

 **FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION**

 

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# Introduction

**Iraq**

1. Council Regulation (EC) 1210/2003 (“the Regulation”) imposing financial sanctions against Iraq has been amended so that an asset freeze no longer applies to the entities listed in the Annex to this Notice.

# Notice summary (Full details are provided in the Annex to this Notice)

1. The following entries have been removed from the consolidated list and are no longer subject to an asset freeze.
	* MEDICAL CITY ESTABLISHMENT (Group ID: 8128)
	* STATE COMPANY FOR DRUGS AND MEDICAL APPLIANCES (GROUP ID: 8089)

# Legislative details

1. On 11 January 2017 Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 2017/44 (“the Amending Regulation”) was published in the Official Journal of the European Union (O.J. L 6, 11.1.2017, p.36) by the European Commission.
2. The Amending Regulation amended Annex III to the Regulation with effect from 12 January 2017.
3. The Amending Regulation reflects the decision made on 28 December 2016 by the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) Committee to remove 2 entities from the UN Regime list.

# Further Information

1. A copy of the Amending Regulation can be obtained from the website of the Official Journal of the European Union:

<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32017R0044&from=EN>

1. Copies of recent Notices, certain EU Regulations, [UNSC Resolutions] and UK legislation can be obtained from the Iraq financial sanctions page on the GOV.UK website:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-iraq>

1. Further details on the UN measures in respect of Iraq can be found on the relevant UN Sanctions Committee webpage: <http://www.un.org/sc/committees>.
2. Please note there are also import and export restrictions on Iraq. Further guidance on export and trade sanctions is available from the GOV.UK website: <https://www.gov.uk/sanctions-embargoes-and-restrictions>.
3. For more information please see our guide to financial sanctions: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-faqs>

# Enquiries

1. Non-media enquiries, reports and licence applications should be addressed to:

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 Montserrat

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**ANNEX TO NOTICE**

# FINANCIAL SANCTIONS: IRAQ

**COMMISSION IMPLEMENTING REGULATION (EU) No 2017/44 AMENDING ANNEX III TO COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 1210/2003**

**DELISTINGS**

**Entities**

1. **MEDICAL CITY ESTABLISHMENT**

**Address:** Baghdad, Iraq. **Other Information:** Funds or financial assets or economic resources received on or after 23 May 2003 are not to be regarded as frozen nor required to be transferred to the successor arrangements to the DFI **Listed on:** 05/05/2004 **Last Updated:** 11/01/2017 **Group ID:** 8128.

1. **STATE COMPANY FOR DRUGS AND MEDICAL APPLIANCES (KIMADIA)**

**a.k.a:** General Establishment For Drugs and Medical Appliances (Kimadia) **Address:** Mansour City, PO Box 6138, Baghdad, Iraq. **Other Information:** Funds or financial assets or economic resources received on or after 23 May 2003 are not to be regarded as frozen nor required to be transferred to the successor arrangements to the DFI **Listed on:** 05/05/2004 **Last Updated:** 11/01/2017 **Group ID:** 8089.

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