

# CAREC Business Development Forums (BDF) Urumqi, People's Republic of China July 29-30, 2010

#### **PROGRAM**

## Wednesday, July 28, 2010

#### Arrival and Check-in

Time: Whole Day

## Thursday, July 29, 2010

09:00-10:00 Registration

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom Foyer

[Country Desks will be set-up to showcase investment

opportunities]

09:45-09:55 Meeting of Heads of Country Delegations

Venue: Dynasty Function Room

Moderator: PRC government

10:00-10:30 Opening Ceremony

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom

Welcome Remarks: Chairman, Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region, PRC

Vice Minister, Ministry of Commerce, PRC

Zhuang Congsheng, Vice Chairman of All-China Federation of

Industry and Commerce

Vice President, Operations Group 2, ADB

10:30-11:40 Plenary Session: Business opportunities and Public-Private

Partnership in Regional Development

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom

Keynote Speeches: Vice President, Operation Group 1, ADB

Zhang Xin, Chairman of TBEA Xinjiang SunOasis Co. Ltd.

Masaru Homma, Director for Central Asia of European Bank for

Reconstruction and Development

Fanglu Wang, Representative of CITIC Group in joint-venture

investment fund with Samruk-Kazyna of Kazakhstan

Q&A

11:40-12:00 Tea Break

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom Foyer

Moderator: ADB

12:00-13:30 Country Presentation on Trade and Investment

**Opportunities** 

(15 minutes per country delegation followed by Q&A)

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom Presenters: Afghanistan Delegation

> Azerbaijan Delegation Tajikistan Delegation Uzbekistan Delegation

13:30-15:00 **Lunch Break** 

Venue: Café Oasis, Ground Floor

15:00-16:30 Country Presentation on Trade and Investment

**Opportunities** 

(15 minutes per country delegation followed by Q&A)

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom

Presenters: PRC Delegation

Kazakhstan Delegation Kyrgyz Republic Delegation

Mongolia Delegation

16:30-17:00 Tea Break

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom Foyer

17:00-18:00 Country Presentation on Trade and Investment

**Opportunities** 

(15 minutes per country delegation followed by Q&A)

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom

Presenters: Armenia Delegation

Pakistan Delegation

20:00-22:00 Dinner Reception

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom

Hosted by: People's Government of Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region

### Friday, July 30, 2010

**10:00-11:15** Panel Session I: Transport (See sub-program)

Venue: Tai Ballroom

Moderator: ADB

Summary: The Transport Session aims to (i) showcase regional efforts and

opportunities for private investments in transport projects, (ii) canvass how to collaborate private and public sectors, and (iii) examine ways to address constraints to private sector

involvement.

In Parallel:

**10:00-11:15** Panel Session II: Trade in Agriculture (See sub-program)

Venue: Grace Function Room Moderator: XUAR of PRC and ADB

Summary: The Agriculture Sub-forum aims to (i) showcase the regional

agro-tech development and potentials for further cooperation, (ii) identify regional agro-products logistics bottlenecks and recommendations for addressing these impediments, (iii) examine ways to address constraints to business community

involvement in agriculture.

11:15-11:30 Tea Break

Venue: Hao Tai Grand Ballroom Fover

11:30-12:45 Panel Session III: Trade Facilitation (See sub-program)

Venue: Tai Ballroom

Moderator: ADB

Summary: The session will focus on CAREC efforts to engage the private

sector in identifying the various constraints that hinder the smooth flow of trade across the region and how the private sector, not only benefits, but also contributes to the efforts of eliminating these barriers. Private sector speakers will provide insights and share their experiences on the problems they encounter in transporting goods and people across CAREC countries. They will also present private sector initiatives in working together with the public sector and how they can cooperate and coordinate with the various CAREC structures involved in the planning, implementation and evaluation of programs designed to develop transport and trade in the region.

In Parallel

**11:30-12:45** Panel Session IV: Energy (See sub-program)

Venue: Grace Function Room

Moderator: ADB

Summary: Discussions on uneven distribution of energy sources, energy

trade and linkages in the region, energy efficiency concept, and

importance of public-private partnership in these areas

12:50-13:00 **Closing Session** 

Venue: Hao Ballroom

Concluding Deputy Director General, International Department, Ministry of

Remarks: Finance, PRC

Vice President, Operations Group 1, ADB

13:00-13:30 **Joint Press Conference** 

Venue: Tai Ballroom

13:30-14:30 **Lunch Break** 

Venue: Café Oasis, Ground Floor

**14:30-18:30 Visit to Local Firms** (to be arranged by XUAR)

1. TBEA Xinjiang SunOasis Co. Ltd.

2. Xinjiang Goldwind Science and Technology Co. Ltd