**Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics"PCBS"**

**A decline in Registered\* Exports and Imports of Goods in March, 03/2024**

 **compared to March, 2023.**

**Exports in Goods**

Exports decreased in March, 2024 by 18% compared to March, 2023 and reached USD 122.4 Million.

Exports to Israel decreased in March, 2024 by 17% compared to March, 2023 and it represented 88% of total exports in March, 2024.

At the same time, exports to other countries decreased by 23% during the same period compared to March, 2023.

**Imports in Goods**

Imports decreased in March, 2024 by 29% compared to March, 2023 and reached USD 521.5 Million.

Imports from Israel decreased by 25% in March, 2024 compared to March, 2023 and it represented 58% of total imports in March, 2024.

At the same time, imports from other countries decreased by 34% compared to March, 2023.

**Trade Balance on Registered Goods**

The trade balance which represents the difference between exports and imports showed a decrease in trade deficit by 32% in March, 2024 compared to March, 2023 and reached USD 399.1 Million.

**(\*): Includes actual data received from official sources.**