Top achievements of the General Organization for Export and Import Control for 2023

# Number of shipments Submitted to the General Organization for Export and Import Control (105,321)

#### **Industrial imports:**

The Numbers of shipments (89670), the accepted was (82429) and the rejected was (7241)

#### Non-industrial imports:

The Numbers of Shipments (15,651), the accepted was (15,081) and the rejected was (570).

GOEIC's laboratories examined the number of (464044) shipments during 2023

#### Food and Chemical laboratories:

Number (276,841) of samples, of which (29,940) are contracted samples.

#### **Industrial laboratories:**

Number (187203) of samples.

#### Origin:

The General Organization for Export and Import Control issued a number of 423,206 certificates of origin during 2023, in accordance with the protocols to the rules of origin applicable to the preferential agreements concluded between Egypt and other States for the application of exemptions and customs benefits granted to Egyptian exports.

#### **Public Relations and Citizens' Service:**

- 1. The call center received (50,233) number of calls.
- 2. Citizens' Service (4922) Visitor.
- 3. Website Visitors (303273)
- 4. About 806 questions were answerd by GOEIC's Portal.
- 5. Number of Foreign Trade Reports (34,408) Report to serve the customer audience and decision makers.
- 6. As for the social media network (Facebook), the number of followers (17,098), while 235 questions were answered to the page's messages.

#### Training:

A total of 2,972 trainees were trained during 2023. Some of the most important training programs (export practice, import practice, laboratory inspection of exported and imported goods in GOEIC's laboratories, ISO programs, and other different programs).

#### **Commercial registrations:**

Total of (29,887) records were extracted during the year (2023) including new entries, renewals, and additions and the data showed the volume of work as follows:

1. Importers' Register: 8024

2. Exporters' Register: 11655

E HIGH ROLL 3. Register of commercial agents and foreign offices: 1632

4. Production Supplies Register: 3043

5. Real Estate Brokerage Registry: 3694

6. Publicity and Advertising Record: 1839

### The General Organization for Export and Import Control has made many achievements in the field of construction and development:

- 1-The opening by His Excellency the Prime Minister of the new central laboratories of the branch of the General Organization for Export and Import Control in the port of Ayn Sokhna in the presence of His Excellency the Minister of Trade and Industry.
- The establishment of offices at the headquarters of chambers of commerce in several governorates such as 2-Gharbia and Cairo to facilitate customers with the Organization. All services are provided to exporters and importers in the framework of digital transformation and are delivered as soon as possible in order to save time and effort instead of heading to major ports.
- Opening the development work of GOEIC's hostel in Alexandria as part of a plan to develop GOEIC's hostel 3and renovate all its infrastructure works in a manner befitting the esteemed colleagues working in the organization.

#### Quality and product conformity

#### Each of the following has been accredited:

- 1. Laboratory (Acoustic Tests Safety Tests), Cairo Airport Branch
- 2. Examine tests of all types of cement in chemical Laboratories at GOEIC 's branch in Damietta port.
- 3. (3) of tests in three laboratories (Water Pump Laboratories Acid Battery Laboratories Electric Motor Laboratories) of GOEIC's Port Said port branch.
- 4. Petroleum Products Testing Laboratory at GOEIC's Branch in Suez Port.

#### The accreditation has been renewed and its scope extended to include:

- 1. Quality certificate in the management system in accordance with international standard ISO:9001
- 2. Inspection laboratories (batteries lighting units electrical cutters household appliances electrical switches pumps) at GOEIC's branch at Cairo Airport
- 3. Number (9 tests at the shoe and leather factory lighting units test 7 tests at the low voltage cable Laboratories) of GOEIC's branch in the port of Suez.
- 4. Cairo Airport Branch Laboratory (Optical Tests).
- 5. Number of 3 tests (energy efficiency for household vacuum cleaners energy efficiency for household electric fans energy efficiency for electric ovens.
- 6. 3 tests in three laboratories (leather and footwear laboratories (12 tests) dry batteries and generating cells koalin) at GOEIC's Port Said branch.
- 7. The valves and pumps laboratories at GOEIC's branch in Alexandria port

The accreditation scope of the unit for issuing certificates of conformity for internationally approved products has been extended in accordance with the requirements of ISO17065:2012 and registered with the Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO) in 4 new areas. The unit is now permitted to use the accreditation logo in accordance with the Council's rules of operation, which include: (Electric battery products - Detergent products - Paper and cardboard products - Food contact kitchenware products).

