiah | Mansoria     | 36/Almashr<br>oh             | 46, 68<br>131/1  | 5000  | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable | underground<br>evergreen                  | wells                  | 7.5 | Mixed<br>Sandy | (unsuitabl,<br>e) | Outside | X: 472643<br>Y: 3782386     | Agricultur<br>al airport<br>Jet runway                  |
| 15 | Moqdadiah | Mansoria     | 15/Almarfoa<br>h             | 3/4 & 3/6  | 500   | Evergreen<br>Lands | Unavailable | underground<br>,(unsuitable)<br>evergreen | wells                  | 7.1 | Mixed<br>Clay  | unsuitable)       | Outside | X: 469900<br>Y:<br>37702000 |   |
| 16 | Balad Ros | Mandly       | 25/ kok tepe                 | 96/2   | 57181 | pebble             | Unavailable | underground<br>evergreen                  | wells                  | 7   | mixed          | suitable          | Outside | -                           | Ongoing<br>Correspon<br>dence to<br>exclude<br>300dunem |
| 17 | Balad Ros | Mandly       | 31/ Ain Al<br>Baghdadi       | 40/8   | 2000  | agriculture        | available   | Irrigation project                        | Means irrigation       | -   | -              | invalid           | inside  | -                           | -   |
| 18 | Balad Ros | Mandly       | 25/ kok tepe                 | 96/2   | 153   | pebble             | Unavailable | evergreen                                 | wells                  | 7   | mixed          | valid             | Outside |                             | -   |
| 19 | Balad Ros | Balad<br>Ros | 17/ Marhaba                  | 1/146  | 8     | agriculture        | available   | -   | Means irrigation       | -   | mixed          | valid             | Inside  | X: 503092<br>Y: 3726454     | Partially used  |
| 20 | Khanaqeen | Jibara       | 7/Sari Koul                  | 2/1  | 12895 | agriculture        | available   | -   | Means irrigation       |     | -              | -                 |         | Inside                      | -   |
| 21 | Khanaqeen | Jibara       | 13/Zerdaw                    | 26   | 7389  | agriculture        | available   | -   | Means irrigation       |     | -              | -                 |         | Inside                      | -   |
| 22 | Khanaqeen | Jibara       | 13/Zerdaw                    | 13   | 6592  | agriculture        | available   | -   | Means irrigation       |     | -              | -                 |         | Inside                      | -   |
| 23 | Khalis    | Udhaim       | -                            | 28/Manso<br>uriya/33<br>Khidhir<br>Kawa/34<br>Nejana/35<br>Ain Laila | 56500 | -                  | Unavailable |   |                        |     |                |                   |         | Outside                     | -   |
| 24 | Baladrooz | -            | 7/66                         | 19 south<br>Mreja  | 150   | evergreen          | unavailable | Wells                                     |                        | 30  | 7              | Low<br>fertility  | Invalid | Outside                     | Suitable<br>for<br>livestock<br>production              |

| 25 | Baladrooz | - | 7/133                             | 19 south<br>Mreja | 100 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>livestock<br>production |
|----|-----------|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----|-----------|-------------|-------|----|---|------------------|---------|---------|--|
| 26 | Baladrooz | - | 7/87 – 7/86                       | 19 south<br>Mreja | 403 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 27 | Baladrooz | - | 7/97                              | 19 south<br>Mreja | 60  | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>livestock<br>production |
| 28 | Baladrooz | - | 7/88                              | 19 south<br>Mreja | 228 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 29 | Baladrooz | - | 7/81, 7/7,<br>7/83. 7/ 82<br>7/90 | 19 south<br>Mreja | 665 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 30 | Baladrooz | - | 7/95, 7/94,<br>7/ 7<br>89/96      | 19 south<br>Mreja | 413 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 31 | Baladrooz | - | 144/7<br>145/7                    | 19 south<br>Mreja | 308 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 32 | Baladrooz | - | 7/85<br>7/81                      | 19 south<br>Mreja | 626 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 33 | Baladrooz | - | 7/106<br>7/107                    | 19 south<br>Mreja | 150 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 34 | Baladrooz |   | 1/43<br>1/42<br>1/44              | 4 Abo<br>Kebeer   | 168 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |
| 35 | Baladrooz | - | 7/90<br>7/89                      | 19 south<br>Mreja | 408 | evergreen | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7 | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production |

| 36 | Baladrooz        | -        | 1/6                           | 6 Tel<br>Abo<br>Rasain             | 608   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7  | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside                      |  |
|----|------------------|----------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|----|----|------------------|---------|------------------------------|--|
| 37 | Baladrooz        | -        | 1/9- 1/8-<br>1/10             | 6 Tel<br>Abo<br>Rasain             | 953   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7  | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside                      | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production           |
| 38 | Baladrooz        | -        | 1/6                           | 6 Tel<br>Abo<br>Rasain             | 168   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7  | Low<br>fertility | Invalid | Outside                      | Suitable<br>for<br>vegetable<br>production           |
| 39 | Mendly           |          | 33/46                         | 30<br>Tehmaya                      | 208   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 70 | 10 | mud              | Invalid |                              |  |
| 40 | The great<br>dam |          | 87                            | 77<br>Rakoob<br>Al<br>Ehaimer      | 2000  | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7  | mud              | valid   |                              |  |
| 41 | Khanaqeen        |          | 4/9                           | 9<br>Kehreez                       | 2547  | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 80 | 7  | mixed            | valid   |                              |  |
| 42 | Khanaqeen        |          | 8                             | 8 haj<br>qara                      | 150   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 80 | 7  | mixed            | valid   |                              |  |
| 43 | Jalawla          | Sadiya   | 1/161                         | 6 Sadiya                           | 1600  | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 70 | 7  | mixed            | valid   |                              |  |
| 44 | Mendly           |          | 18/16                         | Kenkeer<br>valley                  | 177   | Agriculture | unavailable | Wells | 70 | 5  | mixed            | invalid |                              | Livestock,<br>vegetables,<br>olives                  |
| 45 | Muqdadiya        |          | 1                             | 70<br>Himreen<br>Mountai<br>n      | 26200 | Mountains   | unavailable | Wells | 80 | 7  | mixed            | valid   |                              | X: 517460<br>Y:3759102                               |
| 46 | Muqdadiya        |          | 229/1                         | 24/<br>Ataba                       | 190   | Sand lands  | unavailable | Wells | 30 | -  | Sandy            | valid   | Outside                      | X: 502269<br>Y:3756258                               |
| 47 | Mendly           | Qazaniya | 1/16                          | 35/Moua<br>lih                     | 800   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 80 | 7  | Mixed            | Valid   | Outside                      | Breeding<br>dairy cows<br>and<br>fattening<br>calves |
| 48 | Khalis           |          | 4/3                           | 42/<br>AlKuty                      | 1650  | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 30 | 7  | mud              | Valid   | Outside                      | Breeding<br>dairy cows<br>and<br>fattening<br>calves |
| 49 | Muqdadiya        |          | 12/70<br>1/39<br>1/40<br>1/41 | 26/<br>Haroniya<br>25/<br>Haroniya | 700   | evergreen   | unavailable | Wells | 60 | 7  | Mixed mud        | Valid   | Within<br>Mahroot<br>project |  |

| 50 | Great dam | 15/1140              | 32/Bergh<br>ash  | 25300   | Agriculture | unavailable | Wells   | 100 | 6 | Mixed     | Valid |   | livestock Project Fruit orchards and high oil olives                             |
|----|-----------|----------------------|--|---|-------------|-------------|---------|-----|---|-----------|-------|---|--|
| 51 | Great dam | 8/272                | 29 Abair<br>valley   | 21000   | Agriculture | unavailable | Wells   | 100 | 6 | Mixed     | Valid |   | New irrigation methods, Animal Wealth Project Fruit orchards and high oil olives |
| 52 | Muqdadiya | 1/39<br>1/40<br>1/41 | 26/<br>Haroniya<br>25/<br>Haroniya                                       | 600   | agriculture | unavailable | Wells   | 60  | 7 | Mixed mud | Valid | Within<br>Mahroot<br>project                        | Breeding<br>dairy cows<br>and<br>fattening<br>calves                             |
| 53 | Khalis    | 2/1<br>106/1<br>94/2 | 71 north<br>Bekir<br>Agha<br>72 south<br>Bekir<br>Agha<br>49<br>Keshkeen | 1542 total<br>1000<br>suitable for<br>agriculture<br>500<br>unsuitable<br>42<br>buildings | agriculture | available   | Tigress | 40  | 7 | Mud       | Valid | Khalis<br>Caws<br>project /<br>milk and<br>red meat | North<br>0457662<br>0457253<br>0457261<br>East<br>3749983<br>3749969<br>3749732  |

| Total area              | 259070 Dunam |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| Number of opportunities | 53           |  |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup>According to Agriculture Office in Diyala Province letter number 27499 in 14/11/2019

