

## **Chapter : 2905 The Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission**

**Creation :** The Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission was established pursuant to its Law No. (20) of 2007 and its amendments with the aim of improving the quality of higher education in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and ensuring the quality of its outcomes using measurement standards that are consistent with international standards.

**Vision :** Bringing higher education institutions to a high level of global competitiveness.

**Mission :** Improving the performance of Jordanian higher education institutions, enhancing their competitive capabilities, and ensuring the application of accreditation and quality standards and foundations and the Jordanian National Qualifications Framework compatible with international standards.

**Legal Framework :** Amended Law No. (31) of 2018 amended Law to the Law on Accreditation and Quality Assurance of Higher Education Institutions.

**Priorities and targeted results within the determined ceilings for the years 2026 - 2028 :**

**First Priority :**

- Incorporating and placing the national qualifications (higher education/general education/vocational and technical education) into the Jordanian National Qualifications Framework.

**Key procedures to achieve the first priority :**

- Starting developing pre-learning standards.
- Awareness plan (holding workshops on placement procedures).

**First Priority Outcomes :**

- Designing national qualifications outcomes according to the specifications of the Jordanian National Qualifications Framework and preparing a framework for graduate characteristics.
- Recognizing prior education and promoting the concept of lifelong learning.

**First priority-related program :**

- Accreditation and quality assurance.

**Second Priority :**

- Implementing Jordanian accreditation for academic programs.

**Key procedures to achieve the second priority :**

- Completing accreditation according to a clear framework. Jordanian accreditation standards for academic programs have been established.
- Awareness and training for universities and academic institutions.
- Conducting field evaluation and review of academic programs.

**Second Priority Outcomes :**

- Accreditation of academic programs based on qualitative standards consistent with international standards, in addition to the quantitative accreditation in force at the Authority.
- Measuring the extent of improvement in university proficiency exam outcomes in light of the application of Jordanian accreditation for academic programs.
- Enhancing the quality of higher education and raising the status of Jordanian universities.

**Second priority-related program :**

- Accreditation and quality assurance.

**Third Priority :**

- Applying the foundations for integrating e-learning into Jordanian higher education institutions.

**Key procedures to achieve the third priority :**

- Developing regulations for e-learning and blended learning.
- Aligning learning outcomes with labor market needs.
- Forming specialized committees to monitor the implementation of e-learning and blended learning in public and private universities and some community colleges.

**Third Priority Outcomes :**

- Developing and updating the foundations for integrating e-learning in light of feedback from higher education institutions.
- Evaluating the effectiveness of e-learning and ensuring its quality.

**Third priority-related program :**

- Accreditation and quality assurance.

**Fourth Priority :**

- Completing the automation of all the Commission's work.

**Key procedures to achieve the fourth priority :**

- Developing an integrated system to link all higher education institutions with the Commission.
- Pilot inspection of the platform and training of the Commission's employees on its use.

**Fourth Priority Outcomes :**

- A national platform for linking with all higher education institutions to electronically calculate program capacity and extract all reports necessary for the Commission's work and unified admissions electronically.
- Implementing all requests for public and private accreditation and Jordanian accreditation for academic programs electronically.
- A national platform for aligning higher education outcomes with labor market requirements, and indicating the employment rate of graduates of higher education institutions.

**Fourth priority-related program :**

- Administration and Support Services.

**Priority of the needs of both genders, youth and persons with disabilities :**

- Building a generation capable of creativity and innovation in line with technological changes.

**Key procedures to achieve the priority of the needs of both genders, youth and persons with disabilities :**

- Involving women in supervisory and leadership positions, enhancing the role of persons with disabilities, and working to involve them in achieving work goals in a manner commensurate with their abilities.

The following outcomes are expected to be achieved for the priority of the needs of both genders, youth & perso

- Preparing human cadres (of both sexes) to meet current and future labor market needs within a framework of quality and competitiveness.
- Achieving social integration and balance between both sexes.
- The right to access education for persons with disabilities (of both sexes).

Priority-related program of the needs of both genders, youth and persons with disabilities :

- Administration and Support Services.