#### Thus, GOEIC's Product Conformity Certification Unit is awarded conformity certificates in 8 areas:

- 1. Textile products.
- 2. Shoes and accessories.
- 3. Leather products.
- 4. Biodegradable plastic products.
- 5. Paper and carton.
- 6. detergents.
- 7. Products of tools and appliances used in the kitchen.
- 8. Electric batteries.

GOEIC's Conformity Certification Unit issued a number of 60 product conformity certificates to the Saudi Saber system, including the most important products (detergents, textiles and shoes), whose laboratory tests were passed by the Chemical Organization's laboratories. The Unit also conducted 70 field visits to qualify factories for export.

More than 85 Egyptian companies originating from African and Arab countries (Tunisia, Morocco, Kuwait, Algeria, Saudi Arabia, Jordan, Nigeria, Brazil, Russia, UAE) have been issued with a free sale certificate, including soap and personal care items.

#### **Development of services to the business community:**

- The second phase began the implementation of the new technical cooperation project between GOEIC, the
  National Calibration Institute and the German National Institute of Metrology, which aims to enhance the
  competitiveness of the Egyptian economy by enhancing the capabilities and adding new services to the list of
  services provided by the National Calibration Institute to new customers in the agri-food sector in Egypt.
- 2. The Memorandum of Understanding was signed to commence the implementation of the Korean KSP Program project for the establishment and development of Goeic's integrated risk management system in conformity assessment and inspection procedures for industrial goods in accordance with the latest systems and global standards Protocols:

GOEIC is keen to conclude several protocols of joint cooperation with many agencies with a view to cooperating jointly in the transfer of experiences and the exchange of information, including:

- 1. A joint cooperation protocol with the Egyptian Export Guarantee Company. The protocol aims to exchange information and data on Egypt's foreign trade, disaggregated by countries, conventions and various production sectors, and to provide all information and data available to the Organization on the classification of imported and exported goods according to their priorities and importance to the Arab Republic of Egypt.
- 2. A joint cooperation protocol with the Export Council for Printing, Packaging, Paper, Books and Technical Works with the aim of cooperating between the parties in the field of chemical analyses at GOEIC's laboratories and exchanging information and data. This step is a contribution to supporting the printing and packaging sector to facilitate the termination of procedures for the sector's companies.
- 3. A joint cooperation protocol with TÜV Austria, which aims at exchanging experiences and conducting food, chemical and industrial analyses at GOEIC's laboratories approved locally and internationally. This protocol comes after several years of fruitful cooperation between the company and the Organization in the field of examination of food and chemical products at the level of Egyptian exports and imports.
- 4. Joint Cooperation Protocol with the Egyptian Exporters' Association (Expolink) with the aim of upgrading and building the capacity of new exporters and entrepreneurs in the field of training on export practice program, certified Exporter program and other programs offered by GOEIC's work, its activities and services, as well as any developments in the process of regulating exports and imports.
- 5. A joint cooperation protocol with the Egyptian Pharmaceutical Organization aimed at complementing efforts and cooperation between the two sides in the transfer of expertise, exchange of information and the holding

- of induction seminars, stressing the critical strategic importance of the Egyptian market for medical preparations and supplies, and the paramount importance of exports of various medical preparations in support of the Egyptian economy.
- 6. Signing a joint cooperation protocol with the National Organization for Egyptian Post aimed at facilitating the movement of trade, developing and encouraging Egyptian exports and overcoming any obstacles to their prosperity, development and expansion in all fields by taking advantage of the enormous potential and diverse services provided by the National Postal Organization.
- 7. A joint cooperation protocol with Heliopolis University with the aim of sharing experiences in the field of carbon footprint assessment, organizing and holding training activities (courses workshops) to raise awareness about global warming, climate change and carbon footprints.