### **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Wasit Province for 2022**

| No. | District | town        | County No.     | Plot<br>No. | Area /<br>dunam | Type         | Availability of water | Source<br>of | Method of irrigation | Anal | ysis of soil    | Coordinates | notes        |
|-----|----------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------|------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | share                 | water        |                      | PH   | soil<br>Tissues | x<br>Y      |              |
| 1.  | Azezia   | Centre      | 34/Jazera      | 191/1       | 5932            | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | Means                | 3.8  | Clay            | 524392      |              |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3664083     |              |
| 2.  | Azezia   | Center      | 23/Jazera      | 67/1        | 5               | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | Means                | 7.6  | Clay            | 509036      | Area reduced |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3647530     | from 35 to 5 |
| 3.  | Essouira | Al Zobaidia | 13/Saysabana   | 6/1         | 12              | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | Means                | 7.4  | Clay            | 512318      |              |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3619156     |              |
| 4.  | Nu'mania | Centre      | 33/Jazera      | 1/46        | 5900            | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | Means                | 7.6  | Clay            | 548086      |              |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3627869     |              |
| 5.  | Nu'mania | Centre      | 30 Bezaiz & 32 | 9/2 and     | 95              | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | Means                | -    | -               | 526682      |              |
|     |          |             | jazera         | 1/10        |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3596068     |              |
| 6.  | Badra    | Jassan      | 21/Mweleh      | 1           | 3600            | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | wells                | 7.3  | Clay            | 576889      |              |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3636937     |              |
| 7.  | Badra    | Jassan      | 33/Al Hor      | 2/6         | 49000           | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | wells                | -    | Celtic          | 577358      |              |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      | Clay            | 3629557     |              |
| 8.  | Badra    | Jassan      | 27/Jazera      | 1/18        | 100000          | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | wells                | -    | clay            | 576362      |              |
|     |          |             |                |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      |      |                 | 3633511     |              |
| 9.  | Badra    | Centre      | 16/ Sajla &    | 1           | 800             | Agricultural | Un                    | -            | wells                | 8.5  | Celtic          | 584743      |              |
|     |          |             | Sabkha         |             |                 |              | Available             |              |                      | 8.4  | Clay            | 3665664     |              |

| 10. | Badra   | Centre      | 16/ Sajla &<br>Sabkha | 3                        | 30000                        | Agricultural | Un<br>Available | - | wells | 7.2       | Celtic<br>Clay - | 584143<br>3665245 |  |
|-----|---------|-------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|---|-------|-----------|------------------|-------------------|--|
| 11. | Badra   | Zurbatia    | 8/Hashema             |                          | 33000 &                      | Agricultural | Un              | - | wells | 7.6       | Clay             | 578816            |  |
|     |         |             |                       |                          | 1200                         |              | Available       |   |       | 7.6       |                  | 3662630           |  |
|     |         |             |                       |                          | In<br>different<br>locations |              |                 |   |       |           |                  |                   |  |
| 12. | Kut     | Shekh Sa'ad | 46/Ramadan<br>Ajer    | 1                        | 26200                        | Agricultural | Un              | - | means | 7.3       | Celtic<br>Clay   | 632612            |  |
|     |         |             | Ajer                  |                          |                              |              | Available       |   |       |           | Clay             | 3606647           |  |
| 13. | Kut     | Shekh Sa'ad | 45/Ramadan<br>Ajer    | 1                        | 11470                        | Agricultural | Un              | - | means | 7.7       | Mixed            | 634482            | Promote Ema<br>Co. papers              |
|     |         |             | Ajei                  |                          |                              |              | Available       |   |       |           |                  | 3612307           | (Brazil)                               |
| 14. | Kut     | Shekh Sa'ad | 38/Sayed              | 1                        | 832                          | Agricultural | Un              | - | means | 7.3       | Clay             | 633713            | Promote Ema<br>Co. papers              |
|     |         |             | Mohamed               |                          |                              |              | Available       |   |       |           |                  | 3619964           | (Brazil)                               |
| 15. | Kut     | Shekh Sa'ad | 45/um Al Jaradi       | 1                        | 20501                        | Agricultural | Un              | - | means | 7.4       | Sandy<br>Clay    | 637531            | Promote Ema                            |
|     |         |             |                       |                          |                              |              | Available       |   |       | to<br>8.5 | Clay             | 3628153           | Co. papers<br>(Brazil)                 |
| 16. | kut     | center      | 30 Shwaija            | 325/1<br>116 to<br>129/1 | 59555                        | Agricultural | Available       | - | Means | 7.4       | clay             | 559703<br>3620412 | Area reduced<br>from 80000 to<br>59555 |
| 17. | Alhay   | Mowafaqia   | 22/ Tarat             | 1/14                     | 1050                         | Agricultural | Available       | - | Means | 7.1       | Celtic<br>Clay   | 0587302           |  |
|     |         |             | Efaj                  |                          |                              |              |                 |   |       | 7.8       | Clay             | 3573905           |  |
| 18. | Kut     | Dejela      | 5/Hamedia             | 7/2                      | 6                            | Agricultural | Available       | - | Means | 7.7       | Celtic<br>Clay   | 623184            |  |
|     |         |             | & Jalebia             |                          |                              |              |                 |   |       |           | ·                | 3591212           |  |
| 19. | Kut     | Dejela      | 15/Hor                | 5                        | 4725                         | Agricultural | Available       | - | means | 7.6       | Celtic<br>Clay   | 0638113           |  |
|     |         |             | kharab                |                          |                              |              |                 |   |       |           | ·                | 3553540           |  |
| 20. | Kut     | Dejela      | 15/Hor                | 7/6                      | 9155                         | Agricultural | Available       | - | Means | 7.8       | Celtic<br>Clay   | 644943            |  |
| 21  | A 1 I I |             | kharab                | 1 /0                     | 120                          | A            | I In anni Habit |   |       | 7.5       | -1               | 3543497<br>576655 |  |
| 21. | Al Hay  | center      | 24Khamesia            | 1/8                      | 120                          | Agriculture  | Unavailable     | - | means | 7.5       | clay             | 3/6655<br>3629257 |  |

| 22. | Al Azizia | Al Deboni   | 34 Jazera              | 1/191                            | 8000 | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means | 7.6 | clay   | 535543<br>3637694       |  |
|-----|-----------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|------|--------------|-------------|---|-------|-----|--------|-------------------------|--|
| 23. | kut       | Shikh Saad  | 37/Khrekhir            |                                  | 960  | Agricultural | Available   |   | means |     |        | X: 614413<br>Y:3611361  |  |
| 24. | kut       | Shikh Saad  | 31/Salty Ramth         | 2/1                              | 900  | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 618302<br>3636154       |  |
| 25. | Al Azizia | Al Azizia   | 34 Jazera              | 191/1                            | 966  | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 578129<br>3660399       |  |
| 26. | Al Azizia | Al Azizia   | 34 Jazera              | 191/1                            | 780  | Agriculture  | unavailable |   | Means |     |        | X:515441<br>Y:3647390   | To be approved<br>to Investors<br>Mohamed Jasim                            |
| 27. | Al Azizia | Al Azizia   | 34 Jazera              | 191/1                            | 1800 | Agriculture  | unavailable |   | Means |     |        | 529575<br>3653080       | Undergoing<br>procedures to<br>Raad Jawad<br>Hamad                         |
| 28. | Badra     | Zurbatia    | 8/ Hashima             | 8                                | 70   | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 587071<br>3693372       |  |
| 29. | kut       | center      | 30 Shiwaija            | 325/1                            | 513  | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 576796<br>3607743       |  |
| 30. | Numaniya  | Ahrar       | 5/ Abo Jabir           | 316/1                            | 1    | Agriculture  | available   | - | means |     |        |                         | Mushroom project   |
| 31. | Numaniya  | Ahrar       | 42/ Fhayl              | 4/1                              | 500  | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 558313<br>3552496       |  |
| 32. | Al Azizia | Zubaidia    | 10/Sharqi<br>Taweel    | 5/2                              | 200  | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 516584<br>3620203       |  |
| 33. | Al Hay    | Mouafaqiya  | 22/ Qura Ifak          | 14/2                             | 3624 | Agriculture  | available   |   | Means |     |        | X: 563462<br>Y: 3550411 |  |
| 34. | Al Azizia | Debino      | 29 western<br>Shadheef | 10/32<br>11/32<br>12/32<br>13/32 | 980  | Agriculture  | unavailable | - | means |     |        | 515937<br>3630776       |  |
| 35. | Al Sewara | Taj Al Deen | 21 Al Jezeera          | 401/1                            | 4000 | Agriculture  | available   | - | means |     | Inside | X: 494234<br>Y: 3652700 | License was<br>granted to<br>Abbas Talal,<br>canceled by<br>Prime Minister |
| 36. | Al Sewara | Taj Al Deen | 21 Al Jezeera          | 401/1                            | 1700 | Agriculture  | available   | - | means |     |        | 495399<br>3665820       | Run by State<br>real-estate<br>office, now<br>investment<br>opportunity    |

| 37. | Al Azizia               | Al Azizia   | 34 Al Jezeera                                      | 191/1                                  | 1600  | Agriculture | available | -               | means |     |       |                   | Palestine<br>revolution land,<br>now granted for<br>investment |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|--|--|-------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|-----|-------|-------------------|--|
| 38. | Kut                     | Shaikh Saad | 1/ Al Uoja   | 1                                      | 1000  | Agriculture | available | -               | means |     |       | 603046<br>367112  |  |
| 39. | Kut                     | Shaikh Saad | 45 / Ramadan<br>Ajir 39 Al Beda<br>38 Gheriba east | 1                                      | 12920 | Agriculture | available | -               | means |     |       | 624625<br>3610196 |  |
| 40. | Kut                     | Shaikh Saad | 1  | 15 west<br>masnak<br>16 east<br>masnak | 3040  | Agriculture |           | Tigris<br>river | Means | 7.5 | Mixed | 629690<br>3588401 |  |
| 41. | Badra                   | Jasan       | 1/1  | 21/<br>hoor al<br>demlaj               | 680   | Agriculture |           |                 |       |     |       |                   |  |
| 42. | Numaniya                | Town center |  | Mamla<br>h                             | 700   | Agriculture |           |                 |       |     |       |                   |  |
| 43. | Numaniya                | Town center |  | Al<br>muhie                            | 1200  | Agriculture |           |                 |       |     |       |                   |  |
|     | Total                   |             | 409272 dur   | am                                     |       | 1           |           |                 |       |     |       |                   |  |
|     |                         |             | 42   |  |       |             |           |                 |       |     |       |                   |  |
| N   | Number of opportunities |             | 43   |  |       |             |           |                 |       |     |       |                   |  |

