

**In The Name of Allah, The Most Beneficent, The Most Merciful**

**Republic of Iraq**  
**Ministry of Migration and Displaced (MOMD)**

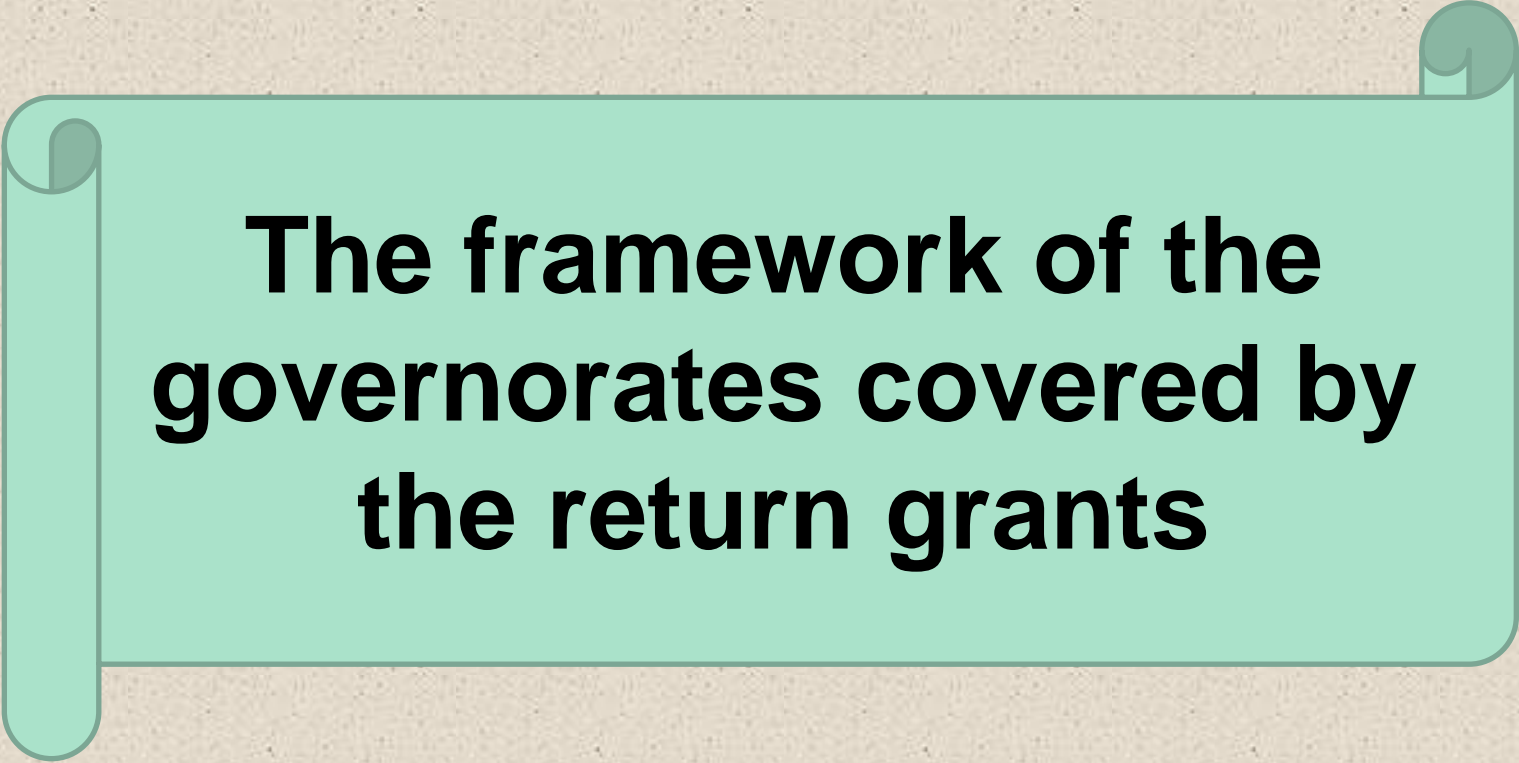
**Ministry of Migration and Displaced  
– Return Grants**

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# Introduction

The financial grant: There is no doubt that the payment of the financial grant to the returnees was a big factor behind the high rate of voluntary return of IDPs, increasing the confidence of displaced citizens in the ministry and the government in general. In this presentation, we will address the preparation of statistics of displaced families covered by the financial grants, the governorates covered, the mechanisms for the disbursement of those financial grants and the ministry's plans in this regard.



