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SFD Concludes its Participation in Baghdad International Fair “Jira and Dira”

Represented by the Saudi Export Development Authority (SEDA) and in partnership with the Saudi-Iraqi Coordination Council, SFD concluded its participation as an honorary guest and diamond sponsor at the 47th Baghdad International Fair, held in Baghdad from January 10 to 19.

SFD’s participation in the “Jira and Dira” exhibition at the Baghdad International Fair was one of the largest within the Kingdom’s delegation. It featured seven government entities and 95 Saudi companies showcasing national products and services across key sectors.

Through its participation, SFD aimed to highlight its development efforts, including the financing of projects and programs in developing countries, as well as its support for local content development within the Kingdom. The pavilion attracted numerous dignitaries, officials, and visitors throughout the event.

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SFD Showcases Development Impact at Entrepreneurship and Modern Business Forum

SFD participated in the Entrepreneurship and Modern Business Practices Forum, held under the theme “Launch Towards the Future.” The event was organized by the Social Development Bank (SDB) and took place in Riyadh on January 22–23, 2024.

Through its interactive booth, SFD showcased its development programs and projects, offering visitors an opportunity to learn about the Fund’s work since its establishment in 1975 and its global efforts to support underserved communities in developing countries.

Cumulative Contributions of SFD

1975 – 2023

Tireless Efforts for Development Goals

Number of developing countries benefiting from the fund's Activities:

Over 100 developing countries worldwide



Development Projects and Programs:

More than 800



Total Funding:

SAR 77.856.25 billion



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received Mr. Joe Demby, Presidential Advisor on Economic and Financial Policy of the Republic of Sierra Leone, at SFD headquarters.



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received Mr. Kreshnik Ahmeti, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs and Diaspora of the Republic of Kosovo, at SFD headquarters.

Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received Mr. Elnur Aliyev, First Deputy Minister of Economy of the Republic of Azerbaijan, at SFD headquarters.



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received H.E. Dr. Arnoldo André Tinoco, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Costa Rica, at SFD headquarters.



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received H.E. Mohammad Faloudah, Ambassador of the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques to the Republic of Uganda and Non-Resident Ambassador to the Republic of Rwanda, at SFD headquarters.



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received H.E. Fayeze Al-Tamyaat, Ambassador of the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques to the Republic of Mauritius, at SFD headquarters.

Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received Mr. Fahmi Al Haj, Advisor to the President of the Republic of Djibouti for Investment Affairs, in the presence of the Ambassador of the Republic of Djibouti to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received H.E. Ms. Rose Pola Pricemou, Minister of Planning and International Cooperation of the Republic of Guinea, at SFD headquarters.

Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received H.E. Ibrahim Membourou, Ambassador of the Republic of Gabon to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, at SFD headquarters.



Mr. Sultan Al-Marshad, CEO of SFD, received H.E. José Agüero Ávila, Non-Resident Ambassador of the Republic of Paraguay to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, at SFD headquarters.

International Development Dialogue and SFD Activity Overview



Eng. Faisal bin Mohamed Al-Qahtani, Deputy CEO of SFD, met with Dr. Thomas Jorgensen, Minister Plenipotentiary and Head of the Department of Trade and Economic Affairs at the European Union Delegation to Saudi Arabia.

The meeting took place on Wednesday at SFD's headquarters.





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