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Better regulation for businesses

Benchmarking as a way to set priorities

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Burden of Government Legislation

World Economic Forum, Executive Opinion Survey "Global Competitiveness Report 2012"

How burdensome is it for businesses in your country to comply with government administrative requirements?

EUROMED	OECD (top 5)	
Jordan	51 ranking (3,6)	Finland
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6 ranking (4,8) 14 ranking (4,3) New Zealand 63 ranking (3,4) Morocco Switzerland 16 ranking (4,3) Israel 90 ranking (3,1) Estonia 17 ranking (4,3) 103 ranking (3,0) Lebanon 20 ranking (4,2) Iceland

Efficiency of Legal Framework in **Challenging Regulation**

World Economic Forum, Executive Opinion Survey "Global Competitiveness Report 2012"

How efficient is the legal framework in your country for private businesses in challenging the legality of government actions and/or regulations?

EUROMED selection (top 5) OECD (top 5)

Jordan	44 ranking (4,0)	Finland	1 ranking (5,9)
Israel	57 ranking (3,9)	Switzerland	2 ranking (5,6)
Morocco	60 ranking (3,8)	Netherlands	3 ranking (5,5)
Libya	88 ranking (3,3)	New Zealand	4 ranking (5,5)
Egypt	100 ranking (3,2)	Sweden	5 ranking (5.5)

Transparency of Government Policy Making

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How easy it is for businesses in your country to obtain information about changes in government policies and regulations affecting their activities?

EUROMED selection (top 5)	OECD (top 5)
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Morocco	53 ranking (4,4)	Finland	2 ranking (6,1)
Israel	54 ranking (4,4)	New Zealand	3 ranking (6,0)
Jordan	55 ranking (4,4)	Switzerland	5 ranking (5,9)
Libya	92 ranking (4,0)	Sweden	8 ranking (5,5)
Lebanon	107 ranking (3,8)	Luxembourg	10 ranking (5,5)

Regulatory reform and life cycle of businesses

The World Bank "Doing Business 2013. Smarter Regulations for Small and Medium-Size Enterprises" http://www.doingbusiness.org/reports/global-reports/doing-business-2013

Criteria: Starting a business, Dealing with construction permits, Getting electricity, Registering property, Getting credit, Protecting investors, Paying taxes, Trading across borders, Enforcing contracts, Resolving insolvency

EUROMED top 5

Israel 38 ranking
Tunisia 50 ranking
Morocco 97 ranking
Jordan 106 ranking
Egypt 109 ranking