#### Cooperation with private sector companies:

- 1. Within the framework of the need to cooperate with and support private sector companies in technical aspects in order to encourage Egyptian export movements, GOEIC visited a number of companies and factories such as:
  - Visit Sidi Creer Petrochemical Company and explore ways of cooperating in the field of biodegradation tests. Carbon emissions from different products are one of the third range factors in calculating carbon footprint as well as offering the services of GOEIC's certified inks, paints, plastics and polymers testing laboratories s. Sidi Creer Petrochemicals Company is the first petroleum company to register with the approved Exporter system.
  - Visit the Siraj (Flair) factory specializing in the design and manufacture of lighting solutions that comply with various projects in the new economic zone of the Suez Canal to visit the latest laboratories of GOEIC in the port of Ain Sokhna.
  - Visit the Egyptian Chamber of Commerce in Alexandria to discuss the mechanisms of cooperation between the Chamber and GOEIC and answer all questions of Customs Extractors.
  - The presentation of numerous television meetings in programs "Al-Shahbandar Today Program DMC Evening Program and a live program from Egypt on CBC EGYPT" to review the role of GOEIC in stimulating Egyptian exports to reach 100 billion exports and explain the mechanisms for the application of the risk management system.
  - Egyptian Television filmed several television meetings with the leading leaders of GOEIC in the framework of a review of the role of GOEIC and its services to the business community and efforts to support Egyptian exports abroad.
- 2. Exhibitions, conferences and symposiums:
- As part of GOEIC 's support for the Presidential Initiative \$100 billion in exports and efforts to maintain constant communication with the clients, the achievements of the Public Relations Department are as follows:
- 3. First: Participation in several international exhibitions to communicate directly with the public from exhibitors and visitors and review GOEIC 's services, including:
  - Seventeenth session of the Cairo International Leather Fair.
  - Gulfood exhibition 2022, 2023, which aims to enhance cooperation between the world's food and beverage communities, serving as a hub for the sector's orientation and a global supply force.

- (Export Smart) Exhibition and Forum at its first and second sessions and the provision of the services of GOEIC to masters exporting from visitors to the exhibition and exhibitors on the sidelines of the exhibition.
- (EGYPT VAPE EXPO) Exhibition to review the GOEIC's services and publicize its pivotal role in
  facilitating trade movement. Representatives of GOEIC also presented an awareness seminar on all laws
  and decisions governing the examination and testing of tobacco products and its replacement with
  alternatives to traditional cigarettes such as heated tobacco and e-cigarettes.
- "Egy Beauty Expo" Exhibition, providing the services of GOEIC in supporting exporters and reviewing the role of GOEIC in the issuance of product conformity certificates and certificates of free sale and registration in the Saudi Saber system and registration in the approved Exporter program.
- Participation in the launch of the first edition of the Egypt Power Show (EPS) mission, which is the largest and first buyer's mission in the electrical industry with 35 international buyers.
- Exhibition "Fi Africa ProPak MENA" with the aim of reviewing the role of GOEIC in the issuance of product conformity certificates and certificates of free sale and registration in the Saudi Saber system and registration in the approved Exporter program.
- On the sidelines of the exhibition, a scientific symposium was presented on the role of GOEIC in the
  transition to a green economy and the reduction of carbon emissions. A meeting was held with the
  Tunisian delegation participating in the exhibition to exchange experiences and make the necessary
  analyses for biodegradable plastic.
- The hosting in the Linux Forum to discuss the measurement of carbon limits and its impact on exports to Egypt, assess the opportunities and challenges associated with the new European carbon tax mechanism, and an interactive discussion with speakers and industry representatives on growth opportunities, challenges for target industries and proposals to support decarbonization initiatives and facilitate Egyptian export access to European markets.
- The fifteenth International Exhibition of Paper, Cardboard and Health Paper ME 2023, on the sidelines of the exhibition, presented a symposium entitled "Your way to export with the matching certification unit", and another symposium entitled "Carbon footprint and its impact on the promotion of Egyptian exports".
- Cairo Fashion & Tex Exhibition.
- The Africa Intra-African Trade Exhibition (IATF2023) at its third session. GOEIC was represented by the opening of the exhibition in the presence of His Excellency the Prime Minister. GOEIC is also represented at the Conference on Intra-African Trade under the chairmanship of His Excellency the President of the Republic.
- On the sidelines of the exhibition, an induction symposium was held on the AFCFTA Agreement and how to use it to facilitate trade between member States of the African continent in the margins of the activities of the intra-African Trade exhibition.
- The International Forum and Exhibition of Industry at its second session and representing GOEIC at the opening events of the exhibition in the presence of His Excellency the President of the Republic.
- Egypt Energy Exhibition On the margins of its activities, Egypt's Conference on Strategic Energy for Leaders was held through an induction symposium on the role of the General Organization for Export and

