



**Under the patronage of His Highness the Amir, the Trade Fair of the OIC Member States will be organized as part of the second Kuwait International Trade Fair**

In compliance with the resolution adopted by 32nd Ministerial Session of the Standing Committee for Economic and Commercial Cooperation of the OIC Member States (COMCEC), held from 21 to 24 November 2016 in Istanbul - Republic of Turkey, which welcomed the offer of the State of Kuwait to host an exceptional edition of the Trade Fair of the OIC Member States; ICTD and the Ministry of Commerce and Industry of the State of Kuwait are organizing an exceptional edition of the Trade Fair of the OIC Member States in collaboration with "Kuwait International Fair Company" from 6 to 10 February 2018 at the "International Fairs Ground of Kuwait City", concomitantly with the "International Kuwait Trading Fair".

This multi-sectoral Fair is a platform for the economic operators of the OIC Member States to promote their products and services and to conclude commercial transactions and to establish partnerships.

On this occasion, we would be most grateful to your excellency for any steps you may deem useful to take in order to ensure the participation of your Country in this event and disseminate this information to the economic operators of your country so as to enable them to schedule this exhibition in their calendar of fairs and exhibitions in which they will participate in 2018.

The exhibition is considered to be amongst the most important international trade events taking place in Kuwait. Kuwait International Trade Fair II is being held under the patronage of His Highness the Amir Sheikh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah may God protect him, where his national goal is to transform Kuwait into an effective regional and financial centre. The exhibition is scheduled to be held from February 6, 2018 until February 10, 2018.

In addition to the above, the exhibition is organized under the chairmanship of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry in Kuwait in partnership with the Kuwait International fair, in the organization of the exhibition and in cooperation with the Islamic Centre for Trade Development under the title "Partnerships between SMEs: A Lever for Integration, Trade and Economic Cooperation".

The opening ceremony of the Kuwait International Trade Fair II will be held by His Excellency the Minister of Commerce and Industry of Kuwait with the presence of ambassadors of the Arab and Islamic countries.

Furthermore, it was agreed with the Ministry of Planning of Kuwait to organize an international youth forum in hall 6 on how to establish small businesses and fund them. It also also of SMEs and inventions in the Gulf States and the OIC countries. Participating countries, which have been contacted through the Ministry of Commerce and Industry in cooperation with the Islamic Center for Trade Development and the Arab Union for Exhibitions and External Conferences will also participate in organizing this forum.

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### On the side-lines of this fair, the following events will be organized:

- Meeting of the Global Network of Trade Promotion Organs (OPC) of the OIC Member States.
- Meeting of the private sector of the OIC Member States, organized by the Islamic Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture (ICCIA) in collaboration with the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Kuwait.
- B2B Meetings between businessmen.

Moreover, bookings will be open by the beginning of September 2017, as we are currently in the stage of confirmation of participation and the priority will be given to the distinguished sites with large spaces and sponsors of the exhibition.

Note: The exhibition is authorized for direct sales of all products.

### The price per square meter has been set as follows:

- The square meter equipped (shell scheme): US\$ 140
- The square meter not equipped (indoor bare space): US\$120
- The square meter equipped (external space): US\$ 70
- The square meter not equipped (external space): US\$50

Moreover, the halls will be divided into governmental sectors in addition to internal sectors that are divided according to the activity of the company (construction - real estate - furniture and furnishings - others). Individual companies will be participating separately from the government from all countries. Participating countries will work on bringing heritage events and folklore to the exhibition.

Details related to this exhibition are available on the following link:

[www.itf-kw.com](http://www.itf-kw.com)

For more information or booking, the relevant departments of your honourable Ministry may contact:

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Thanking you for your valuable cooperation, we avail ourselves of this opportunity to extend to your excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration. Thank you for your kind cooperation.