<sup>•</sup> Wasit Province Agri Office letter no. 6889 in 7/4/2021

# **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in the Province of Holly Karbala for 2022**

| Seq | District | township     | County No.  | Plot No. | Area / | Туре       | source of water      | Availability of | Method of  | Depth of    | Analy | sis of soil | Validity of | Coordinates |
|-----|----------|--------------|-------------|----------|--------|------------|----------------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|     |          |              |             |          | dunam  |            |                      | water share     | irrigation | underground | PH    | soil        | underground | x           |
|     |          |              |             |          |        |            |                      |                 |            | water       |       | Tissues     | waters      | Y           |
| 1   | Centre   | Alhur        | 61/Jazera   | 3        | 160000 | Desert/    | underground          | Do not have a   | well       | 30m depth   | 7.8   | Lomé        | invalid     | 398586/x    |
|     |          |              |             |          |        | unsuitable | water/               | share of water  |            |             |       | sandy       |             | 3574295/y   |
| 2   | Ain      | Alhur        | 20/Jazera   | 50       | 120000 | Desert /   | underground          | Do not have a   | well       | 25m depth   | 7.8   | Lomé        | valid       | 365447/x    |
|     | Altamur  |              |             |          |        | suitable   | water/               | share of water  |            |             |       | sandy       |             | 3572708/y   |
| 3   | Centre   | Husainia     | 60/Haswa    | 1,1      | 35000  | Desert     | irrigation project / | Do not have a   | surface    | 10 m depth  | 7.4   | sandy       | invalid     | 402462/x    |
|     |          |              | 4/Mkeheel   |          |        | unsuitable |                      | share of water  | irrigation |             |       |             |             | 3621094/y   |
|     |          | Tota         | l           |          | 31500  | 0 dunam    |                      |                 |            |             |       |             |             |             |
|     | N        | Number of op | portunities |          |        | 3          |                      |                 |            |             |       |             |             |             |

<sup>•</sup> Karbala Agro letter 10299 in 15/11/2018

### **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in the Province of Holly Najaf for 2022**

| Seq.  | township     | Count  | Plo | Area /    | Туре    | Availability | Method of      | Soil     | Coordinates |
|-------|--------------|--------|-----|-----------|---------|--------------|----------------|----------|-------------|
|       |              | y No.  | t   | dunam     |         | of water     | irrigation and | analyses | X           |
|       |              |        | No. |           |         | share        | depth          | PH and   | y           |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              |                | type     |             |
| 1     | Shabaka      | 1      | 2   | 700.000   | Agricu  | Not          | Valid          | 6-8      | X: 443018   |
|       |              |        |     |           | lture   | available    | Underground    | mixed    | Y: 3467027  |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              | waters 120-    |          |             |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              | 180 m          |          |             |
| 2     | Shabaka      | 1      | 2   | 20.000    | Agricu  | Not          | Valid          | 6-8      | X: 434979   |
|       |              |        |     |           | lture   | available    | Underground    | mixed    | Y:3449876   |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              | waters 120-    |          |             |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              | 180 m          |          |             |
| 3     | Shabaka      | 1      | 2   | 6435      | Agricu  | Not          | Valid          | 6-8      | X: 421039   |
|       |              |        |     |           | lture   | available    | Underground    | mixed    | Y: 3490687  |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              | waters 120-    |          |             |
|       |              |        |     |           |         |              | 180 m          |          |             |
| Numbe | r of opportu | nities | 3   |           | Total a | rea in dunum |                | 726435   |             |
| • •   | 000 1 NT 1   |        |     | 0.10/0000 |         |              |                |          |             |

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# **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Diwaniyah Province for 2022**

| No. | Distric | townshi  | County No.   | Plot No. | Area      | Туре         | Availability      | Source of            | Metho           | Depth of        | Anal | ysis of soil | Validity      | Coordina   | Location | notes |
|-----|---------|----------|--------------|----------|-----------|--------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|--------------|---------------|------------|----------|-------|
|     | t       | p        |              |          | /<br>duna |              | of water<br>share | water                | d of<br>irrigat | undergro<br>und | PH   | soil         | of<br>undergr | tes<br>x   |          |       |
|     |         |          |              |          | m         |              | Share             |                      | ion             | waters          |      | Tissues      | ound          | Y          |          |       |
|     |         |          |              |          |           |              |                   |                      |                 |                 |      |              | waters        |            |          |       |
| 1.  | Gham    | Ghamma   | 23 Asiya     | 1/17     | 52        | Agriculture  | unavailable       |                      |                 |                 |      |              |               | 459013     |          |       |
|     | mas     | S        |              |          |           |              |                   |                      |                 |                 |      |              |               | 3517637    |          |       |
| 2.  | Gham    | Ghamma   | 2 Al Karaa   | 134      | 660       | Agriculture  | Available         | Al Haffar<br>project | irrigati<br>on  |                 |      |              |               | 3509376    |          |       |
|     | mas     | S        |              |          |           |              | from water        | Frages               |                 |                 |      |              |               | 470411     |          |       |
|     |         |          |              |          |           |              | pump no. 29163    |                      |                 |                 |      |              |               |            |          |       |
| 3.  | Al      | Al       | 11/Al        | 1        | 6000      | Agriculture  | Unavailable       | Underground          | Wells           | 40-50           | 7.9  | sandy        | valid         | 496106     | Outside  |       |
|     | Hamza   | Shanafya | Rekbaniya    | -        | 0000      | 118110111111 | C144 (4114614     | waters               | , , ens         | .000            | ,,,  | Samay        | , are         | 3464235    | o utsido |       |
| 4.  | Al      | Al       | 10 hor alla  | 2        | 1050      | Agriculture  | available         | Euphrates            | means           | 5 m             | 7.8  | mixed        | valid         | 499168     | near     |       |
|     | Hamza   | Shanafya |              |          |           |              |                   |                      |                 |                 |      |              |               | 3470440    |          |       |
| 5.  | Al      | Al       | 3/ Al        | 1/23     | 1703      | Agriculture  | available         | Euphrates            | means           | 20-30           | 7.8  | clay         | invalid       | X: 479653  |          |       |
|     | Hamza   | Shanafya | Masoodiyah   |          |           |              |                   |                      |                 |                 |      |              |               | Y: 3502135 |          |       |
| 6.  | Al      | Al       | 12/ Al Usra  | 1394/136 | 2600      | Agriculture  | unavailable       | Wells                | Means           |                 |      |              | Valid         | 34835941   |          |       |
|     | Hamza   | Shanafya |              |          | 0         |              |                   |                      |                 |                 |      |              |               | 455650     |          |       |
| 7.  | Al      | Al       | 8. Aziz Alla | 1/10     | 399       | Agriculture  | Available         | Irrigation           | Means           |                 | 7.5  | mixed        |               | 490043     |          |       |
|     | Hamza   | Hamza    |              |          |           |              |                   | cannels              |                 |                 |      |              |               | 3508647    |          |       |
| 8.  | Al      | Al       | Abo          | 2/5368   | 590       | Agriculture  | Available         | Irrigation           | Means           |                 | 7.6  | mixed        |               | 484766     |          |       |
|     | Hamza   | Hamza    | Hasheesh/9   |          |           |              |                   | Cannels              |                 |                 |      |              |               | 3503035    |          |       |
| 9.  | Al      | Al       | 11 Al Ramla  | 6/1      | 880       | Agriculture  | Available         | Irrigation           | Means           |                 | 7.6  | mixed        |               | 3490980    |          |       |
|     | Hamza   | Hamza    |              |          |           |              |                   | Cannels              |                 |                 |      |              |               | 509837     |          |       |
| 10. | Al      | Al       | 6/Imam       | 1/34     | 250       | Agriculture  | Available         | Irrigation           | Euphrat         |                 | 8.1  | clay         | invalid       | 48451      |          |       |
|     | Hamza   | Sadeer   | Medieen      |          |           |              |                   | Cannels              | es              |                 |      |              |               | 3516400    |          |       |