Import Control in supporting the transition to a green economy, rationalizing energy and supporting Egyptian exporters to access European and international markets.

- (CAIRO WOOD SHOW) Exhibition.
- The first Cairo International Glass Show Exhibition.
- The FOOD AFRICA & PACK PROCESS exhibition and on the sidelines of the exhibition presented a scientific symposium on the role of GOEIC in supporting the efforts of the State in the transition to a green economy and the efforts and services of GOEIC to support Egyptian exports and increase their competitiveness in the world markets and their conformity with standards in order to facilitate the movement of trade between Egypt and the countries of the world.

#### Conferences:

#### Second: Participation in several local and international conferences, including:

- Egyptian-Chinese Petroleum and Chemical Equipment Supply Summit CSSOPE EGYPT 2023 where GOEIC has an integrated system of domestically and internationally approved chemical and petroleum laboratories.
- The 9th Economic Day News Conference.
- The Third International Conference on Arab Food Safety.

## Third: Active participation of the Committee on Industry and Trade, as well as holding several workshops and seminars for exporters such as:

- Symposium on "The most important services provided by the General Organization for Export and Import
  Control for the printing, packaging, paper, books and technical works and the laws, decrees and technical
  procedures", in cooperation with the Trade and Export Development Project (TRADE PROJECT) and the Export
  Council for Printing and Packaging.
- Awareness seminar on all laws and decrees governing the examination and testing of tobacco products, including traditional cigarette alternatives such as heated tobacco and e-cigarettes, in collaboration with the Tobacco and Smoke Division of the Chamber of Industries.
- Seminar with Michelin and Ghattati partners specializing in automotive tire industry in cooperation with private sector companies to localize industries in Egypt.
- A symposium in Aswan entitled "Developing Egyptian exports for African markets" to publicize the role of GOEIC in facilitating trade movement and developing and encouraging Egyptian exports for African and international markets.
- A seminar series entitled "Digitization and governance of conformity assessment procedures using the latest AI
  application systems in the framework of trade facilitation (in collaboration with private sector companies (Techno
  Service Mehé Yokogawa) specializing in this field.
- Seminar with Cornall Laboratory to review the latest developments in the field of laboratory devices and chemicals.
- The final panel discussion on "Documenting the life cycle of the import and export process of the Egyptian Product Group, analysing problems and offering operational and practical solutions to them", in cooperation with

the Trade and Export Development Project (USAID TRADE) and the Egyptian Centre for Economic Studies (ESCES), aimed at improving the enabling environment for trade and investment in Egypt and providing practical recommendations to facilitate the export process in Egypt.

