

REPORT ON EXPORT CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY NEPC IN KOGI STATE

Period: 2018 - Till Date

Introduction:

The Nigerian Export Promotion Council (NEPC) plays a crucial role in promoting non-oil exports in Nigeria. As part of its mandate, NEPC issues export certificates to firms that meet the required standards. This report provides an overview of the number of firms that have obtained export certificates from NEPC in Kogi State from 2018 till date.

Key Findings:

As of November, 2024, a total of 124 firms have obtained export certificates from NEPC in Kogi State. This indicates a growing interest in non-oil exports among firms in the state.

Breakdown of Firms by Year:

| Year | Number of Firms |

| 2018 | [10] |

| 2019 | [3] |

| 2020 | [7] |

| 2021 | [48] |

| 2022 | [10] |

| 2023 | [16] |

| 2024 | [30] |

Conclusion:

The issuance of export certificates by NEPC in Kogi State demonstrates the state's potential for non-oil exports. The 124 firms that have obtained export certificates from 2018 till date are a testament to the growing interest in exports among firms in the state.

Recommendations:

1. NEPC should continue to provide support and guidance to firms in Kogi State to enhance their export capabilities.
2. The state government should provide incentives and infrastructure support to encourage more firms to engage in non-oil exports.
3. Firms in Kogi State should take advantage of the export opportunities available to them and work towards obtaining export certificates from NEPC.



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