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EASTERN ECONOMIC FORUM NEWS

3 September 2018, RIA Novosti

Vladimir Putin greeted the participants of the 4th Eastern Economic Forum

The Russian President noted in his greeting that over the time the Forum has become a popular platform where direct dialogue is held between politicians and public figures, businesspersons and experts, and emphasized that this year representative delegations from over sixty countries are to attend the event. In particular, Vladimir Putin's greeting reads: "The topic of this year's meeting is 'The Far East: Expanding the Range of Possibilities' shows our desire for closer integration of Russia into the system of economic ties in the vast Asia-Pacific Region."

<https://ria.ru/amp/economy/20180903/1527702336.html>

31 August 2018, Lenta

Participation of the Chinese delegation in EEF 2018 discussed in Moscow

During the meeting between Anton Kobayakov, Adviser to the President of the Russian Federation, Executive Secretary of the Organizing Committee of the Eastern Economic Forum, and Li Hui, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the People's Republic of China to Russia, the organization of the event with participation of the heads of Russian regions and governors of Chinese provinces was discussed.

In total, about 600 representatives of the PRC will take part in the Forum, including governors of provinces, officials, heads of state corporations, business community representatives. The PRC delegation to the EEF 2018 will be the largest and most representational.

https://lenta.ru/news/2018/08/31/vef_china

30 August 2018, Interfax

President Khaltmaagiin Battulga to lead the Mongolian delegation to the EEF 2018

This was stated by Banzragch Dalgermaa, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Mongolia to the Russian Federation. The ambassador emphasized that around 80 officials and business representatives of Mongolia will take part in the EEF. The possibility of visiting the seafood processing factory and the shipyard in Primorye by representatives of the Mongolian official and business circles during the Mongolian delegation's visit is being considered.

<https://www.interfax.ru/events/news/627156>

30 August 2018, Rossiyskaya Gazeta

Participation of the Japanese delegation in the EEF 2018 events discussed in Moscow

Interaction between Russia and Japan during the upcoming 4th Eastern Economic Forum was discussed by Anton Kobayakov, Adviser to the President of the Russian Federation, and Toyohisa Kozuki, Japanese Ambassador to Russia. A representational Japanese delegation of about 400 people is expected to take part in the Forum events this year. As previously announced, the delegation will be headed by the Prime Minister of Japan Shinzō Abe.

During the meeting, the parties discussed the preparation of the Russian–Japanese highest-level events programme. It was also noted that the Japanese delegation takes an active part in the events of the Forum's sporting programme, including the Far Eastern regatta of training sailboats and the annual International Jigoro Kano Junior (U18) Judo Tournament, under patronage of the Russian President Vladimir Putin and Japanese Prime Minister Shinzō Abe.

<https://rg.ru/2018/08/30/v-moskve-obsudili-uchastie-iaponskoj-delegacii-v-meropriiiah-vef-2018.html>

30 August 2018, Izvestia

Representational delegation of the Republic of Korea to participate in the EEF 2018

The meeting of Anton Kobayakov, Adviser to the President of the Russian Federation, with Woo Yoon-keun, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Korea to the Russian Federation, took place in Moscow. The Ambassador noted that the delegation of the Republic of Korea, which will include about 200 officials and business community representatives, will participate in the work of the Forum.

Apart from that, the Russian–Korean programme of the Forum was discussed, in particular, Russia–Republic of Korea Business Dialogue, and the panel session 'Russia and the Koreas: A New Space for Economic Cooperation?', where the South Korean delegation is to take part. It is also planned to hold a meeting of the Russia–Korea and Korea–Russia business and investment councils at the Forum.

<https://iz.ru/783677/2018-08-30/predstavitelnaia-delegatciia-respubliki-koreia-posetit-vef-2018>

30 August 2018, Gazeta.ru

Sporting programme of the EEF 2018 published

The central sports event of the EEF 2018 is the Second International Jigoro Kano Junior Judo Tournament for athletes under 18 years of age, held under patronage of the Russian President Vladimir Putin and Japanese Prime Minister Shinzō Abe, with national teams of Russia, Japan, Mongolia, China and South Korea taking part. The sporting programme also includes three regattas. Tournaments in mas-wrestling and the board game of Go will take place at the 'Far East Street' exhibition.

<https://www.gazeta.ru/gazeta/adv/11933515.shtml>

29 August 2018, RIA Novosti

Novatek to sign agreement on creation of LNG complex in Kamchatka at the EEF

The company plans to build a terminal in Kamchatka for transshipment and storage of liquefied natural gas. The volume of private investment in the project will amount to nearly 70 billion roubles. The launch of the first stage of the complex is planned for 2022. The LNG terminal is being created to develop year-round supplies of liquefied natural gas through the Northern Sea Route to the countries of the Asia-Pacific region.

<https://ria.ru/economy/20180829/1527400735.html>

FAR EAST NEWS

31 August 2018, Interfax

Over 100 billion roubles to be invested in the Free Ports of Vanino and Sovetskaya Gavan

The largest investment projects to be developed in Vanino and Sovetskaya Gavan are the projects of modern transshipment coal terminals. In particular, JSC Daltransugol intends to reconstruct the terminal to increase the transshipment capacity to 40 million tons per year. 20 billion roubles are to be invested in modernization within the third stage before 2023. Kolmar Group intends to build a coal terminal in Muchke bay. The holding estimates the construction of the project's first stage at 33 billion roubles.

Besides that, 15 investment projects totaling 54.5 billion roubles were announced for development in Sovetsko-Gavansky district.

<http://www.interfax-russia.ru/FarEast/news.asp?sec=1671&id=961903>

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