Tasks of the Ministry / Department :

- Establishing standards for the accreditation of higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions and their programs, ensuring their quality, classification, and periodic review.
- Monitoring and improving the quality of higher education, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions in the Kingdom, and ensuring the quality of their outcomes using measurement standards that are consistent with international standards.
- Applying public and private accreditation standards to higher education institutions.
- Developing and managing the operations of the Jordanian National Qualifications Framework and developing, delivering and disseminating qualifications across all levels of education and training.
- Applying Jordanian accreditation standards for academic programs to all programs offered by higher education institutions.
- Implementing the general framework for technical specializations in the career path for the intermediate diploma and technical bachelor's degrees.
- Collecting information, conducting studies and research related to the quality of education, and ensuring the quality of its outcomes.
- Ensuring that higher education institutions conduct and study self-evaluation of their programmes and outcomes.
- Determining the allowance paid by higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions in exchange for the Council's general and special accreditation, the creation of specializations, raising public and private capacity, issuing a quality assurance certificate, and providing any services to higher education institutions upon their request within the Council's tasks and powers.
- Conducting a university proficiency test, in accordance with relevant regulations and legislation.
- Issuing instructions, standards and foundations related to all the Commission's work.
- Encouraging higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions in the Kingdom to be open and interactive with distinguished higher education institutions, educational institutions, vocational and technical education and training institutions, and international accreditation and quality control bodies.
- Equivalency of certificates and authentication of documents issued by higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions recognized by the Commission inside and outside the Kingdom and their recognition in accordance with approved regulations and instructions.
- Granting a quality assurance certificate to higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions at the institutional level and at the level of academic programs and vocational and technical training programs.
- Accrediting higher education institutions, educational institutions, and non-Jordanian vocational and technical education and training institutions outside the Kingdom with general and special accreditation upon their request and granting them a quality assurance certificate at the institution level and at the level of academic programs and vocational and technical training programs in accordance with the instructions issued by the Commission's Council.
- Establishing the necessary standards and indicators to ensure the quality and accountability of public education institutions, developing measurement and evaluation tools, and providing technical support to build the capabilities of workers in the educational sector.
- Regulating the vocational and technical education and training sector in accordance with standards and principles approved by the Commission's Council.

**The National objectives that the Ministry / Department contributes to achieving :**

- Monitoring and improving the quality of education in higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions in the Kingdom, and ensuring the quality of its outcomes using measurement standards that are consistent with international standards.
- Motivating higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions to maintain their excellence in facing challenges to reach a high level of competitiveness, knowledge transfer, and capacity building.
- Adopting leadership, excellence, and creativity within a participatory concept between the public and private sectors to achieve alignment between educational outcomes and labor market needs.
- Spreading the culture of quality, consolidating its values, and developing the practice of its activities.
- Governance of the vocational and technical education and training sector.
- Preparing lists of higher education institutions, educational institutions, and vocational and technical education and training institutions recognized by the Commission.

**The most important issues and challenges facing the Ministry / Department :**

- Lack of alignment between education and training outcomes and labor market needs.
- Weak individual and societal culture towards moving towards vocational and technical education and training.
- Internationalization of education and training in preparing graduates who possess qualifications and competencies compatible with the requirements of regional and global markets.
- Lack of sufficient scientific studies to measure the availability of competencies related to labor market needs.
- The rise in the stakeholders' expectations gap
- The number of general, higher, vocational and technical education institutions, which are subject to accreditation and quality assurance processes, is increasing.

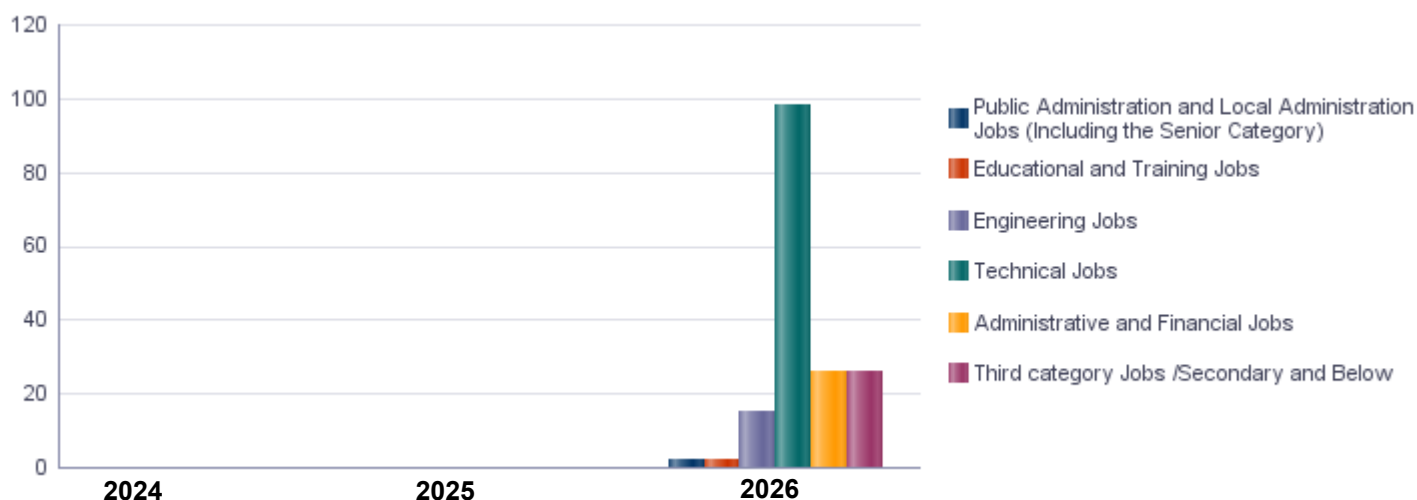
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### Strategic goals of the Ministry/ Department/ Unit and Performance Measurement Indicators