|     |         |         | 21.5         |           |       |             |              | Euphrates         | means  | 6 m        |     | 3 51 . |            |            |                |  |
|-----|---------|---------|--------------|-----------|-------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|--------|------------|-----|--------|------------|------------|----------------|--|
| 11. | Al      | Al      | 2/ Al        | 1/24,     | 273.2 | Agriculture | Available    | Eupinates         | incans | O III      | 7.2 | Mixed  | valid      | 504900     |                |  |
|     | Hamza   | Sadeer  | Dehaya       |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     | clay   |            | 3521200    |                |  |
| 12. | Al      | Al      | 2/ Al        | 6-7 – 1/7 | 166   | Agriculture | Available    | Euphrates         | means  | -          | 7.4 | Mixed  | valid      | 505125     |                |  |
|     | Hamza   | Sadeer  | Dehaya       |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     | clay   |            | 352182     |                |  |
| 13. | Al      | Al      | 2/ Al-       | 33/12     | 500   | Agriculture | available    | Euphrates         | means  |            | 7.9 | Mixed  | Valid      | X: 503720  |                |  |
| 13. | Hamza   | Sadeer  | Dahayah      | 33/12     | 300   | Agriculture | avanaoic     | -                 |        |            | 1.9 | WIIACU | v and      | Y: 3517640 |                |  |
|     |         |         | -            |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        |            |            |                |  |
| 14. | Daghar  | Daghara | 24 /Hor      | 91/51     | 77    | Agriculture |              |                   |        |            |     |        | invalid    | 491453     |                |  |
|     | a       |         | Shuaib       |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        |            | 3576047    |                |  |
| 15. | Soumer  | Soumer  | 30 Jazeera   | 8         | 1600  | Agriculture | unavailable  | Outside           |        |            |     |        | Outside    | 520135     |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              | irrigation limits |        |            |     |        | irrigation | 3576046    |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        | limits     |            |                |  |
| 16. | Soumer  | Soumer  | 8 Al Sikab   | 29/35     | 200   | Agriculture |              |                   |        |            |     |        | Outside    |            |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       | 8           |              |                   |        |            |     |        | irrigation |            |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        | limits     |            |                |  |
| 17. | Soumer  | Soumer  | 30 Jazeera   | 9         | 1750  | Agriculture |              |                   |        |            |     |        | Outside    |            |                |  |
| 1,, | Bounier | Soumer  | 30 subceru   |           | 1750  | rigiteuture |              |                   |        |            |     |        | irrigation |            |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        | limits     |            |                |  |
| 18. | Soumer  | Soumer  | 30 Jazeera   | 9         | 1500  | Agriculture |              |                   |        |            |     |        | Outside    |            |                |  |
| 10. | Souther | Souther | 30 Jazeeta   | ,         | 1300  | Agriculture |              |                   |        |            |     |        | irrigation |            |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        | limits     |            |                |  |
| 19. | Afak    | Nafar   | 25/ Badaa    | 1/9       | 980   | Agriculture | Unavailable  | The general       | maana  | 5-8 m      |     |        | valid      | Outside    | 530120         |  |
| 19. | Alak    | Natar   | 23/ Dadaa    | 1/9       | 980   | Agriculture | Uliavaliable | _                 | means  | J-8 III    |     |        | vanu       |            |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              | estuary           |        |            |     |        |            | irrigation | 3563656        |  |
|     |         | 37.0    | 25/5         | 1.10      |       |             |              |                   |        | <b>7</b> 0 |     |        |            | limits     | <b>72</b> (000 |  |
| 20. | Afak    | Nafar   | 25/ Badaa    | 1/9       | 575   | Agriculture | Unavailable  | The general       | means  | 5-8 m      |     |        | valid      | Outside    | 526800         |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              | estuary           |        |            |     |        |            | irrigation | 3564760        |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              |                   |        |            |     |        |            | limits     |                |  |
| 21. | Afak    | Nafar   | 27/ Shat al- | 1         | 1200  | Agriculture | Unavailable  | The general       | means  | 5-8 meters | 8   | Mixed  | valid      | X: 524200  |                |  |
|     |         |         | Neel         |           |       |             |              | estuary           |        |            |     | clay   |            | Y: 3572450 |                |  |
| 22. | Afak    | Nafar   | 27/ Shat al- | 1         | 285   | Agriculture | Unavailable  | The general       | means  | 5-8 meters | 8   | Mixed  | valid      | 521069     |                |  |
|     |         |         | Neel         |           |       | -           |              | estuary           |        |            |     | clay   |            | 3573944    |                |  |
|     |         |         |              |           |       |             |              | <u> </u>          |        |            |     |        |            |            |                |  |

|     |      | T T   | 1                    |                             |           |             | 1           |                     | 1     | 1          | 1 |               |       |                   |                                 |  |
|-----|------|-------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------|------------|---|---------------|-------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| 23. | Afak | Nafar | 27/ Shat al-<br>Neel | 1                           | 400       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 meters | 8 | Mixed<br>clay | valid | 526462<br>3567779 |                                 |  |
| 24. | Afak | Nafar | 27/ Shat al-<br>Neel | 1                           | 310       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 meters | 8 | Mixed<br>clay | valid | 525800<br>3567369 |                                 |  |
| 25. | Afak | Nafar | 27/ Shat al-<br>Neel | 1 ,6 ,11, 7/7<br>,7/6 , 5/7 | 6100      | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 meters | 8 | Mixed<br>clay | valid | 523123<br>3561083 |                                 |  |
| 26. | Afak | Nafar | 25/ Badaa            | 1/9                         | 4173      | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 m      |   |               | valid | 526750<br>3561595 | Outside irrigation limits       |  |
| 27. | Afak | Nafar | 25/ Badaa            | 1/9                         | 8464      | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 m      |   |               | valid | 536919<br>3564502 | Outside irrigation limits       |  |
| 28. | Afak | Nafar | 27/ Shat al-<br>Neel | 1                           | 9239      | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 m      |   |               | valid | 524704<br>3569986 | Outside irrigation limits       |  |
| 29. | Afak | Nafar | 27/ Shat al-<br>Neel | 1                           | 3023<br>9 | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 m      |   |               | valid | 532926<br>3569142 | Outside<br>irrigation<br>limits |  |
| 30. | Afak | Nafar | 5/ Nafar             | 26                          | 270       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 m      |   |               | valid | 522632<br>3556596 | Outside                         |  |
| 31. | Afak | Nafar | 25/ Badaa            | 3                           | 1100      | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary | means | 5-8 m      |   |               | valid | 527190<br>3556154 | Outside<br>irrigation<br>limits |  |
| 32. | Afak | Afak  | 1/1                  | 26                          | 415       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary |       |            |   |               |       | 533381<br>3557012 |                                 |  |
| 33. | Afak | Afak  | 1/1                  | 26                          | 425       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary |       |            |   |               |       | 537080<br>3553691 |                                 |  |
| 34. | Afak | Afak  | 1/1                  | 26                          | 450       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary |       |            |   |               |       | 536962<br>3555406 |                                 |  |
| 35. | Afak | Afak  | 1/1                  | 26                          | 3000      | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary |       |            |   |               |       | 539091<br>3556487 |                                 |  |
| 36. | Afak | Afak  | 1/1                  | 26                          | 950       | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general estuary |       |            |   |               |       | 541437<br>3556543 |                                 |  |

| 37. | Afak        | Afak      | 16           | 33           | 45.21 | Agriculture | available   | Al Khair river |       |     |       | 158426     |         |  |
|-----|-------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------|-----|-------|------------|---------|--|
|     |             |           |              |              | .00   |             |             |                |       |     |       | 3546162    |         |  |
| 38. | Afak        | Afak      | 26           | 1/1          | 6000  | Agriculture | Unavailable | The general    |       |     |       | 1540398    |         |  |
|     |             |           |              | 1/6          |       |             |             | estuary        |       |     |       | 3553666    |         |  |
|     |             |           |              | 1/9          |       |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
|     |             |           |              | 1/10         |       |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
|     |             |           |              | 1/11         |       |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
| 39. | Al          | Dijla     | 1/1, 2       | 19 Al taweel | 1700  | Agriculture | unavailable |                |       | 7.4 | Mixed | X: 567109  | Outside |  |
|     | Bdair       |           |              |              | 0     |             |             |                |       |     | clay  | Y: 3306147 |         |  |
| 40. | Al<br>Bdair | Dijla     | 16/ Al Bdair | 31           | 1900  | Agriculture | unavailable |                |       | 7.8 | Mixed | X:551390   | Outside |  |
|     | Buair       |           |              |              |       |             |             |                |       |     | clay  | Y:3540230  |         |  |
| 41. | Al          | Dijla     | 13/ Al Bdair | 2/4          | 2650  | Agriculture | unavailable |                |       | 8.1 | Mixed | 548160     | Outside |  |
|     | Bdair       |           |              |              |       |             |             |                |       |     | clay  | 3540230    |         |  |
| 42. | Al          | Dijla     | 12/ Al Bdair | 7 & 16 & 5   | 4800  | Agriculture | unavailable | wells          | means | 8.2 | Mixed | 548621     | Outside |  |
|     | Bdair       |           |              | &1           |       |             |             |                |       |     | clay  | 3544520    |         |  |
|     |             |           |              | 51/11        |       |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
| 43. | Al<br>Bdair | Al Bdair  | 14/ Al fawar | 19/1         | 4410  | Agriculture | Unavailable |                |       |     |       | 524124     |         |  |
|     | Bdair       |           |              |              |       |             |             |                |       |     |       | 3517943    |         |  |
|     |             | Total     |              | 149030.      | 23    |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
|     | Total       |           |              | Dunan        | 1     |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
| ]   | Number      | of opport | unities      | 43           |       |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |
|     |             |           |              |              |       |             |             |                |       |     |       |            |         |  |

