PROGRAM FOR THE FIFTH BUSINESS FORUM – RUSSIAN REGIONS (15th of November, 2018, OSLO)



Thursday, 15th of November, 2018

PLENARY SESSION

(Location: Embassy of the Russian Federation in the Kingdom of Norway, Drammensveien 74, 0271 OSLO)

Working languages - Norwegian, Russian, English

| 08.15 - 09.00 | Registration |
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| | Coffee, tea, refreshments |
| 09.00 – 09.15 | Welcoming speeches |
| | by His Excellency Ambassador of the Russian Federation in the Kingdom of Norway Mr. Teimuraz Ramishvili |
| | by Trade Representative of the Russian Federation in the Kingdom of Norway Mr. Aleksandr Anikin |
| 09.15 – 09.30 | Status and Outlook on the Russian-Norwegian Investment and Trade Cooperation Q&A by Trade Representative of the Russian Federation in the Kingdom of Norway Mr. Aleksandr Anikin |
| 09.30 – 09.50 | Gains and Opportunities: Allocation of Business Units in Russia Q&A by Representative of the Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation |
| 09.50 – 10.10 | Speaker TBD Investment Attractiveness of Moscow for Norwegian Companies |
| | Q&A by Director of Moscow City Investment Agency, Department of Investment and Industry Policy of Moscow City Mr. Leonid Kostroma |
| 10.10 – 10.30 | Investments Potential of Leningrad Region Q&A by Deputy Director of Bureau for Economic Development of Leningrad region Ms. Anastasia Mikhalchenko |

| 10.30 – 11.10 | Special Economic Industrial Zone LOTOS (Astrakhan Region) Q&A |
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| | Director General of Special Economic Industrial Sone LOTOS PJSC |
| | Mr. Sergey Milushkin |
| 11.10 – 11.30 | Coffee, tea, refreshments |
| 11.30 – 12.30 | Presentation of companies from Saint-Petersburg |
| | NILS SPB LLC (Timber Harvesting and Processing) |
| | Q&A by Director of NILS SPB |
| | Ms. Taisia Pesterova |
| | Eglin LLC (Social Services) |
| | Q&A by Director of Eglin LLC |
| | Mrs. Vera Solovyeva |
| | Excalibur LLC (Production of innovative products within special paints, fire- and bioprotection and other materials for suburban housing) Q&A |
| | by Director of Excalibur LLC |
| | Mr. Artem Solovyev |
| 12.30 – 13.00 | Presentation of Irkutsk Region |
| | Investments Potential of Irkutsk Region Special Economic Touristic Zone |
| | Q&A by Deputy Director General of Bureau for Investment Development of Irkutsk region Mr. Vasily Boyarkin |
| | Technologies of Production of Wood-coal Briquettes through Recycling of Sawmill Waste, as well as Technological Lines for Such Production by Technical Director of Lesnaya technologicheskaya compania LLC Mr. Alexander Pekarets |
| 13.00- 13.40 | Presentation of Kaliningrad Region |
| | Investments Potential of Kaliningrad Region |
| | Q&A by Vice-President of The Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Kaliningrad Region |
| | Ms. Marina Fitsak |
| | Special Economic Zone of Kalinigrad Region |
| | Q&A by Deputy Director General of Development Corporation of Kaliningrad region Mr. Oleg Skvortsov |
| | Presentation of Company Simes LLC (Surveyor Services) |
| | Q&A by Business Development Director of Simes LLC Mr. Vitaliy Plugatyr |
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| | Presentation of Company AeroBlock (Production of Gas-concrete Blocks for Construction Industry) Q&A by management of the company AeroBlock Speaker TBD |
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| 13.40 – 14.00 | Coffee, tea, refreshments |
| 14.00 – 14.50 | Presentations by Norwegian-Russian chamber of Commerce |
| | NRCC – Your Commercial Partner in Norway Q&A by Managing Director Mr. Jarle Forbord NRCC – Maritime Sector Efforts towards the Russian Market Q&A |
| | by Senior advisor Mr. Rune Methi |
| | • NRCC – Aquaculture Sector Efforts towards and in the Russian Market Q&A by Senior advisor Mr. Hans Olav Rekdal |
| | NRCC and Business 2 Business Development. A B2B Concept also Available for Russian Companies. Q&A by Senior advisor Mr. Hans Olav Rekdal |
| 14.50 – 15.10 | Energy Service Investments in Public Sector in the Russian Federation – Offer for the Russian Regions Q&A by Managing Director, Partner at Sigra Group AS Mr. Daniel Fjærtoft |
| 15.10 – 15.55 | Presentations by Norwegian companies and organizations Q&A TBD |
| 15.55 – 16.00 | Closing Speech by Trade Representative of the Russian Federation in the Kingdom of Norway Mr. Aleksandr Anikin |
| 16.00 – 18.30 | Reception, mingling |
| | Live Music Entries |

Forum will be also attended by

- Limendskiy shipyard (Arkhangelsk region) represented by Technical Director Mr. Oleg Borisov and Business Development Director Mr. Anatoliy Orlov
- Aeroflot OJSC Russia's de facto national carrier and largest airline Represented by General Manager of the company in Norway Mr. Sergey Ivanov