- Workshop entitled "Outreach Program on Tightening the Control of the Montreal Protocol over Electronic Application in Conjunction with Global and Local Technological Transformation" in collaboration with the Ozone Unit of the Ministry of Environment and the United Nations Industrial Development Organization.
- Participation in a symposium in cooperation with the Future Homeland Party entitled "The Future of Industry under the New Republic".
- A joint public symposium with the industry, scientific research, energy and export committees of the Egyptian Businessmen's Association to showcase the services provided by GOEIC to the business community and exporters.
- Seminar on "Laws governing import and export operations" in cooperation with the Centre for Legal and
  Economic Studies of the Faculty of Law of Ain Shams University as part of the activities of the series of seminars
  to highlight and familiarize itself with new legislation in various fields.
- A symposium in cooperation with the US Agency for International Development (USAID)-funded Trade and Export Development Project in Egypt, entitled "Strategy of the Organization to Support Access to Carbon Neutrality and Green Industry and the Role of the Biodegradation Laboratories in Green Recovery", in the framework of Prime Minister's decree No. 4664 of 2022, which requires certifying entities to issue carbon emission reduction certificates. The "Verification and Certification of Greenhouse Gas Reports in accordance with Global International Standards" Unit has been announced.
- GOEIC participated in a panel discussion on the analysis of the controls for the imposition of duties and expenses
  on export and import services in Egypt, the analysis of problems and the Proposing of operational and practical
  solutions advocated for by the Project for Trade Development and Export Development in Egypt funded by
  USAID TRADE.
- GOEIC participated in the activities of the intensive training camp on "Supply chain management in the ready-made garments sector", which was organized by the Export Council for ready-made garments with the support of the Trade Development and Export Development Project in Egypt (TRADE USAID) A thorough explanation of how to register with the SABER Saudi system as well as issue free sales certificates and confirmation that GOEIC is mandated to support exporters through many services that offer competitive prices.
- GOEIC's participation in the African Business Council symposium on the role of the private sector in the operationalization and entry into force of the AFCFTA Continental Free Trade Logics, which paves the way for a new phase of African economic integration.

#### **Meetings:**

GOEIC was keen on engaging with the business community to overcome obstacles and challenges they face, identify key issues, and find suitable solutions to facilitate procedures and explore ways of cooperation between institutions to facilitate trade process such as:

- Meeting with the Centre for Industry Modernization, the Export Councils for Leather, Household Furniture, ready-made garments and the Chamber of Chemicals to examine ways of cooperating with UNIDO to register in the ZDHC system in the framework of supporting Egyptian exports, increasing their competitiveness in global markets, matching global requirements and providing foreign currency By conducting the required tests at the GOEIC's laboratories and registering in international platforms specialized in ensuring that textile and leather products as well as wastewater produced by the textile and leather industry are eco-friendly and free of harmful substances such as heavy metals, azu tinctures, carcinogenic and allergic tinctures.
- Meeting with the Export Council for Food Industries to discuss ways to develop food exports within the
  framework of the vision of the political leadership to maximize foreign exchange export earnings and open up
  new prospects for foreign markets. Discussions took place on the possibility of integrating GOEIC's services with
  the ongoing e-platform project and its positive impact on the speed of ending and streamlining export procedures
  and discussing the challenges facing Egyptian exports abroad.
- Meeting with members of the Business Association of Alexandria to discuss "Egyptian industry and exports under the global orientation of environmentally compatible products" with a review of all the services provided by GOEIC to facilitate the work of exporters and facilitate cross-border trade.
- Meeting with representatives of the Saudi Standards and Quality organization via visual communication
  technology to discuss the requirements for allowing the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's exports of cement of all kinds
  and armature to the Arab Republic of Egypt: in order to expedite the qualitative inspection procedures for these
  goods and reduce the time of customs release.
- Reception of the Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture of the Egyptian Businessmen's Association and a member of the General Division of Exporters of the General Federation of Chambers of Commerce, as well as the representative of the International Grain Council of East Africa and FAO World Organization, with a view to identifying the potential of its food laboratories s, especially cereal labs, and the development of GOEIC Especially at the level of hardware and trained personnel at the highest level highlighted the rapid changes in the movement of trade and suppliers' chains.
- Meeting with the Export Council of Engineering Industries in the presence of representatives of the Project for
  Trade Development and Export Development in Egypt with a view to discussing the registration of GOEIC for
  obtaining GSO MARK Gulf and CE MARK to support the export of household electrical products (refrigerators
   washing machines bookstores electric heaters adaptations) to the Gulf and European countries in
  accordance with the necessary standards and requirements.
- In support of the Presidential Initiative \$100million for exports GOEIC participated in the discussion session organized by the Italian Chamber of Commerce in Cairo with the aim of publicizing the role of GOEIC in overcoming the obstacles and challenges faced by Egyptian companies in the export and import process and responding to all queries of the attendees of logistics and necessary registrations in the export and import process.
- Meeting with representatives of the National Initiative for the Development of Egyptian Industry (START) to
  push Egypt's industry sector to new heights while identifying the difference between the role of the START
  Initiative and the role of the Ministry of Trade and Industry.
- Reception many foreign delegations from different countries of the world such as (Chad Saudi Arabia UAE Spain France India) To learn about the possibilities of GOEIC and exchange experiences in the field of quality

