



HAK-COMCEC Projects

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General Framework



Aims of HAK-COMCEC Projects

Main Objective: Establishment of a system for mutual/multilateral recognition of halal certificates according to common (SMIIC) standards

HAK-COMCEC Projects: An important tool for strengthening the infrastructure of partner countries towards the main objectives

Target-oriented projects that complement/support each other

2020-TURTRADE-1884: Technical training for standards for eliminating the lack of qualified personnel / Attention on the importance of uniformed halal certification

2022-TURTRADE-068: Importance of multilateral/mutual recognition of accredited halal certificates for the reducing technical barriers to trade





- ➤ The unique project accepted from Türkiye in the 8th Call for Project Proposals
- > The unique accepted project in the field of trade in 2020
- "Developing Human Capital in OIC Countries for Technical Halal Auditing based on SMIIC Halal Certification System & Halal Quality Infrastructure"
- > Technical Training and International Conference
- Project Budget: 45.000 USD
- Project Partners: Nigeria, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Pakistan





Technical Training:

6-8 September 2021: Technical Training on OIC/SMIIC Halal Standards
Physical&Online Attendance/HAK Headquarters

8 September 2021: Field visit to National Food Reference Laboratory of Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry

Conference:

6-7 October 2021: Globalizing the Trust in Halal Certification Physical & Online Attendance, Live Broadcast on YouTube and Zoom





FINAL-LIST

of the 10th Call for Project Proposals of the COMCEC Project Funding

Project Owner	Cooperation Area	Project Number
Benin	Agriculture	2022-BENAGRIC-994
The Gambia	Agriculture	2022-GMBAGRIC-046
Malaysia	Agriculture	2022-MYSAGRIC-049
Türkiye	Agriculture	2022-TURAGRIC-055
Benin	Poverty Alleviation	2022-BENPOVER-010
SESRIC	Poverty Alleviation	2022-SESRIC-017
SESRIC	Financial Cooperation	2022-SESRIC-050
Mali	Tourism	2022-MLITOURI-029
Uganda	Tourism	2022-UGATOURI-016
Bangladesh	Trade	2022-BGDTRADE-059
Cameroon	Trade	2022-CMRTRADE-081
Suriname	Trade	2022-SURTRADE-043
Türkiye	Trade	2022-TURTRADE-068
SMIIC	Trade	2022-SMIIC-006
Benin	Transport and Communication	2022-BENTRANS-009
The Gambia	Transport and Communication	2022-GMBTRANS-992
Jordan	Transport and Communication	2022-JORTRANS-086
SESRIC	Transport and Communication	2022-SESRIC-075

"Raising Awareness For Multilateral/Mutual Recognition According To OIC/SMIIC Halal Standards"

Contributed Themes:

- Developing National Inter-Institutional Coordination Mechanisms
- Strengthening Cross-Border Institutional Cooperation
- Developing Market/Product Specific Standardization and Certification Requirements





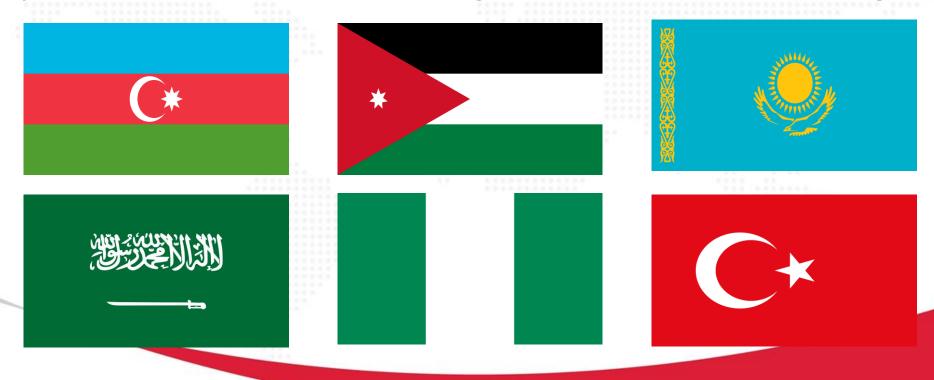
- ➤ Identifying the application differences between the accreditation bodies of OIC Countries
- Reducing differences in mutual recognition of accredited halal certificates
- ➤ Developing a common approach on mutual/multilateral recognition of accredited halal certificates in line with SMIIC halal standards
- Contributing to the process of covering gaps and opportunities for establishing a mutual recognition system





Project Partners;

Azerbaijan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Nigeria







- ➤ 62.600 USD Total Project Budget
- > 2 days Workshop in İstanbul (5-6 September 2023)
- ➤ 1 day International Conference in İstanbul (24 October 2023)





Workshop on Multilateral/Mutual Recognition of Halal Certification Activities

- > 5-6 September 2023, 2 days, İstanbul
- Developing a common practice language within the framework of the SMIIC halal certification approach
- Participants from accreditation and standardization organizations of project partner countries and SMIIC
- > Evaluation of awareness of the harmonized accreditation system
- Output of Workshop: Identification of the needs for the system of mutual/multilateral recognition with the experience of the partner countries and the contributions of SMIIC





International Conference

- > 24 October 2023, 1 day, İstanbul
- Sharing the common approach to multilateral/mutual recognition outlined in the workshop and the importance of multilateral recognition with all stakeholders
- ➤ Competent stakeholders in the field of halal and OIC/SMIIC standards will be invited to the conference as speakers
- > Live broadcast on YouTube, Zoom and Twitter platforms





Thanks for kind attention..