

Egypt to tender new terminal in 2010

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Egyptian Energy Minister Hassan Younies

Egypt's Ministry of Transport announced that a tender will be issued next year to build a third container terminal at East Port Said on the Mediterranean as part of a plan to boost the port's container capacity to 8 and 13 million TEUs by 2030

East Port Said has one terminal operating now, handling 2.4 million twenty-foot equivalent units in 2008, roughly 40% of Egypt's total container traffic of 6.08 million TEUs.

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