Strategic Objective	Performance Indicator	Base year	Value	Actual Value	Target Value	Preliminary Self Evaluation	Target Value			
				2024	2025	2025	2026	2027	2028	
1 - Strengthening the Commission's institutional capacities.										
2 - Ensuring the quality of Jordanian higher education institutions and improving their global ranking.										

### Number of Staff in the Ministry/ Department/ Unit

Group	Job	2024			2025			Preliminary 2026		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Public Administration and Local Administration J		0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Educational and Training Jobs		0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Engineering Jobs		0	0	0	0	0	0	11	4	15
Technical Jobs		0	0	0	0	0	0	47	51	98
Administrative and Financial Jobs		0	0	0	0	0	0	14	12	26
Third category Jobs /Secondary and Below		0	0	0	0	0	0	20	6	26
<b>Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>169</b>



### Most notable information about the Ministry/Department/Unit

No.	Description	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
1	Number of Jordanian universities that are generally accredited.	0	0	0	0	34
2	Number of specializations subject to accreditation standards.	0	0	0	0	2060
3	Number of new academic programs and specializations accredited by higher education institutions.	0	0	0	0	100
4	Number of publicly accredited community colleges.	0	0	0	0	47
5	Number of majors subject to special accreditation standards in community colleges.	0	0	0	0	580
7	Number of university colleges.	0	0	0	0	9
8	Number of universities covered by the proficiency exam.	0	0	0	0	18

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( In JDs )

Current Activities Appropriations According to Program								
Prog.	Activites		Actual	Estimated	Re-estimated	Estimated	Indicative	Indicative
			2024	2025	2025	2026	2027	2028
6721	601	Administrative and Support Services	0	0	0	2820000	2860000	2901000
		Total of Program	0	0	0	2820000	2860000	2901000
6722	601	Reliability and quality assurance	0	0	0	615000	615000	615000
		Total of Program	0	0	0	615000	615000	615000
		Total	0	0	0	3435000	3475000	3516000

Capital Projects Appropriations According to Program								
Prog.	Projects		Actual	Estimated	Re-estimated	Estimated	Indicative	Indicative
			2024	2025	2025	2026	2027	2028
6722	001	National Testing Center	0	0	0	200000	90000	90000
	002	Sectoral Skills Councils	0	0	0	200000	250000	250000
	003	Developing training curricula, tests, and training trainers	0	0	0	260000	360000	360000
		Total of Program	0	0	0	660000	700000	700000
		Total	0	0	0	660000	700000	700000

# Overall Summary of Expenditures for Chapter 2905- The Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission

for the Years 2024 - 2028

( In JDs )

Description	Actual	Estimated	Re-estimated	Estimated	Difference between estimated 2026 and re-estimated 2025	Indicative	
	2024	2025	2025	2026		2027	2028
Current Expenditure	0	0	0	3,435,000	3,435,000	3,475,000	3,516,000
Capital Expenditure	0	0	0	660,000	660,000	700,000	700,000
<b>Total current and capital expenditure</b>	0	0	0	<b>4,095,000</b>	<b>4,095,000</b>	<b>4,175,000</b>	<b>4,216,000</b>