Agriculture office in Dewaniya / letter no. 2348 in 2 /2/2021

Number of opportunities

### **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Thi Qar Province for 2022**

| No. | District            | township        | County No.                                    | Plot No.      | Area /<br>Dunam | Type                               | Availability of water share | Source of water                       | Method of irrigation | Coordinates           | Analys | sis of soil               | Notes  |
|-----|---------------------|-----------------|---|---------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--------|---------------------------|--|
|     |                     |                 |   |               | Dunum           |                                    | water share                 |                                       | nngunon              | Y                     | РН     | soil<br>Tissues           |  |
| 1.  | Chibaesh            | Manar           | 10/Albosha<br>ma                              | 1             | 1000            | Agricultural                       | available                   | Al Gharraf river                      | pumps                | 3425089<br>677896     | 7.47   | Mixed                     |  |
| 2.  | Chibaesh            | Manar           | 2/Behmeda                                     | 1             | 300             | Agricultural                       | available                   | Euphrates                             | pumps                | 3426170/y<br>673460/x | 7.05   | Sandy<br>Mixed            |  |
| 3.  | Shatra              | Daweiya         | 4/ Hataman                                    | 7/7           | 1000            | Agriculture                        | Available                   | Al Gharraf river                      | pumps                | 3492542<br>633624     | 7.64   | Mixed<br>sandy            |  |
| 4.  | Shatra              | Daweiya         | 30/ Al<br> Ghadeen                            | 11            | 5000            | Agriculture                        | Available                   | Al Gharraf river                      | pumps                | 3492682<br>634281     | 7.17   | Mixed sandy               |  |
| 5.  | Shatra              |                 | 12/ Al Hijia                                  | 157           | 2008            | Agriculture                        | Available                   | Al Hashmiya& Al<br>Hijiya river       | irrigation           | 603546<br>3482939     | 7      | Mixed sandy               |  |
| 6.  | Al Rifaee           | Sukar<br>Castle | 20/ um Al<br>Kata                             | 1, 2,3,5,9,12 | 2000            | Agriculture                        | available                   | Al Gharraf river                      | pumps                | 3532969<br>617434     | 7.6    | Mixed sand                |  |
| 7.  | Nasiriya            | Center          | 8/ Al<br>Hazim, 9<br>Salibiya, 48<br>Sakhriya | art of 15     | 15000           | Agriculture<br>medium<br>fertility | available                   | Ibada river out of<br>Al Huriya river | pumps                | 608038<br>3408705     | 7.1    | sandy                     | After excluding 18000 dunem for oil exploring within the tenth zone of Southern oils |
| 8.  | Sooq Al<br>Sheyoukh | Al Fadhila      | 24/Algarta<br>Algharbia                       | 1             | 1500            | Agriculture                        | available                   | Al Huriya river                       | pumps                | 642190<br>3403560     | 4.9    | Mixed<br>Clay<br>Alluvial |  |
| 9.  | Sooq Al<br>Sheyoukh | Al Fadhila      | 26/Algarta<br>Alsharqia                       | 1             | 1500            | Agriculture                        | available                   | Ibada river                           | pumps                | 640908<br>3401110     | 6.8    | Mixed<br>Clay<br>Alluvial |  |
| 10. | Sooq Al<br>Sheyoukh | Al Fadhila      | 37/ Tel Al<br>laham                           | 1             | 600             | Agriculture                        | available                   | Ibada river                           | pumps                | 630312<br>3407000     | 7.2    | Mixed                     |  |
|     | Total               |                 | 29908 Dunar                                   | n             |                 |                                    |                             |                                       |                      |                       |        |                           |  |

• Thi Qar Agri Office letter no. 13712 in 8/10/2018

### **Predisposing land for Agricultural Investment in Basra Province for 2022**

| No. | District  | township  | County<br>No.                    | Plot No.             | Area /<br>Dunam | Туре            | source of<br>water | Availabilit<br>y of water | irrigation/                     | undergr        | Coordinates<br>x  |    | llysis of<br>soil | Notes |
|-----|-----------|-----------|----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|----|-------------------|-------|
|     |           |           |                                  |                      |                 |                 |                    | share                     | location to irrigation projects | ound<br>waters | Y                 | PH | soil<br>Tissues   |       |
| 1.  | Al Zubair | -         | 25/south<br>Badia                | -                    | 4768            |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 701200<br>3378683 |    |                   |       |
| 2.  | Al Zubair | -         | 25/south<br>Badia                |                      | 4275            |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 700860<br>3378560 |    |                   |       |
| 3.  | Al Zubair | -         | 25/south<br>Badia                |                      | 10831           |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 693220<br>3375450 |    |                   |       |
| 4.  | Al Zubair | -         | 25/south<br>Badia                |                      | 12235           |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 678000<br>3362230 |    |                   |       |
| 5.  | Al Zubair | -         | 25/south<br>Badia                |                      | 8800            |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 684753<br>3378704 |    |                   |       |
| 6.  | Al Mdaina |           | 35 Al<br>Hara &<br>Abo<br>kbarsa | 94                   | 37              |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 711903<br>3424033 |    |                   |       |
| 7.  | Seeba     |           | 19<br>Sabbagh                    | 2                    | 7017            |                 |                    |                           |                                 |                | 737858<br>3354499 |    |                   |       |
| 8.  | Qurna     | Al Mdaina | 29/ Al<br>Fathiya                | 157, 34,<br>35,36,38 | 100             | Agricul<br>ture | river<br>waters/   | available                 | means                           | -              | 718302<br>3427774 |    | clay              |       |

### Iraq Investment Map 2022

| 9.  | Fao                        |       | 2/ kut<br>khalifa | 2/111 | 253  |               |                                      |             |        | -    | 746822<br>3344915 |   |               |  |
|-----|----------------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------|------|-------------------|---|---------------|--|
| 10. | Fao                        | Bihar | 1/ kut<br>Bander  | 14/2  | 107  | salty<br>soil | New irrigation cannel                | available   | Means/ | -    | 743628<br>3348640 |   | Salty<br>Clay |  |
| 11. | Al Zubair                  | -     | 25/south<br>Badia | -     | 4422 | Desert        | undergrou<br>nd waters /<br>suitable | unavailable | wells  | 50 m | 682600<br>3386800 | - | Sandy         |  |
|     | Total 52845 Dunam          |       | unam              |       |      |               |                                      |             |        |      |                   |   |               |  |
| Nui | Number of opportunities 11 |       |                   |       |      |               |                                      |             |        |      |                   |   |               |  |

Basra Province Agri. office letter no. 1540 in 8/2/2021

#### Lands Suitable for investment west the Euphrates •

#### **First: Semawa Province**

There are two areas where investment can be achieved, Al Intisar and Hammurabi with total area of 300.000 donum, that can be increased to 500.000 donum within Al Salman district.

#### Al Intisar

- 150.000 donum of suitable lands
- Water holes thickness does not exceed 70 m
- Expected productivity for the wells in the water holes gathering is no more than 2 l/s, percentage of salinity is 10.000 m/cm

#### Hammurabi

- 220.000 donum of suitable lands, that can be increased to 300.000 donum
- Located near the old airport close to the modern village
- Wells depth is 100-250 m heading to the west
- Underground waters level is 70-125 m as far as heading to the west
- Expected productivity for the wells is 5-10 l/s, decreases to 3 l/s heading to the west
- TDS is between 2500 mg/litter to 4000 mg/litter

#### Second: Najaf

- 700.000 donum of suitable lands for investment in Al Shibacha district
- Wells depth is 150-200 m as far as heading to the west
- Underground waters level is 90-100 m heading to the west
- Expected productivity for the wells is 5 l/s, decreases to 3 l/s the heading to the west
- TDS is between 3000 mg/litter to 5000 mg/litter

Ministry of Irrigation letter/planning and follow up dept./ Strategic Studies unit 33161 in 11/11/2019

<sup>\*</sup>Al Muthana Province letter/ Governor office 106 in 13/1/2020

Given the importance of allocating agricultural lands and prepare them for investment in accordance with the criteria set by the Ministry of Agriculture and the use of drip irrigation systems, a comprehensive strategy was drawn up focusing on increasing palm trees productivity (vertical expansion), which means increasing the productivity of a single palm tree instead of increasing the number of palms with low productivity and adopting drip irrigation to legalize the use of water and its economic feasibility and identifying the globally desirable varieties of dates that are suitable for Iraq's agricultural environment.

In light of that strategy, the land surveys shown in the table were adopted.

#### **Wasit Governorate**

| no | Area in<br>dunums | Dis.                             | No.<br>of<br>plots | Ownership | Agri. office | Water shares  |
|----|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|--------------|---|
| 1  | 1500              | 19 Ouoon                         | 1                  | various   |              | Underground waters 60 m depth 3000-3500 ppm salts               |
| 2  | 300               | 8 Haseema                        | 1                  | various   | Zurbatiya    | Underground waters<br>60 m depth<br>2700 ppm salts              |
| 3  | 267               | 16 Sajla &<br>Sabgha             | 1                  | various   | Badra        | Underground waters 60 m depth 3000-4000 ppm salts               |
| 4  | 230               | 11 Shafaf                        | 1                  | various   | Jassan       | Underground waters 60 m depth 5000- 6000 ppm salts              |
| 5  | 2000              | 21 hour<br>Muilih<br>18 Mezaibla | 2                  | various   | Jassan       | Underground waters<br>18-24 m depth<br>More than 7000 ppm salts |
| 6  | 300               | 21 hour                          | 2                  | various   | Jassan       | Underground waters<br>18-24 m depth<br>More than 7000 ppm salts |

General Secretariat of the Ministers Council letter/ Ministers Council Affairs and committees dept. no. 35492 in 30/11/2021

#### **Dewaniya Governorate**

| no | Area in<br>dunums | Dis.             | No.<br>of<br>plots | Ownership | Agri.<br>office | Water shares              | notes                   |
|----|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1  | 52                | 23 Al<br>Asiya   | 1                  | MoF       |                 | surface water             | Suitable for palm trees |
| 2  | 660               | Karaa 2          | 1                  | MoF       |                 | surface water             | Suitable for palm trees |
| 3  | 250               | Imam<br>Median 2 | 1                  | MoF       |                 | surface water             | Suitable for palm trees |
| 4  | 273.2             | Dahaya 2         | 1                  | MoF       | Sadeer          | surface water             | Suitable for palm trees |
| 5  | 166               | Dahaya 2         | 3                  | MoF       | Sadeer          | surface water             | Suitable for palm trees |
| 6  | 500               | Dahaya 12        | 3                  | MoF       | Sadeer          | No share of surface water | Suitable for palm trees |

| 7 | 500  | Dahaya 2  | 2 | MoF | Sadeer | No share of surface water | Suitable for palm trees |
|---|------|-----------|---|-----|--------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 8 | 4800 | Bedair 12 | 5 | MoF | Dijla  | No share of surface water | Suitable for palm trees |
| 9 | 169  | Dahaya 12 | 2 | MoF | Sadeer | No share of surface water | Suitable for palm trees |

