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Department:
Trade and Industry
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN A TRADE AND INVESTMENT MISSION TO NOVOSIBIRSK, RUSSIA FROM 25–26 OCTOBER 2017

the dti invites you to apply to participate in a Trade and Investment Mission to Russia scheduled to take place from 25 - 26 October 2017. The objective of this mission is to increase trade and investment between South Africa and Russia. It is an ideal platform for South African companies who would like to export value-added agricultural, agro-processing, mining equipment, energy products and services including companies who are considering outward investment opportunities in the market. South African exporters are called to take advantage of the imposition of EU sanctions and BRICS relationships by developing or maintaining a presence in this primary market.

Companies will be screened and selected in line with EMIA guidelines and market requirements, which are explained in the EMIA guidelines document. For the approved companies, **the dti** will provide the following:

- A subsistence allowance of R3, 000 per day,
- An economy class return airfare to a maximum of R17,000 (100% - BOE's and SMME's)
- An economy class return airfare to a maximum of R 8,500.00 (50% - Other sized businesses)

Companies that are not eligible for EMIA funding are welcome to participate in these missions at their own expense. Companies applying for EMIA funding for this mission need to complete and submit the EMIA application form and supporting documentation as specified in the guidelines by couriering to:

Utangamiri- **the dti** Group House,
EMIA Division
Block A, Ground Floor
77 Meintjies Street
Sunnyside
Pretoria
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The EMIA application forms and guidelines can be accessed on the following link:
http://www.thedti.gov.za/trade_investment/emia_outward_investment.jsp

ALL APPLICATIONS ARE TO BE COURIERED. NO EMAILED APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED

The closing date for receipt of application forms has been extended to 30 June 2017.



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