## Most notable differences between estimated appropriations for 2026 and re-estimated for 2025

### Current expenditure :

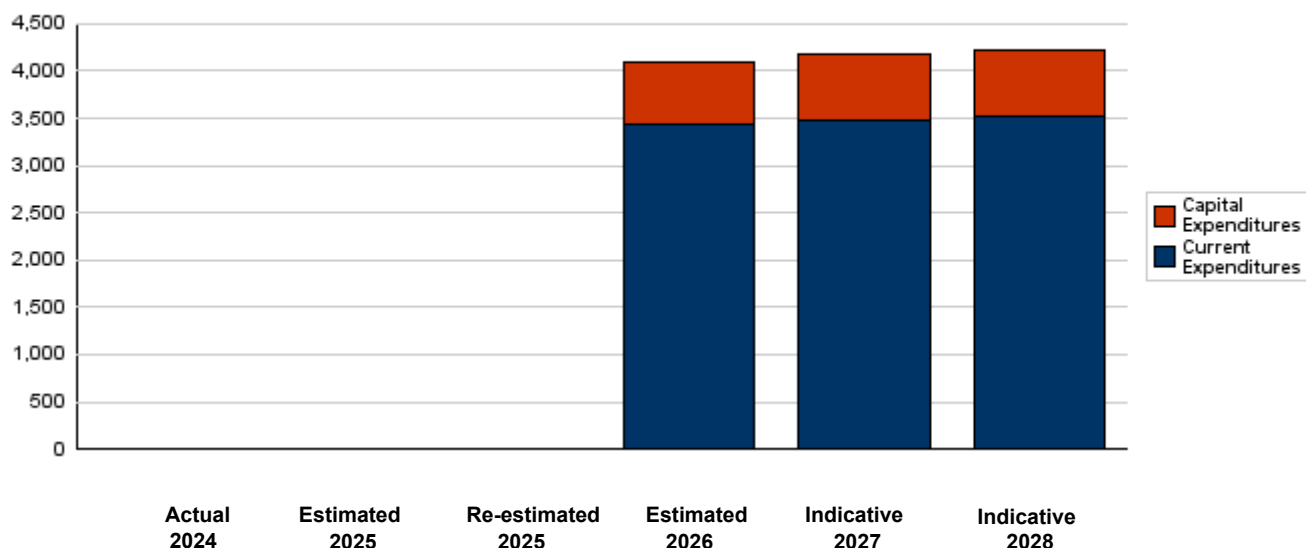
- Based on Law No. (6) of 2025, an amended law to the law on restructuring government institutions and departments, the name of the Higher Education Institutions Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission was changed and the Technical and Vocational Skills Development Authority was terminated.
- Financial allocations have begun to be monitored within the budget of Chapter (2905 - Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission) for the year 2026. An amount of (3435) thousand JDs has been allocated for current expenses for the year 2026, as follows:
  - Compensation of employees: An amount of (2.267) thousand JDs was allocated to cover the cost of the natural increase in salaries, wages, bonuses, and the cost of vacancies and new jobs.
  - Use of goods and services group: Allocating an amount of (470) thousand JDs to cover Operational Expenditure costs.
- Other expenditures: An amount of (698) thousand JDs was allocated, and it focused on allocating the necessary allocations for the work of the committees emanating from the Accreditation Council and bonuses for the university competency examination committees.

### Capital expenditure :

- Allocating an amount of (660) thousand JDs within the capital budget of the Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission as follows:
  - The National Testing Center for an amount of (200) thousand JDs.
  - Sectoral skills councils in the amount of (200) thousand JDs.
  - Developing training curricula, tests and training trainers in the amount of (260) thousand JDs.

( Thousands of JDs )

Graph of the current and capital expenditures for the years 2024 - 2028



**Overall Summary of Current Expenditures for the Years 2024 - 2028**

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( In JDs )

Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
<b>21</b>		<b>Compensations of Employees</b>						
<b>2111</b>		<b>Salaries, Wages and Allowances</b>						
	102	Unclassified Employees	0	0	0	197000	197000	197000
	105	Personal Cost of Living Allowance	0	0	0	219000	219000	219000
	106	Family Cost of Living Allowance	0	0	0	23000	23000	23000
	110	Overtime Allowance	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
	111	Additional Allowance	0	0	0	269000	270000	271000
	112	Other Allowances	0	0	0	39000	39000	39000
	113	Transportation Allowance	0	0	0	56000	57000	58000
	114	Transport Allowance	0	0	0	16000	17000	18000
	116	Employees' Bonuses	0	0	0	700000	700000	700000
	120	Contract Employees	0	0	0	157000	160000	163000
	121	Fixed-term Contract Employees	0	0	0	361000	376000	391000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2042000</b>	<b>2063000</b>	<b>2084000</b>
<b>2121</b>		<b>Social Security Contributions</b>						
	301	Social Security	0	0	0	225000	228000	232000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>225000</b>	<b>228000</b>	<b>232000</b>
<b>22</b>		<b>Use of Goods and Services</b>						
<b>2211</b>		<b>Use of Goods and Services</b>						
	201	Rents	0	0	0	80000	80000	80000
	202	Telecommunications Services	0	0	0	41000	42000	43000
	203	Water	0	0	0	10000	12000	14000
	204	Electricity	0	0	0	80000	82000	84000
	205	Fuels	0	0	0	35000	37000	39000
	206	Maintenance of Machines, furniture and acce	0	0	0	8000	8000	8000
	207	Maintenance of vehicles, equipment and acce	0	0	0	12000	12000	12000
	208	Repair and maintenance of buildings and acc	0	0	0	19000	19000	19000
	209	Stationery,Publications and Office Supplies	0	0	0	28000	30000	32000
	210	Substances and raw materials (medicines, cl	0	0	0	3000	3000	3000
	211	Cleaning services and supplies including cle	0	0	0	50000	55000	60000
	212	Insurance	0	0	0	9000	9000	9000
	213	Official Travel Missions	0	0	0	13000	13000	13000
	214	Goods and services expenses	0	0	0	82000	84000	86000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>470000</b>	<b>486000</b>	<b>502000</b>
<b>28</b>		<b>Other Expenditures</b>						
<b>2821</b>		<b>Other Current Expenditures</b>						
	302	Contributions	0	0	0	63000	63000	63000
	303	Scientific scholarships and training courses	0	0	0	20000	20000	20000
	305	Non-Employees' Bonuses	0	0	0	605000	605000	605000
	306	Refunds from previous years revenues	0	0	0	10000	10000	10000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>698000</b>	<b>698000</b>	<b>698000</b>
		<b>Total of Chapter</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3435000</b>	<b>3475000</b>	<b>3516000</b>

