

Terms and conditions for importing and using 3-D printers

1. Importing these printers requires prior security clearance from the Ministry of Interior.
2. Using 3-D printers is limited to the following entities, subject to obtaining security clearance from the Ministry of Interior:
 - Government bodies, subject to indicating the purpose or reason for using them.
 - Universities, hospitals and medical laboratories, subject to indicating the purpose or reason for using them.
 - Any legal entity, where this type of printers is required to be used, subject to indicating the purpose or reason for using them.
3. The authorized entity permitted to use this type of printers undertake full responsibility of them and their work output.
4. The authorized entity permitted to use this type of printers is committed to provide the Ministry of Interior with the names of the exclusive authorized users. The Ministry of Interior in turn, shall provide the competent security authorities with these names.
5. The authorized entity permitted to use this type of printers committed to inform the competent security authority of any breaches that happen while using them.
6. It is prohibited to sell 3-D printers unless prior security clearance is obtained from the Ministry of Interior, and only allowed to the entities specified in section (2) above.
7. 3-D printer spare parts and consumables shall be treated as the printer itself in terms of import and use conditions; provided that they are duly disposed in coordination with the Ministry of Environment to avoid any adverse effect on the environment.
8. Possessors of these printers should visit the nearest competent security center to document all data relating to these printers, including the names of users. The security center in turn shall provide the Ministry of Interior with all data and statistics concerning these printers and their possessors.
9. Any legal entity authorized to use 3-D printers is committed to install surveillance cameras in the location they are used in, as well as keep the photographic records for three months.
10. Security agencies shall conduct intensive periodic and sudden field inspection visits to the sites where 3-D printers are used.
11. The Ministry of Environment should be provided with the names of 3-D printers possessors in order to take the proper actions when disposing them.
12. All authorized entities to use 3-D printers are committed to update the list of their users' names, provided that they obtain clearance from the Ministry of Interior to the updated list periodically.
13. Those who violate those terms and conditions will be referred to the competent administrator to take the proper legal actions against them.