

Industrial Violation per Year (2010 - 2016)

By maintaining close monitoring systems, violators can be identified and the proper steps can be taken to mitigate for adverse environmental effects. The number of violations has drastically reduced as a result of the new Environmental Protection Law No. 42/2014.

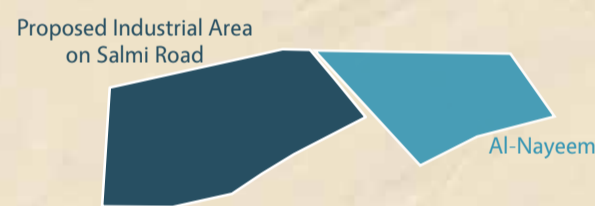
Project Types that Require EPA Industry Guidelines and Monitoring

KEPA has issued in 2016 another guideline for the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment covering the following categories:

1. Chemical Industries
2. Oil & Gas
3. Engineering and Construction Materials
4. Food and Agro-Industry
5. Energy
6. Large Infrastructure
7. Irrigation, Agriculture and Livestocks Projects
8. Water Supply Projects
9. Urban Development Projects
10. Waste Management Projects
11. Tourism & Entertainment Projects



Sabhan Industrial Area Zoning - Inset Map



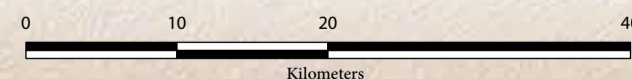
INDUSTRY

INDUSTRIAL ZONING AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The foremost industrial activity in Kuwait is the Oil and Gas sector (56% from 2005-2012) and there have been moves to diversify the Kuwaiti economy into more non-oil sectors. Water desalination, waste water treatment, renewable energy generation, construction materials, shipbuilding and food processing are important and growing non-oil-related industries. However, it is important that during this diversification process, attention be paid to sustaining and preserving the natural environment. KEPA plays a vital role in carrying out Environmental Impact Assessments (EIA) on new industrial projects as well as monitoring and regulating the impacts of existing industrial processes on the environment.

Industrial Zoning

- Industrial Area
- Proposed Industrial Area



Environmental Impact Assessment Process by KEPA

1. Technical description of proposed project.
2. Statement of economic and social feasibility.
3. Comprehensive description of the project's environment.
4. Comprehensive statement of expected environmental impacts.
5. Evaluation of all environmental impacts—both negative and positive, direct and indirect—over the entire proposed project's time horizon.
6. Statement of the steps taken to mitigate for the negative environmental effects associated with the proposed project's execution.
7. Commitment to apply continuous protective measures after completion of proposed project.