# Overall Summary of Capital Expenditures for the Years 2024 - 2028

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( In JDs )

Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
		<b>Expenditures</b>						
22		Use of Goods and Services						
2211		Use of Goods and Services						
	510	Buildings and facilities repair and maintenance	0	0	0	40000	40000	40000
	512	Operating and Sustaining Expenditures	0	0	0	165000	185000	185000
		<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	205000	225000	225000
28		<b>Other Expenditures</b>						
2822		Other Capital Expenditures						
	504	Studies, Research and Consultations	0	0	0	230000	350000	350000
		<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	230000	350000	350000
		<b>Fixed Assets</b>						
31		<b>Non-financial Assets</b>						
3112		Devices, Machinery and Equipment						
	505	Equipment, Machines and Devices	0	0	0	85000	95000	95000
	506	Vehicles and Equipment	0	0	0	135000	25000	25000
		<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	220000	120000	120000
3113		Other Fixed Assets						
	511	Equipping and furnishing	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
		<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
		<b>Total of Chapter</b>	0	0	0	660000	700000	700000

**Appropriations directed for females and child according to chapter : 2905 The Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission**

( In JDs )

<b>Description</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2026</b>	<b>2027</b>	<b>2028</b>
<b>Females</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Child</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Appropriations distributed according to population index</b>					
<b>Females</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>859,160</b>	<b>885,480</b>	<b>893,000</b>
<b>Child</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>658,080</b>	<b>678,240</b>	<b>684,000</b>
<b>Total appropriations directed for females</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>859,160</b>	<b>885,480</b>	<b>893,000</b>
<b>Total appropriations directed for Child</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>658,080</b>	<b>678,240</b>	<b>684,000</b>

**6721 Program Administration and Support Services**

**Objective of the program :**

- Sustaining the Commission's work.
- Raising the efficiency of the Commission and its employees and improving its services.
- Providing logistical support to the Commission.

**The strategic objective related to the program :**

Strengthening the Commission's institutional capacities.

**Directorates associated with the program :**

- Directorate of Financial and Administrative Affairs.
- Legal Affairs Unit.
- Internal Control Unit.
- The Authority's Council.
- IT Directorate.
- Directorate of Human Resources and Institutional Development.
- Secretariat of the Council.

**Services provided by the program :**

- 1- Providing support for the Commission's various activities.
- 2- Providing administrative infrastructure (such as computing, administrative transportation means for accreditation committees, quality assurance, and the provision of furniture and supplies).
- 3- All administrative and financial matters related to disbursing salaries and bonuses to employees and the affiliated committees and following up on their various job affairs.

**Program's main outputs and results during the years (2026 -2028):**

- Providing appropriate and trained staff.
- Maintaining the operation of the Commission to achieve the objectives for which it was established.
- Automating the Commission's tasks and operations.

**The Program's challenges :**

- The decision to merge the Vocational and Technical Skills Development Commission with Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission for Higher Education Institutions, which in turn contributed to delaying the amendment of legislation and the completion of the automation process.
- Providing the Commission with qualified personnel.

**Actions to address challenges and improve services provided:**

- Resuming work on the Commission's plans, despite the existence of the merger resolution, in order to amend legislation and launch the Commission's automation project.
- Develop a training plan for the Commission.

**The needs of both genders:**

The program supports male and female equality by activating the provisions of the human resources bylaw that support women, such as maternity leave, flexible working hours, and other supportive provisions.

**Staff working in the program :**

This program is implemented through the Commission's staff.