## Holly Najaf Governorate

| no | Area | Dis.                      | No of plots     | owners<br>hip | Agri.<br>office                    | Source of irrigation | notes  | Water share   |
|----|------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|--|---|
| 1  | 1000 | 1<br>Shabaka              | 1 plot<br>No. 2 | MoF           | Najaf dis.                         | wells                | Desert<br>lands  | The nearest well is 11 km<br>away<br>200 m depth<br>4500 ppm salt |
| 2  | 891  | Jazeerat<br>Al Najaf<br>4 | 1 plot<br>No. 3 | MoF           | Najaf dis.<br>The<br>green<br>belt | wells                | Desert lands with gas pipe along with the strategic line | Underground waters 45 m<br>4500 ppm salts                         |

## Diyala Governorate

| No. | Village. And plot no.                         | Dis.                    | Area/<br>dunum | Property type                                     | Water share  |
|-----|---|-------------------------|----------------|---|--|
| 1   | Baladros 6/1                                  | 16 Tel Abo<br>Rasain    | 600            | Agri. lands<br>Rains are not guaranteed           | Wells depth 36-50 m<br>Salts 900-3000 ppm  |
| 2   | Baladros/<br>Mandly 81                        | 16// Wadi<br>Kenkeer    | 177            | Watered lands suitable for groves                 | Wells depth 80m<br>Salts 3000 ppm  |
| 3   | Al Khalis-<br>Mansoriya 43                    | Mansoriya 28            | 200            | Agri lands<br>With wells                          | Wells depth 24- 100m<br>Salts 3500 ppm   |
| 4   | Al Khalis-<br>Mansoriya<br>1/29               | 16/ Shohani             | 500            | Watered lands                                     | Wells depth 24- 100m<br>Salts 3500 ppm   |
| 5   | Muqdadiya-<br>Wajehiya 1/11                   | 10/ Wajehiya<br>village | 150            | Irrigated lands                                   | With water share   |
| 6   | Muqdadiya-<br>Wajehiya 2/1                    | 10/ Wajehiya<br>village | 500            | Irrigated lands by means                          | With water share   |
| 7   | Baquba –<br>Buhruz<br>10/13<br>10/23<br>10/24 | 17/ Imam<br>Habash      | 86             | Irrigated lands by means                          | Without water share  |
| 8   | Baladros/<br>Mandly 8/40                      | 31 Ain Al<br>Baghdadi   | 2001           | Suitable for animal investment / means irrigation | Water springs Available after<br>the approval of the Water<br>Resources Minister |



| 9  | Muqdadiya                          | 26/ northern             | 20   | Agri lands   | Without water share |
|----|------------------------------------|--------------------------|------|--|---------------------|
|    | 19/12                              | Haroniya                 |      | Rains are not guaranteed   |                     |
| 10 | Muqdadiya<br>12/76                 | 26/ northern<br>Haroniya | 30   | Agri lands Rains are not guaranteed  | Without water share |
| 11 | Muqdadiya<br>12/76                 | 26/ northern<br>Haroniya | 50   | Agri lands<br>Rains are not guaranteed   | Without water share |
| 12 | Muqdadiya<br>1/39<br>1/40<br>1/41  | 26/ northern<br>Haroniya | 600  | Agri lands<br>Rains are not guaranteed   | Without water share |
| 13 | Muqdadiya<br>1/299                 | 24/Eetha                 | 190  | Sand lands Rains are not guaranteed  | Without water share |
| 14 | Baquba –<br>Buhruz<br>2/14<br>2/25 | 13/Tel Al Derb           | 28   | Irrigated lands by means   | Without water share |
| 15 | Baquba –<br>Buhruz<br>3/6<br>5/6   | 16/ Tel Al<br>Terheeb    | 160  | Mixed sandy lands by means irrigation  | Without water share |
| 16 | Baladros 7/66                      | 19/ southern<br>Mreja    | 150  | Agri lands Rains are not guaranteed suggested as typical palm trees station  | Without water share |
| 17 | Baladros 7/133                     | 19/ southern<br>Mreja    | 100  | Agri lands<br>Rains are guaranteed   | Without water share |
| 18 | Baladros 6/1                       | 6 /Tel Abo<br>Rasain     | 2790 | Agri lands<br>Rains are guaranteed   | Without water share |
| 19 | Baladros<br>7/94<br>7/95<br>7/96   | 19/ southern<br>Mreja    | 362  | Agri lands<br>Rains are guaranteed   | Without water share |
| 20 | Baladros<br>7/89                   | 19/ southern<br>Mreja    | 221  | Agri. Lands suggested as cooling and freezing warehouses projects  | Without water share |
| 21 | Baladros<br>7/106                  | 19/ southern<br>Mreja    | 90   | Agri lands<br>Rains are not guaranteed   | Without water share |
| 22 | Baladros/<br>Mandly 303/46         | 30/Tahmaya               | 208  | Agri lands Rains are not guaranteed Suitable for animal and crops production   | Without water share |
| 23 | Al Khalis<br>Part of plot<br>1/106 | 72/ Bakir<br>Agha        | 137  | Agri lands Irrigation project approved by investment unit letter no. 1525 in 28/10/2020 as an investment opportunity | Without water share |

### **Al Muthana Governorate**

| no | Village | Dis.           | plot      | Area in      | Water shares             |
|----|---------|----------------|-----------|--------------|--------------------------|
|    |         |                |           | dunums       |                          |
| 1  | Hilal   | 8 Dihla        | 103       | 12           | Has a water share        |
| 2  | Majd    | 15             | 23        | 59           | Has a water share        |
| 3  | Hilal   | 3 Burja        | 1/4 & 1/5 | 17           | Has a water share        |
| 4  | Hilal   | 58 Eastern     | 135       | 18           | Has a water share        |
|    |         | Deyam          |           |              |                          |
| 5  | Hilal   | 3 Burja        | 1/203/2   | 12           | Has a water share        |
| 6  | Hilal   | 8 Dihla        | 69        | 12           | Has a water share        |
| 7  | Khudhir | 4 Ayn Al Said  | 20/2723   | 20           | Do not has a water share |
| 8  | Khudhir | 6 Shewaila     | 193       | 22 and 8 ulk | Do not has a water share |
| 9  | Khudhir | 23 Ayn Al Said | 1         | 108          | Do not has a water share |
| 10 | Khudhir | 23 Ayn Al Said | 1         | 60           | Do not has a water share |
| 11 | Khudhir | 4 Ayn Al Said  | 20/2723   | 45 and 11    | Do not has a water share |
|    |         |                |           | ulk          |                          |
| 12 | Khudhir | 4 Ayn Al Said  | 20/2723   | 555          | Do not has a water share |
| 13 | Salman  | 1 Rifaei       | 1         | 400          | Do not has a water share |
| 14 | Hilal   | 6 Shewaila     | 193       | 23 and 14    | Do not has a water share |
|    |         |                |           | ulk          |                          |
| 15 | Hilal   | Manber         | 174-173   | 20           | Do not has a water share |



### Holly Karbala Governorate

| no | Agri.  | Dis. And  | ownership  | area | Source of  | notes                 | Water      |
|----|--------|-----------|------------|------|------------|-----------------------|------------|
|    | office | plot no.  |            |      | irrigation |                       | share      |
| 1  | Desert | Jazeera/  | For        | 1000 | Wells      | 1- Allocated for      | Wells      |
|    |        | 61        | geological |      |            | geological survey     | depth 260- |
|    |        | 3         | survey     |      |            | 2- Located between    | 280 m      |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | the strategic line    | Salt       |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | and Karbala- Najaf    | percentage |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | road                  | 3000 ppm   |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | 3- Currently used for |            |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | vegetable crops       |            |
| 2  | Ain    | Jazeera/  | Local      | 770  | wells      | 1- Next to a project  | Wells      |
|    | Tamir  | 20        | private    |      |            | that belongs to the   | depth      |
|    |        | Tel Al    | property   |      |            | Abassiy Holly         | 100m       |
|    |        | Dhabia    |            |      |            | Shrine authority      | Salt       |
|    |        | 50        |            |      |            | 2- Within Local       | percentage |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | private property      | 3000 ppm   |
| 3  | Ain    | Jazeera/  | Local      | 421  | wells      | 3- 4 km from the      | Wells      |
|    | Tamir  | 20        | private    |      |            | highway between       | depth 45-  |
|    |        | Um Al     | property   |      |            | Karbala and Ain       | 50 m       |
|    |        | Khanazeer |            |      |            | Tamir                 | Salt       |
|    |        | 50        |            |      |            | 4- Next to a project  | percentage |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | that belongs to the   | 3000 ppm   |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | Husainy Holly         |            |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | Shrine authority      |            |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | 5- Within Local       |            |
|    |        |           |            |      |            | private property      |            |