**The framework of the  
governorates covered by  
the return grants**

# MOMD work covers all the governorates of the country



## **II. Law of Ministry of Migration and Displaced**

**In the name of the people**

**Presidency Council**

Based on the approval of the Council to tighten Clause 1 of Article 61 and to the duration of the legal period stipulated and Clause 5A of Article 138 of the Constitution, the following law was passed:

**Law 21 of 2009**

**Law of Ministry of Migration and Displaced**

# Ministry Law

**Article 2: The Ministry aims to assist those covered by the provisions of this law from the following categories and provide them with the required services in the various fields as required and to seek solutions to address their situation in accordance with the law.**

Third: priority is given based on poverty and humanitarian needs, among other criteria

Fourth: Adopting the concept of relative distribution when applying standards and priorities.

Fifth: Coordination and cooperation with stakeholders inside and outside Iraq to provide solutions or services.

**Article 3: In the framework of support, facilitation, coordination and provision of services in emergency circumstances in relation to the categories stipulated in article (2) of this Law, MOMD handles:**

First: addressing their affairs as groups, except for special cases that are identified according to clear and specific criteria that can be treated as individual cases.

Second: seeking to improve their situation at the very least to a standard based on clear and specific criteria in United Nations guidelines, international laws, charters and customs, also taking into account national interest and internal considerations.

## 5 / The categories of beneficiaries of the Ministry

1. Iraqi IDPs
2. Iraqi deportees.
3. Iraqis returning from migration and displacement.
4. Migrants
5. Refugees and asylum seekers living outside Iraq due to forced migration.
6. Palestinian refugees who have been forced to leave their homeland since 1948 and have settled in Iraq legally.
7. Refugees of other nationalities in Iraq whose asylum has been accepted in accordance with the law and international conventions to which Iraq is a party



## **Statistics and figures regarding financial grants**

**1,500,000 Iraqi dinars**

**4,000,000 Iraqi dinars**

## **Governorates and areas covered by financial grants**

- **Anbar**
- **Ninewa**
- **Tel Afar**
- **Hamdaniya**
- **Salah al-Din**
- **Samarra**
- **Kirkuk**
- **Diyala**
- **Khanaqin**
- **Baghdad - Al-Karkh**

# First Batch

<b>Governorate</b>	<b>Number of returnee families covered by the grant</b>	<b>Amount (IQD): 1500000</b>
<b>Ninewa</b>	4312	6,468,000,000
<b>Kirkuk</b>	976	1,464,000,000
<b>Diyala</b>	1688	2,532,000,000
<b>Anbar</b>	2324	3,486,000,000
<b>Baghdad</b>	1312	1,968,000,000
<b>Salah al-Din</b>	1388	2,082,000,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	12000	18,000,000,000

# Second Batch

	<b>Governorate</b>	<b>Number of returnee families covered by the grant</b>	<b>Amount (IQD): 1500000</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Ninewa</b>	<b>2426</b>	<b>363,900,000</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Kirkuk</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>772,500,000</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Diyala</b>	<b>1148</b>	<b>1,722,000,000</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Anbar</b>	<b>2164</b>	<b>3,246,000,000</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Baghdad</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>891,000,000</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Salah al- Din</b>	<b>1153</b>	<b>1,729,500,000</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8000</b>	<b>12,000,000,000</b>

# Third Batch of the return grant

- The third batch of the return grant was also set at 1.5 million IQD per household
- 12,000 returnee families were eligible, bringing the total number of families covered in 2019 to 32,000.