**Appropriations directed for females and child**

(In JDs)

Description	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Females	0	0	0	0	0
Child	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Appropriations directed according to population index</b>					
Females	0	0	259,910	267,430	274,950
Child	0	0	199,080	204,840	210,600
<b>Total appropriations directed for females</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>259,910</b>	<b>267,430</b>	<b>274,950</b>
<b>Total appropriations directed for Child</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>199,080</b>	<b>204,840</b>	<b>210,600</b>

**Key Performance indicators for Program**

Performance Measurement Indicator	Base Year	Value	Actual value	Target value	PreliminarySelf Evaluation	Target Value		
			2024	2025		2025	2026	2027
1 Degree of job satisfaction.	-	-	-	-	-	%94	%94	%95
2 Percentage of trained staff.	-	-	-	-	-	%94	%95	%96
3 Percentage of electronic transformation.	-	-	-	-	-	%98	%99	%100

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**6721 Program Administration and Support Services**

**Appropriations 6721 Program Administration and Support Services Per Activities and Projects**

**(In JDs)**

<b>Activities and Projects</b>	<b>Actual 2024</b>	<b>Estimated 2025</b>	<b>Re-estimated 2025</b>	<b>Estimated 2026</b>	<b>Indicative 2027 2028</b>	
<b>Current Expenditures</b>	0	0	0	2,820,000	2,860,000	2,901,000
601   Administrative and Support Services	0	0	0	2,820,000	2,860,000	2,901,000
<b>Capital Expenditures</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0
Program / Treasury	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total Program</b>	0	0	0	2,820,000	2,860,000	2,901,000

Program : 6721 - Administration and Support Services								
Activity : 601 - Administrative and Support Services								
Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
<b>21</b>		<b>Compensations of Employees</b>						
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<b>2121</b>		Social Security Contributions						
	301	Social Security	0	0	0	225000	228000	232000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>225000</b>	<b>228000</b>	<b>232000</b>
<b>22</b>		<b>Use of Goods and Services</b>						
<b>2211</b>		Use of Goods and Services						
	201	Rents	0	0	0	80000	80000	80000
	202	Telecommunications Services	0	0	0	41000	42000	43000
	203	Water	0	0	0	10000	12000	14000
	204	Electricity	0	0	0	80000	82000	84000
	205	Fuels	0	0	0	35000	37000	39000
	001	Heating	0	0	0	18000	18000	18000
	002	Saloon vehicles	0	0	0	12000	12000	12000
	003	Transport vehicles and heavy equipment	0	0	0	5000	7000	9000
	206	Maintenance of Machines, furniture and accessories	0	0	0	8000	8000	8000
	207	Maintenance of vehicles, equipment and accessories	0	0	0	12000	12000	12000
	208	Repair and maintenance of buildings and accessories	0	0	0	19000	19000	19000
	209	Stationery, Publications and Office Supplies	0	0	0	28000	30000	32000
	210	Substances and raw materials (medicines, clothes, food, films, etc..)	0	0	0	3000	3000	3000
	211	Cleaning services and supplies including cleaning contracts	0	0	0	50000	55000	60000
	212	Insurance	0	0	0	9000	9000	9000
	213	Official Travel Missions	0	0	0	13000	13000	13000
	214	Goods and services expenses	0	0	0	82000	84000	86000
	001	Events and hospitality	0	0	0	17000	17000	17000
	008	Advertisements and subscriptions	0	0	0	14000	14000	14000
	013	Services, security and guarding contracts	0	0	0	43000	45000	47000
	028	Professional services expenditures	0	0	0	3000	3000	3000
	108	Cases and fees	0	0	0	3000	3000	3000
	121	Administrative expenses	0	0	0	2000	2000	2000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>470000</b>	<b>486000</b>	<b>502000</b>
<b>28</b>		<b>Other Expenditures</b>						
<b>2821</b>		Other Current Expenditures						
	302	Contributions	0	0	0	63000	63000	63000
	000	Contributions	0	0	0	60000	60000	60000
	028	End of Service Compensation	0	0	0	3000	3000	3000
	303	Scientific scholarships and training courses	0	0	0	20000	20000	20000
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>83000</b>	<b>83000</b>	<b>83000</b>
		<b>Total of Activity</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2820000</b>	<b>2860000</b>	<b>2901000</b>
		<b>Total of Program</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2820000</b>	<b>2860000</b>	<b>2901000</b>

**6722 Program The Accreditation and Quality Assurance**

**Objective of the program :**

- Ensuring the quality of academic programs in higher education institutions, and employing them in developing universities, colleges and academic programs.
- Improving the quality of academic program outcomes in Jordanian higher education institutions through computerized tests that measure these outcomes.
- Forming sectoral skills councils, which are considered the basis of partnership between the public and private sectors in developing the vocational and technical education and training system and any other specialized committees, in addition to preparing sectoral studies.
- Developing various training processes in public and private sector institutions.

