Decree of Minister of Trade and industry

Numbered 195 /2022

### <u>Concerning amending the rules organizing the registration of qualified factories to export</u> <u>its products to the Arab republic of Egypt</u>.

Minister of trade and industry

After reviewing the law numbered 118/1975 concerning import and export

-The executive regulation for the provisions of the law numbered 118/1975 concerning import and export and the system of Commodity inspection and control procedures for imported and exported commodities issued according to the decree numbered 770/2005

-The decree of the minister of trade and industry numbered 992/2015 concerning the rules organizing the registration of qualified factories to export its products to the Arab republic of Egypt.

- The decree of the minister of trade and industry numbered 43/2016 concerning the rules organizing the registration of qualified factories to export its products to the Arab republic of Egypt and its amendments

- the joint memorandum presented from the minister of trade and industry assistant , the chairman of the general organization for export and import control and the legal advisor of the ministry dated 29/3/2022.

## Article one

The third paragraph of the first article of the minister of trade and industry decree numbered 43/2016 shall be cancelled.

## Article two

The text of Clause 3 of Article 2 of the Minister of Trade and Industry decree No. 43 of 2016 shall be replaced with the following text:

#### Article Two / Clause Three:

Registration takes place in the aforementioned register as soon as the required documents are submitted, provided that the Provided that the concerned party receives a proof of registration within a period not exceeding fifteen days from the date of completing the required documents. In case of doubt as per the validity of the submitted documents; registration shall not be completed only after verifying the authenticity of the documents. It is permissible upon an application of the registration applicant to make works of inspection

on the company or the factory to make sure of the documents authenticity and after the approval of the competent minister of foreign trade.

# **Article three**

The clauses fourth, fifth and sixth shall be added to article 2 of the ministerial decree numbered 43/2016. Also, two new articles numbered 2 bis and 2 bis .1 shall be added to the aforementioned decree as follows:

### Article 2 / clauses fourth, fifth and sixth:

Fourth: Documents of registration may be presented through the embassies and consulates of the concerned states.

Fifth: documents that have a validity date shall be renewed during a period not exceeding 30 days as of the termination date of validity.

Sixth: Both the registered and the stricken off companies are to be published on monthly basis in the official gazette and on the electronic web site of GOEIC.

Article 2 bis:

The stricken off companies from the registry shall be effected by a reasoned decision from GOEIC chairman in case one of registration conditions is missed. The delisting decision may be appealed against before the appeal committee stipulated in article 2 bis 1; within 60 days from the date of notifying the concerned person.

Article 2 bis 1:

- A committee at foreign trade sector is established by the concerned minister of foreign trade to discuss the presented appeals against rejection of registration or cases of write off companies from the registry .The committee presents appeal cases to the appeal committee and a decision is issued within 15 working days and the applicant is notified by the causes of delisting , write off and the corrective procedures that have to be followed from the applicant side to reregister at the ad-hoc registry

### Article four

This decision shall be published in the Egyptian facts, and the competent authorities shall implement it, and it shall come into effect from the day following the date of its publication.