## Thi Qar Governorate

| No. | Area  | Dis. And plot no.        | ownership | Agri.<br>office       | Source of irrigation | notes  | Water share                                      |
|-----|-------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------|--|
| 1   | 200   | 35 Al<br>Malha<br>1 /2   | 1         | Al<br>Fohood          | Wells                | Desert | Wells depth 12 m<br>Salts more than<br>10000 ppm |
| 2   | 10000 | 17 Al<br>Jezeera<br>1 /2 | 1         | Al<br>manar           | Wells                | Desert | Wells depth 12 m<br>Salts more than<br>10000 ppm |
| 3   | 4000  |                          | 1         | Karma<br>Beni<br>Saad | Wells                | Desert | Wells depth 12 m<br>Salts more than<br>10000 ppm |

# **Basra Governorate**

| No. | Area/<br>dunum | District             | Plot No. | ownership              | Agri.<br>Office | Notes                             | Water<br>share   |
|-----|----------------|----------------------|----------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1.  | 1118           | South Badiyah/<br>25 |          | not determined<br>yet  | Al- Zubair      | Site offered<br>for<br>investment | 30 meter<br>depth<br>Wells/<br>salts<br>percentag<br>e 5800<br>ppm     |
| 2.  | 2113           | South Badiyah/<br>25 |          | not determined<br>yet  | Al- Zubair      | Site offered for groves starting  | 70 meter<br>depth<br>wells/<br>salts<br>percentag<br>e 7000<br>ppm     |
| 3.  | 2557           | Hammar Marsh/<br>65  |          | not determined<br>yet  | Al- Sadiq       | ???                               | Over<br>ground<br>water  |
| 4.  | 604            | Al- Waki/ 75         |          | not determined<br>yet  | Al- Sadiq       | ???                               | Over<br>ground<br>water  |
| 5.  | 1750           | Khaiaber / 78        |          | Ministry of<br>Finance | Al-<br>Nashwah  |                                   | 150<br>meter<br>depth<br>wells/<br>salts<br>percentag<br>e 8000<br>ppm |



| 6.  | 2189 | 1 Kut Bander                     | 14                            | Full ownership + contractors 117  | Al- Faw          | Neglected<br>groves  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
|-----|------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|------------------|--|-------------------------|
| 7.  | 1800 | 2 kut khalefa                    | 122<br>117<br>119<br>111      | Full ownership<br>Contractors 117   | Al- Faw          | Neglected<br>groves and<br><br>with Arab<br>owners                   | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 8.  | 3520 | 3 al- Fadaghiah                  | 26/3<br>1/17                  | Full ownership + contractors 117 Endowments                               | Al- Faw          | Neglected<br>groves  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 9.  | 5300 | 4/ Al- Dora                      | 16/2<br>14/2<br>3/86<br>3/453 | Full ownership<br>Contractors 11  | Al- Faw          | Neglected<br>groves  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 10. | 7236 | 5/ al- Maamerah                  | 74<br>75<br>12/6              | Full ownership<br>Contractors 117   | Al- Faw          | Neglected<br>groves  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 11. | 5616 | 6/ southern Faw                  | 15/7<br>915<br>1645           | Right to act  | Al- Faw          |  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 12. | 134  | Al- Shafi and Al-<br>Shanana/ 22 | 5/4                           | Ministry of<br>Finance  | Al- Deer         | Local private<br>ownership<br>For Tribes<br>Meeh , Malik,<br>Mansour | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 13. | 118  | Al- Shafi and Al-<br>Shanana/ 22 | 5/4                           | Ministry of<br>Finance  | Al- Deer         | Local private<br>ownership for<br>Malik Tribe                        | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 14. | 626  | Al- Shafi and Al-<br>Shanana/ 22 | 15                            | Ministry of<br>Finance + the<br>right to act by<br>Mr. Hamid Al-<br>Naqib | Al- Deer         | Local private<br>ownership for<br>Jubieem Tribe                      | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 15. | 130  | Yazdo/ 23                        | 134                           | Ministry of<br>Finance  | Al- Deer         | Local private<br>ownership For<br>Tribes<br>Meeh , Malik,<br>Mansour | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 16. | 1672 | Kut Swadi                        |                               | Private<br>properties   | Shat Al-<br>Arab |  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 17. | 401  | 33/ Al- Bor                      |                               | Private<br>properties   | Shat Al-<br>Arab | Area as in the<br>map  | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 18  | 2465 | 10 Al- Salihiah                  | 4/5                           | Private<br>properties   | Shat Al-<br>Arab |  | Over<br>ground<br>water |

| 19  | 489  | 4 Al- Sulaimaniah               | 4/5 | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
|-----|------|---------------------------------|-----|-----------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------|
| 20. | 954  | 2 Al- Bwareen                   | 15  | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 21. | 2000 | 23 Al- Daeji                    | 134 | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 22. | 4975 | 5 Nahar Jasim                   |     | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | Area as in the<br>plan   | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 23. | 686  | 31/ kut Hamlan                  |     | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 24. | 2460 | Al- ujairawiyah<br>North        |     | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 25. | 2175 | Al- ujairawiyah<br>South        |     | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 26. | 3069 | Al- taweela and<br>Shamshomiyah |     | Private<br>properties | Shat Al-<br>Arab   | The area is approximate as in the satellite photo shot                       | Over<br>ground<br>water |
| 27. | 436  | 15 Kaws                         |     | Diversified           | Abo Al-<br>Khaseeb | Registered,<br>finance,<br>Endowments<br>inheritance,<br>private<br>property | Over<br>ground<br>water |



| 28. | 2090 | 16 Baljan and   | Number    | Diversified | Abo Al- | Royal           | Over   |
|-----|------|-----------------|-----------|-------------|---------|-----------------|--------|
|     |      | Baljaniyah      | of plts/  |             | Khaseeb | Governmental    | ground |
|     |      |                 | 131       |             |         | property,       | water  |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | registered in   |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | the real estate |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | office, donated |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | to farmers,     |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | private         |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | property, state |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | property,       |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | none-           |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | inheritance     |        |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         | Endowments      |        |
| 29. | 1018 | 17 Al- Faiyadhi | Number    | Diversified | Abo Al- |                 | Over   |
|     |      | ĺ               | of plots/ |             | Khaseeb |                 | ground |
|     |      |                 | 141       |             |         |                 | water  |
| 30. | 75   | 18 Al- Amiyah   |           | Diversified | Abo Al- |                 | Over   |
|     |      | <b>, .</b>      |           |             | Khaseeb |                 | ground |
|     |      |                 |           |             |         |                 | water  |

### **Anbar Governorate**

| No. | Town                | Dis.                       | Plot No.     | Area/ dunum | Water Share  |
|-----|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|--|
| 1.  | Heet /              | 6 al- Haswah               |              | 50          | 80 meter depth wells/ salts                        |
|     | Baghdadi            |                            |              |             | percentage 2500 ppm                                |
| 2.  | Heet/ Al- Furat     | 36 Al- jabal               |              | 60          | 300 meter depth wells/ salts                       |
|     |                     | Januar                     |              |             | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 3.  | Heet/ Al- Furat     | 36 Al- Jabal               |              | 500         | 200 meter depth wells/ salts                       |
|     |                     |                            |              |             | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 4.  | Al- Rutba           | 1 Al- Rutba                | 1            | 10000       | 150 meter depth wells/ salts                       |
| _   | AL 0.7              | 20 4                       |              | 60          | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 5.  | Al- Qa'em           | 20 deyoom<br>Jibab Al-     |              | 60          | 150 meter depth wells/ salts                       |
|     |                     | Gharbiyah                  |              |             | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 6.  | Al- Qa'em           | 28 A Wadi Al-              |              | 53          | 200 meter depth wells/ salts                       |
| 0.  | 711 Qu cili         | Maani lands                |              |             | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 7.  | Heet                | 6 Haswat Al-               | 390          | 273         | 75 meter depth wells/ salts                        |
|     |                     | Shamiyah                   |              |             | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 8.  | Heet                | 6 Haswat Al-               |              | 80          | 75 meter depth wells/ salts                        |
|     |                     | Shamiyah                   |              |             | percentage 3000 ppm                                |
| 9.  | Al- Rumana          | 4 khteela &                | 108          | 1973        | 70 meter depth wells/ salts                        |
|     |                     | Dghema &                   |              |             | percentage 4000 ppm                                |
| 10. |                     | Haweeja<br>6 A- Haswat     | 390          | 1000        | 120 meter depth wells/ salts                       |
| 10. |                     | AL- Shamiyah               | 390          | 1000        | percentage 5000 ppm                                |
| 11. | Al- Garma           | 26 Al- Garma               | 29           | 400         | 12 meter depth wells/ salts                        |
|     | 7.11 Garrina        | island                     |              |             | percentage 5000 ppm                                |
| 12. | Al- Qa'em           | 28 Diyoom Al-              |              | 3166        | 12 meter depth wells/ salts                        |
|     |                     | Malti &                    |              |             | percentage 5000 ppm                                |
|     |                     | Latefiyah & Al-            |              |             |  |
| 12  | 111 / 61            | Mheden                     |              | 60          | 25 20 material anthomalia / antho                  |
| 13. | Heet / Al-<br>Furat | 36 AL- Jabal               |              | 60          | 25-30 meter depth wells/ salts percentage 7000 ppm |
| 14. | Heet / Al-          | 6 Haswat AL-               |              | 700         | 25-30 meter depth wells/ salts                     |
| 14. | Baghdadi            | Shamiyah                   |              | 700         | percentage 7000 ppm                                |
| 15. | Al- habbaniyah      | A- Haswat AL-              | 2            | 112, 1862   | 25meter depth wells/ salts                         |
|     |                     | Shamiyah                   |              | ,           | percentage 7000 ppm                                |
| 16. |                     | Al- Jazeera                | 36 Al- Jabal | 60          | 25meter depth wells/ salts                         |
|     |                     |                            |              |             | percentage 7000 ppm                                |
| 17. | Al- Qa'em           | 20 Diyoom                  |              | 800         | No water share                                     |
|     |                     | Jibab Al-                  |              |             |  |
| 10  | Heet/ AL-           | Gharbiyah<br>58 Haswat Al- | 250          |             | No water share                                     |
| 18. | Baghdadi            | Jazeera                    | 250          |             | INO Water Stidle                                   |
| 19. | Heet/ AL-           | 6 Haswat Al-               |              | 194000      | No water share                                     |
| 15. | Muhammadi           | Shamiyah                   |              | 154000      | 110 Water Strate                                   |
| 20. | Al- Ramadi          | 47 B. Haswat               | 2            | 5000        | No water share                                     |
|     |                     | Al- Shamiyah               |              |             |  |
| 21. | Ameriahat Al-       | 23 A. Wadi                 | 24/1         | 400         | No water share                                     |
|     | Sumood              | Abo Frokh                  |              |             |  |