inspection and control and access to the machinery of GOEIC's modern and advanced laboratories and to learn about all new methods of inspection of food and chemical products in order to facilitate the movement of trade to further support trade between Egypt and the countries of the world.

- Meeting with the Export Council for Printing and Packaging and the representative of the German Agency for International Cooperation (GIZ) to examine some of the obstacles facing the sector and ways to find effective solutions commensurate with the laws and decisions governing the work of GOEIC to support the export process and encourage exporters.
- A series of coordination meetings with KOICA Korea's international cooperation agency In the context of a presentation to explain the proposals for new development projects submitted by GOEIC to the Korean Agency through the Ministry of International Cooperation with a view to developing a road map to complement the rest of the implementation plan of GOEIC's project on the application of the integrated risk management system in the transboundary movement of industrial and engineering goods using the latest AI application systems.
- Meeting with representatives of the German Agency for International Cooperation (GIZ) and representatives of McKinsey, the world's leading business consulting firm, in collaboration and coordination with the Export Council for Engineering Industries under the implementation plan of the Private Sector Innovation Project (Private Sector Innovation (PSI). GOEIC's potential in relation to the engineering industry sector and its efforts in developing and adopting these laboratories to support the sector in obtaining certificates for access to foreign markets was identified as part of the implementation of the second phase of the McKinsey business plan in cooperation with the German Agency for Support and Development of the Engineering Industry Sector and the development of practical solutions to the challenges facing exporters in meeting their requirements.
- Reception a delegation from the Export Council for Printing and Packaging to explore ways to increase Egyptian
  exports through the inclusion of electronic exports "films and series" for exports as well as the revision of
  customs items for cultural activities such as publishing (book), film and other cultural activities such as drama,
  television and songs, and their modification to keep pace with the technological development Soft Copy.
- Meeting with representatives of the German Agency for International Cooperation (GIZ) to discuss the objectives
  and activities of the project and future fields of cooperation with GOEIC, which focuses on how the German
  project supports the transformation of the Egyptian private sector into a competitive green economy in line with
  the sustainable development strategy and Egypt's Vision 2030.
- Meeting with the Working Group of the Trade Development and Export Development Project in Egypt funded by
  USAID Trade Reform & Development in Egypt to initiate operational steps for GOEIC's work in setting technical
  standards for its risk management system. As well as initiating operational steps to qualify GOEIC's carbon
  reduction certification as verification and certification entity verification and validation body in accordance with
  global standards.
- Meeting with Toyota Egypt Automotive Engineering Company as part of the efforts of the General Organization
  for Export and Import Control in the settlement of industry in Egypt. The company aims to manufacture inside
  Egypt and export a large part of products to foreign markets benefiting from trade agreements between Egypt and
  other countries.
- Meeting with representatives of CMA CGM GROUP (Official) for shipping and carriage of goods as part of the consideration of the implications of the ministerial decree to authorize the General Organization for Export and

Import Control to establish a risk management system for the inspection and testing of imported non-food industrial goods and another decree on the establishment of a committee to establish standards and controls of the integrated risk management system for the inspection of non-food industrial goods chaired by the Chairman of the General Organization for Export and Import Control.

