

KEY THEMES

- The Far East investment potential will be demonstrated at the exhibitions of EEF 2018
- EEF participants will learn about the Northern Sea Route opportunities
- It is planned to construct and reconstruct 30 airports in the Far East



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17 August 2018, Interfax

The Far East Investment Potential will be Demonstrated at the Exhibitions of the 4th Eastern Economic Forum

The main objective of the Forum exhibitions is to demonstrate the opportunities of the Far East and attract investors into the region. EEF 2018 will feature several exhibition formats.

At the ‘Doing Business in the Russian Far East’ exhibition, Forum guests and participants will learn about the mechanisms of developing the region such as territories of advanced development and the Free Port of Vladivostok, investment opportunities, as well as current and prospective investment projects.

During the ‘Welcome to the Far East!’ exhibition, federal executive authorities of Russia will demonstrate investment potential of the Far Eastern Federal District including that in the area of international cooperation.

<http://www.interfax.ru/events/news/625619>

17 August 2018, TASS

Delegation from the Philippines will Take Part in EEF

According C. Sorreta, the Ambassador of the Republic of the Philippines in Russia, the delegation will include the minister of national defence of the Philippines, Army Forces commanders, as well as the head of the agency on military technology infrastructure of the Armed Forces of the Philippines.

<http://tass.ru/ekonomika/5466584>

17 August 2018, Primorsky.ru

Primorsky Krai will Present up to 30 Investment Projects at the Eastern Economic Forum

During the investment project presentations at EEF 2018, 29 regional investment projects will be introduced in such areas as mining industry, food industry, metallurgy, tourism, and others. The general amount of investments into these projects reaches 275 bln roubles.

The largest project will be 'Primorye' integrated entertainment complex with the cost of 73.7 bln roubles. The recreation area will meet international standards featuring 3, 4 and 5 star hotels, trading, exhibition and recreation centres, aqua-park, yacht club, ski slope, developed beaches and recreation territories, restaurants and cafes.

<http://www.primorsky.ru/news/149060>

16 August 2018, Komsomolskaya Pravda

EEF 2018 Participants to Learn about the Opportunities of Using the Northern Sea Route

It is anticipated that on the margins of EEF Maersk representatives, whose ship is going to travel along the Northern Sea Route (NSR) this September, will tell about container shipment opportunities along the main coastal routes in the Arctic region. Venta Maersk container ship with a cargo of frozen fish produced by Russian companies in the Far East will travel from Vladivostok to St. Petersburg. It will be the first container ship in history to travel along the waterways of the Northern Sea Route. After the shipment, experts will evaluate the safety of navigating and having a cargo base along the NSR.

<https://www.kp.ru/daily/26869/3911793>

15 August 2018, TASS

Over 80 Exhibits from the Moscow Kremlin Museums' Collections to be Displayed in Primorye during EEF

'The Map of Russia. History Landmarks' exhibition project will be hosted by the Primorsky Arsenyev Museum. Key exhibition items will include a jewel Easter egg with a train model made by Faberge for the Russian Imperial Family to commemorate the construction of the Trans-Siberian railroad, as well as the map of the Russian Empire made by the female students of the Moscow School of St. Catherine's Order in 1872.

The exhibition will be the first modern project of the Primorsky Museum and Moscow Kremlin Museums as part of the cooperation agreement signed on 19 March in Moscow.

<http://tass.ru/kultura/5458650>

13 August 2018, gazeta.ru

A Delegation of Students from the USA will Take Part in the Work of EEF

The USA delegation will include young entrepreneurs, financial experts, IT-specialists, political scientists, public figures, as well as specialists in the area of international relations from the most famous universities of the elite Ivy League.

American public organization 'Russian-American Cooperation Initiative' working in the sphere of public diplomacy proposed to arrange for participation of young leaders from the USA in EEF. The initiative was supported by the Roscongress Foundation, the Embassy of Russian Federation in the U.S., and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Russia. It is expected that the

American delegation will meet Russian youth on the margins of the EEF.

<https://www.gazeta.ru/gazeta/adv/11894407.shtml>

NEWS OF THE FAR EAST

14 August 2018, Business-Gazeta Far East

India's Tata Power to Become Resident of Kamchatka Territory of Advanced Development

Currently Tata Power is preparing a geological survey program for Krutogorovskoye bituminous coal deposit in Kamchatsky Krai. Geological exploration should start in the fall of 2018. The general amount of investment into the project will reach USD 600 mln.

<http://biznes-gazeta.ru/?id=news.view&obj=375c755f3e92fff6353146439404e797>

14 August 2018, TASS

Pig-breeding Farm Costing 240 mln Roubles to be Constructed in Khabarovsk Territory

The complex will consist of 12 buildings, storage houses, staff buildings, electric substations, garages, etc. The farm will breed up to 10 thousand pigs producing up to 945 tons of refrigerated meat per year. Apart from Khabarovsk Territory, the pork will be delivered to Primorye and Amurskaya Region. The investment project implementation will create 130 new jobs.

<http://tass.ru/ekonomika/5454130>

14 August 2018, Izvestiya

30 Airports to be Constructed or Modernized in the Far East

Far Eastern airports can be included into the major development plan on redevelopment and construction till 2025, according to Minister of Transport of the RF E. Dietrich. The measure will help increase the number of cross-regional flights bypassing Moscow.

The decree of the President of the Russian Federation "On national goals and strategic development tasks of the Russian Federation till 2024" states that up to a half of all domestic flights should operate without connections in Moscow.

<https://iz.ru/777987/2018-08-14/mintrans-planiruet-rekonstruirovat-i-postroit-bolee-30-aeroportov-dfo>

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