## **Maysan Governorate**

| No. | Area/<br>dunum | Dis.  | Village<br>and plot<br>no.           | Agri.<br>Office                               | Ownership              | Notes                                      | Water<br>share                     |
|-----|----------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| 1   | 210            | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 2   | 40             | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 3   | 20             | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 4   | 25             | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 5   | 20             | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 6   | 60             | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 7   | 40             | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 8   | 450            | 11<br>western<br>Jazeera<br>Saeed<br>Noor & Al<br>Haweesha<br>Marshes | 1 Ali Al<br>Sharqi                   | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Sharqi unit               | Ministry of<br>Finance | Near a<br>private<br>irrigation<br>project | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 9   | 50             | 6 Al<br>Zulaima &<br>Abo<br>Khafoora                                  | 1 Ali Al<br>Gharbi                   | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit            | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                 | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |

| 10 | 220  | 16 Al<br>Kabeer &<br>Al<br>Kabsoon                         | 2/2 Ali Al<br>Gharbi                | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
|----|------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| 11 | 1000 | Hoor Al<br>Kharaab   | Ali Al<br>Gharbi                    | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 12 | 1560 | 16 Al<br>Kabeer &<br>Al<br>Kabsoon<br>12 Hoor Al<br>Kharab | 2/2 Ali Al<br>Gharbi                | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 13 | 1000 | 43 Al<br>Baqaa & Al<br>Jefta                               | 1 Ali Al<br>Gharbi                  | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 14 | 400  | 12 Hoor Al<br>Sadiya &<br>Al Kharab                        | 1 Ali Al<br>Gharbi                  | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 15 | 100  | 12 Hoor Al<br>Sadiya &<br>Al Kharab                        | 1 Ali Al<br>Gharbi                  | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 16 | 200  | 36 Al<br>Shwaymia  | 2 &3/30<br>1/32<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                  | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 17 | 77   | 7 Al<br>Misada &<br>Daghriyat                              | 83/13<br>Al<br>Mesharah             | Agri. Unit<br>in Al<br>Mesharah    | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>Water<br>source from<br>Al Masab<br>river    | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 18 | 99   | 6 Al<br>Amood &<br>Al Turaba                               | 21 &22 Al<br>Mesharah               | Agri. Unit<br>in Al<br>Mesharah    | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>Water<br>source from<br>Al Masab<br>river    | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 19 | 13   | 6 Al<br>Amood &<br>Al Turaba                               | Plot 115 Al<br>Mesharah             | Agri. Unit<br>in Al<br>Mesharah    | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>Water<br>source from<br>Al Malghood<br>river | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |
| 20 | 22   | 6 Al<br>Amood &<br>Al Turaba                               | 8 Al<br>Mesharah                    | Agri. Unit<br>in Al<br>Mesharah    | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>Water<br>source from<br>Al Jadeed<br>river   | Surface<br>waters are<br>available |



| 21         | 100 | 11 jazeera  | 288/1                                | Maysan  | Ministry of            | Preoccupied   | Wells depth  |
|------------|-----|---|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------|---|--|
| _ <b>_</b> |     | ,   | Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie          | Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit           | Finance                | by a farmer   | is 12-15m Salts percentage is more than                      |
|            |     |   |                                      |   |                        |   | 10000ppm   |
| 22         | 20  | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                | Wells depth is 12-15m Salts percentage is more than 10000ppm |
| 23         | 20  | 11 jazeera  | 288/1<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Maysan<br>Saeed<br>Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie<br>unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                | Surface<br>waters are<br>not<br>available                    |
| 24         | 200 | 36 Al<br>Shwaymia   | 2 &3/30<br>1/32<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi  | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Gharbi<br>unit            | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied by a farmer Near a private irrigation project | Surface<br>waters are<br>not<br>available                    |
| 25         | 77  | 7 Al<br>Misada &<br>Daghriyat                                     | 83/13<br>Al Imarra                   | Agri. Unit<br>in Al<br>Mesharah               | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied<br>by a farmer                                | Surface<br>waters are<br>not<br>available                    |
| 26         | 450 | 1 western<br>Jazeera<br>Saeed<br>Noor & Al<br>Haweesha<br>Marshes | 1 Ali Al<br>Sharqi                   | Maysan<br>Ali Al<br>Sharqi unit               | Ministry of<br>Finance | Near a<br>private<br>irrigation<br>project                | Surface<br>waters are<br>not<br>available                    |
| 27         | 10  | 8 Eastern<br>Kasa   | 2 kumait                             | Kumait<br>Agri. Unit                          | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied   | Surface<br>waters are<br>not<br>available                    |
| 28         | 25  | 3 half of<br>western<br>Kumait<br>lands                           | 1 kumait                             | Kumait<br>Agri. Unit                          | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied   | Surface<br>waters are<br>available                           |
| 29         | 24  | 3 half of<br>western<br>Kumait<br>lands                           | 1 kumait                             | Kumait<br>Agri. Unit                          | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied   | Surface<br>waters are<br>available                           |
| 30         | 5   | 9 the third<br>of the<br>eastern                                  | 2 kumait                             | Kumait<br>Agri. Unit                          | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied   | Surface<br>waters are<br>available                           |

| 31  | 15 | 4 half of eastern  | 1 kumait           | Kumait<br>Agri. Unit | Ministry of<br>Finance | Preoccupied | Surface<br>waters are   |
|-----|----|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|     |    | Kumait             |                    | Agri. Offic          | Fillatice              |             | available               |
|     |    | lands              |                    |                      |                        |             | avanasie                |
| 32  | 42 | 3 half of          | 1 kumait           | Kumait               | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | western            |                    | Agri. Unit           | Finance                |             | waters are              |
|     |    | Kumait             |                    |                      |                        |             | available               |
|     | 10 | lands              | - 1                |                      |                        |             | 0 (                     |
| 33  | 10 | 8 Eastern<br>Kasa  | 5 kumait           | Kumait               | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | NaSa               |                    | Agri. Unit           | Finance                |             | waters are<br>available |
| 34  | 8  | 8 Eastern          | 5 kumait           | Kumait               | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Kasa               | 3 Kamare           | Agri. Unit           | Finance                | reoccupicu  | waters are              |
|     |    |                    |                    | J                    |                        |             | available               |
| 35  | 8  | 8 Eastern          | 2 kumait           | Kumait               | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Kasa               |                    | Agri. Unit           | Finance                |             | waters are              |
|     |    |                    | /-                 | - 1                  |                        |             | available               |
| 36  | 64 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Saeed<br>Ahmed Al  | Saeed<br>Ahmed Al  | Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie   | Finance                |             | waters are<br>available |
|     |    | Rifaie             | Rifaie             | unit                 |                        |             | available               |
| 37  | 10 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Saeed              | Saeed              | Ahmed                | Finance                | ·           | waters are              |
|     |    | Ahmed Al           | Ahmed Al           | Al Rifaie            |                        |             | available               |
|     |    | Rifaie             | Rifaie             | unit                 |                        |             |                         |
| 38  | 20 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Saeed<br>Ahmed Al  | Saeed<br>Ahmed Al  | Ahmed<br>Al Rifaie   | Finance                |             | waters are<br>available |
|     |    | Rifaie             | Rifaie             | unit                 |                        |             | avallable               |
| 39  | 25 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Saeed              | Saeed              | Ahmed                | Finance                |             | waters are              |
|     |    | Ahmed Al           | Ahmed Al           | Al Rifaie            |                        |             | available               |
|     |    | Rifaie             | Rifaie             | unit                 |                        |             |                         |
| 40  | 20 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Saeed              | Saeed              | Ahmed                | Finance                |             | waters are              |
|     |    | Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Ahmed Al<br>Rifaie | Al Rifaie<br>unit    |                        |             | available               |
| 41  | 10 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
| -71 | 10 | Saeed              | Saeed              | Ahmed                | Finance                | reoccupica  | waters are              |
|     |    | Ahmed Al           | Ahmed Al           | Al Rifaie            |                        |             | available               |
|     |    | Rifaie             | Rifaie             | unit                 |                        |             |                         |
| 42  | 68 | 11 jazeera         | 288/1              | Saeed                | Ministry of            | Preoccupied | Surface                 |
|     |    | Saeed              | Saeed              | Ahmed                | Finance                |             | waters are              |
|     |    | Ahmed Al           | Ahmed Al           | Al Rifaie            |                        |             | available               |
|     |    | Rifaie             | Rifaie             | unit                 |                        |             |                         |