**The strategic objective related to the program :**

Ensuring the quality of Jordanian higher education institutions and improving their global ranking.

**Directorates associated with the program :**

- Directorate of Quality Assurance and Classifications.
- Universities Accreditation Directorate.
- Directorate of Accreditation of Intermediate University Colleges.
- National Testing Center.
- Directorate of Accreditation of Vocational and Technical Education and Training Institutions.
- Directorate of the National Qualifications Framework.
- Sectoral Skills Councils Unit.

**Services provided by the program :**

- Public and private accreditation of universities, community colleges, university colleges, and vocational and technical education and training institutions.
- monitoring and quality control.
- Classification of Jordanian higher education institutions, their programs and specializations.
- Forming sectoral skills councils and any other specialized technical committees in accordance with the standards approved by the Council.
- Holding a university proficiency exam and measuring, analyzing, and utilizing the outcomes of academic programs in Jordanian higher education institutions to utilize in developing educational outcomes in Jordanian higher education institutions.
- Classification of programs and specializations in Jordanian higher education institutions.
- Developing the capabilities and skills of teachers, trainers, technical supervisors and technicians.

**Program's main outputs and results during the years (2026 -2028):**

- Accrediting all higher education institutions and vocational and technical education and training institutions in the Kingdom, controlling their quality, monitoring them, and classifying them.
- Controlling the quality of some higher education institutions outside the Kingdom.
- Holding the university proficiency exam twice a year and analyzing its outcomes.
- Forming sectoral skills councils and preparing sectoral studies.
- Training trainees for employment under agreements with training providers.

**The Program's challenges :**

- The decision to merge the Vocational and Technical Skills Development Commission with Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission for Higher Education Institutions, which in turn contributed to delaying the amendment of legislation and procedures.
- Changes in the standards of accreditation and quality of higher education institutions globally.
- Not relying on the university proficiency exam in the labor market.

**Actions to address challenges and improve services provided:**

- Resuming work on the Commission's plans, despite the existence of the merger resolution, until the completion of legislation, plans and procedures to manage the Commission's work so that it can achieve its objectives.
- Keeping pace with changes in accreditation and quality standards.
- Taking legal measures to approve the university proficiency exam for employment accreditation.

**The needs of both genders:**

Providing vocational training programmes for women to enable them to enter the labour market and contribute to the provision of appropriate employment opportunities.

**Staff working in the program :**

This program is implemented through the Commission's staff.

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Appropriations directed for females and child

(In JDs)

Description	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Females	0	0	0	0	0
Child	0	0	0	0	0
Appropriations directed according to population index					
Females	0	0	599,250	618,050	618,050
Child	0	0	459,000	473,400	473,400
Total appropriations directed for females	0	0	599,250	618,050	618,050
Total appropriations directed for Child	0	0	459,000	473,400	473,400

**Key Performance indicators for Program**

Performance Measurement Indicator	Base Year	Value	Actual value	Target value	Preliminary Self Evaluation	Target Value		
			2024	2025		2025	2026	2027
1 Follow-up percentage of specially accredited academic programs.	-	-	-	-	-	%100	%100	%100
2 Number of universities that have obtained the Jordanian Quality Assurance Certificate.	-	-	-	-	-	11	12	13
3 Number of academic programs that have obtained the Jordanian Quality Assurance Certificate.	-	-	-	-	-	80	90	100
4 Number of studies measuring educational outcomes in higher education institutions.	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3
5 The number of academic programs whose outputs will be measured.	-	-	-	-	-	220	225	230

**Appropriations 6722 Program The Accreditation and Quality Assurance Per Activities and Projects**

(In JDs)

Activities and Projects	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative	
					2027	2028
<b>Current Expenditures</b>	0	0	0	615,000	615,000	615,000
601 Reliability and quality assurance	0	0	0	615,000	615,000	615,000
<b>Capital Expenditures</b>	0	0	0	660,000	700,000	700,000
001 National Testing Center	0	0	0	200,000	90,000	90,000
002 Sectoral Skills Councils	0	0	0	200,000	250,000	250,000
003 Developing training curricula, tests, and training trainers	0	0	0	260,000	360,000	360,000
<b>Program / Treasury</b>	0	0	0	660,000	700,000	700,000
<b>Total Program</b>	0	0	0	1,275,000	1,315,000	1,315,000