# Yazidi grant

- Yazidi female survivors were eligible for a grant worth 2,000,000 IQD for each survivor. 899 survivors were identified

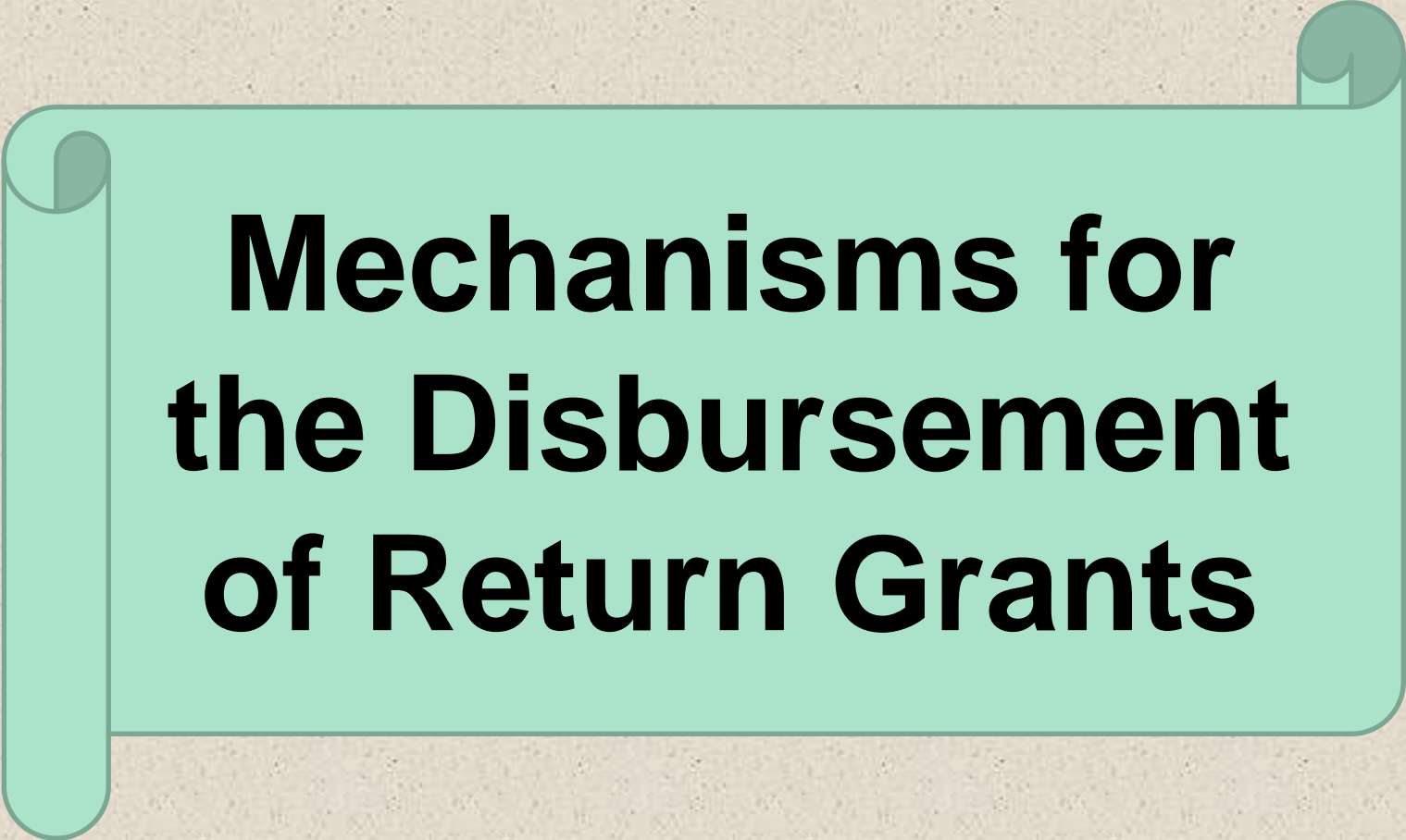
# **Return grant for Iraqi immigrants returning from abroad**

- An amount of 4,000,000 IQD will be paid to families who have returned from abroad, pending availability of MOMD resources
- Covers Iraqi families who left the country before 2003 and returned after 2003

# Livelihood Projects

- In 2019, 1000 families were eligible for livelihood schemes, which included blacksmith, carpentry, plastic houses, beekeeping, construction elevators, tailoring, hairstyling
- The provinces covered were Anbar, Salah al-Din, Ninewa, Diyala and Kirkuk





# **Mechanisms for the Disbursement of Return Grants**

# Mechanisms



## Stage 1

- Registration and authentication of cases of return starting from the governorates, through office and field mechanisms

## Stage 2

- Returnee data is collected centrally at the Ministry, verified and sent to the Administrative and Finance Department

## Stage 3

- The names of those eligible for the return grant are sent to the smart card company



**The beneficiaries then visit the smart card outlets to receive the grant.**