- Meeting with representatives of DECATHLON EGYPT specializing in sports clothing and equipment in the
  context of discussing Egypt's binding standards for ready-made garments and footwear in the presence of
  representatives of the Egyptian General Organization for standard and Quality.
- A series of meetings with members of the General Exporters' Division within the framework of fruitful
  cooperation between GOEIC and the Exporters' Division and through the support of GOEIC for exporters and the
  overcoming of obstacles and challenges faced by them.

#### **Human development:**

In pursuance of the presidential directives on the importance of attention to human wealth because it is a key pillar for achieving inclusive and sustainable development: GOEIC has established a center of excellence qualified to prepare human cadres that will be the nucleus of future construction and development, which in turn has undertaken several training courses:

- Reception of Egyptian university students to train in various examinations and provide training opportunities for about 1,000 students from Egypt in all practical disciplines. The aim is to upgrade their capabilities and develop their technical skills in accordance with the needs of the labor market with the required efficiency in coordination with Egyptian universities, including "Al-Azhar Universities Cairo Ain Shams Helwan Damietta South Valley Canadian Institute". The training took place in the branches of GOEIC in several governorates.
- Training courses for employees of GOEIC in cooperation with private sector companies such as (SGS-Brooker)
  in order to improve the efficiency of their youth cadres in central laboratories of chemical and food goods and
  familiarize them with the new in various fields of inspections.
- Training course for all leaders of GOEIC in cooperation with TÜV Austria to identify the requirements of energy
  management systems in accordance with ISO 50001 of 2018 in the framework of GOEIC's role in supporting the
  green economy and rationalizing energy.
- Training courses for delegations from of the Sudan and Somalia to learn about GOEIC's capabilities and
  exchange experiences in the field of inspection and quality control. The training included the inspection of
  electric heaters in coordination with the Arab Foundation for Consultation, Training and Performance
  Development.
- Training course for students of the Food Safety Diploma of the Maritime Academy of Science and Technology for training in various inspections work where they received their training at the recently developed microbiological laboratory and upgrading its infrastructure and equipping it with the latest rapid screening devices.
- Training course for business and exporters interested in exporting on "Advanced skills in managing financial and monetary export risks and developing an export strategic plan".

#### **Women's and Equal Opportunities Unit:**

Pursuant to the directives of the President of the Republic that attention should be paid to workers and the importance of women's role in society and that full support should be given to them, GOEIC has paid great attention to women through several activities undertaken by the Women and Equal Opportunities Unit of GOEIC, such as:

- Honoring workers of statutory pension age per month.
- Honoring the perfect mother and the perfect father for 2023.
- Celebration of Martyr's Day, People of Determination Day and International Women's Day.
- Honoring children of highly educated marks for 2023.
- Honoring the exemplary employee for 2023.
- Held a series of awareness seminars in collaboration with Bahia Foundation for Early Detection of Breast Cancer
  entitled ": The importance of early detection of breast cancer and treatment methods "through the branches of
  GOEIC (Port Said 6th of October Port Alexandria Port Damietta Mina Suez). This symposium is part of the
  series of awareness seminars organized by the Women and Equal Opportunities Unit to support mental health and
  raise the medical awareness of the employees of GOEIC.
- Participation of the Egyptian Women's Summit in cooperation with the National Council for Women in a ceremony to honor the 50 most influential women in business.
- Awareness seminar entitled "The concept of early childhood and the preparation of a model nursery and its role in
  improving the performance of workers". This is part of the strategy of the Women and Equal Opportunities Unit
  to hold periodic seminars to sensitize workers in certain social areas of general interest to women and the family.