**Current Expenditures According to Program and Activities for the Years 2024 - 2028**

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Program : 6722 - The Accreditation and Quality Assurance								
Activity : 601 - Reliability and quality assurance								
Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
<b>28</b>		<b>Other Expenditures</b>						
<b>2821</b>		Other Current Expenditures						
	<b>305</b>	<b>Non-Employees' Bonuses</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>605000</b>	<b>605000</b>	<b>605000</b>
	000	Non-employees' bonuses	0	0	0	150000	150000	150000
	002	Accreditation Board and its Committees	0	0	0	380000	380000	380000
	005	University Competence Examination Committees bonus (Non-employees)	0	0	0	70000	70000	70000
	010	Bonuses of committees	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
	<b>306</b>	<b>Refunds from previous years revenues</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10000</b>	<b>10000</b>	<b>10000</b>
		<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>615000</b>	<b>615000</b>	<b>615000</b>
		<b>Total of Activity</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>615000</b>	<b>615000</b>	<b>615000</b>
		<b>Total of Program</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>615000</b>	<b>615000</b>	<b>615000</b>
		<b>Total of Chapter</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3435000</b>	<b>3475000</b>	<b>3516000</b>

# Capital Expenditures According to Program and Projects for the Years 2024 - 2028

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( In JDs )

Program 6722 The Accreditation and Quality Assurance								
Project		001 National Testing Center						
Fund Source		102001 Capital (Treasury)						
Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
22		Use of Goods and Services						
2211		Use of Goods and Services						
	512	Operating and Sustaining Expenditures						
	015	Operating systems and software	0	0	0	30000	30000	30000
	032	Conferences, celebrations and workshops	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	35000	35000	35000
31		Non-financial Assets						
3112		Devices, Machinery and Equipment						
	505	Equipment, Machines and Devices						
	001	Computers and accessories	0	0	0	15000	15000	15000
	003	Office supplies and equipment	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
	023	Electrical devices and equipment	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	25000	25000	25000
	506	Vehicles and Equipment						
	001	Saloon cars	0	0	0	75000	25000	25000
	005	Medium-size passenger buses	0	0	0	60000	0	0
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	135000	25000	25000
3113		Other Fixed Assets						
	511	Equipping and furnishing						
	006	Furnishing and equipping the buildings and facilities	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	5000	5000	5000
		<b>Total of Project / Treasury</b>	0	0	0	200000	90000	90000
Project		002 Sectoral Skills Councils						
Fund Source		102001 Capital (Treasury)						
Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
22		Use of Goods and Services						
2211		Use of Goods and Services						
	510	Buildings and facilities repair and maintenance						
	009	Buildings repair and renovation	0	0	0	40000	40000	40000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	40000	40000	40000
28		Other Expenditures						
2822		Other Capital Expenditures						
	504	Studies, Research and Consultations						
	052	Studies, researches and consultations	0	0	0	140000	190000	190000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	140000	190000	190000
31		Non-financial Assets						
3112		Devices, Machinery and Equipment						
	505	Equipment, Machines and Devices						
	068	Solar cells generating the electric energy	0	0	0	20000	20000	20000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	0	0	0	20000	20000	20000
		<b>Total of Project / Treasury</b>	0	0	0	200000	250000	250000

# Capital Expenditures According to Program and Projects for the Years 2024 - 2028

Chapter : 2905 The Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission

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Program		6722 The Accreditation and Quality Assurance						
Project		003 Developing training curricula, tests, and training trainers						
Fund Source		102001 Capital (Treasury)						
Group	Item	Description	Actual 2024	Estimated 2025	Re-estimated 2025	Estimated 2026	Indicative 2027	Indicative 2028
<b>22</b>		<b>Use of Goods and Services</b>						
<b>2211</b>		Use of Goods and Services						
	512	Operating and Sustaining Expenditures						
	008	Qualification and training expenses	0	0	0	80000	90000	90000
	015	Operating systems and software	0	0	0	50000	60000	60000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>130000</b>	<b>150000</b>	<b>150000</b>
<b>28</b>		<b>Other Expenditures</b>						
<b>2822</b>		Other Capital Expenditures						
	504	Studies, Research and Consultations						
	024	Market studies	0	0	0	90000	160000	160000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>90000</b>	<b>160000</b>	<b>160000</b>
<b>31</b>		<b>Non-financial Assets</b>						
<b>3112</b>		Devices, Machinery and Equipment						
	505	Equipment, Machines and Devices						
	001	Computers and accessories	0	0	0	25000	30000	30000
	023	Electrical devices and equipment	0	0	0	15000	20000	20000
		<b>Total of Item</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>40000</b>	<b>50000</b>	<b>50000</b>
		<b>Total of Project / Treasury</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>260000</b>	<b>360000</b>	<b>360000</b>
		<b>Total of Program</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>660000</b>	<b>700000</b>	<b>700000</b>
		<b>Total of Chapter</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>660000</b>	<b>700000</b>	<b>700000</b>