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## Highlights



India Pavilion at Asia Pharma Expo - 2009 held on 22nd - 24th January, 2009 at Bangladesh China Friendship Conference Center (BCFCC), Dhaka, Bangladesh.

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**Circular No. 880/18/2008-CX dated 22nd December 2008** – Determination of the value of the excisable goods for the purposes of charging Central Excise Duty in respect of industrial units located in Jammu & Kashmir and availing VAT remission vide SRO 91 dated 16.03.05.

Govt. Circular

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**Chairman's Pen**

*My dear fellow exporters,*

*I attended a meeting organized by FIEO along with all Export Promotion Councils which was chaired by the Union Commerce & Industry Minister, Shri Kamal Nath. This meeting was also attended by senior Government officials like Shri Montek Singh Ahluwalia, Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission, Finance Secretary, Commerce Secretary etc.*

*I took up various issues regarding the problems faced by engineering exporters. In this regard, I requested for enhancing the Interest Subvention Scheme to the engineering sector so that Merchant Exporters and large scale companies can benefit from the Interest Subvention Scheme, extension of the Rupee Export Credit to Urban Cooperative Banks, Refund of Service Tax, providing certain fiscal concession to boost capacity development as well as Technology Upgradation Scheme for the engineering sector.*

*In response the Government touched upon a lot of issues and also stated that the third stimulus package will be announced in two weeks. However, no major fiscal benefits are expected but some procedural problems may be sorted out. In this regard, I have also requested our members to provide us the impact of Global Financial Crisis on employment as well as the details about exporters who bank with Urban Cooperative Banks.*

*In the meantime the global situation has indeed worsened and this is a severe cause of concern for the exporting community. I do hope that our members will be able to withstand this depressing scenario and be able to ride out this period to become more competitive in the future.*

*Yours sincerely,*

(AMAN CHADHA)

**Council's Activities**

**EEPC INDIA is organising the Catalogue Show  
at India Pavilion during TECMA Show 2009  
(International Machine Tools Exhibition in Mexico)  
[10 - 13 March, 2009]**

**EEPC INDIA** invites Participation for **Catalogue Show at India Pavilion during TECMA Show 2009 in Mexico City, Mexico** from **10th - 13th March, 2009**. Members are requested to send their company catalogues (maximum 15 numbers not exceeding 5 kgs.) within **16th February, 2009** for displaying through EEPC INDIA Information Booth. Details information has already been hosted in our Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/Catalogue-TECMA-2009-100309.pdf>) for information of our members.

**EEPC INDIA is organising the following Multi-Product Trade Delegations and India Pavilions at different places in Abroad**

*(Members are cordially invited to enlist their participation)*

**MULTI PRODUCT TRADE DELEGATION TO RUSSIA,  
KAZAKHSTAN AND UKRAINE**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising an **Multi Product Trade Delegation to Russia, Kazakhstan and Ukraine** from **8th - 19th March, 2009**. Members are requested to register their participation within **6th February, 2009**. Details information has already been hosted in our Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/MPT-Details-8-190309.pdf>) for information of our members.

**MULTI PRODUCT TRADE DELEGATION TO MEXICO,  
COLOMBIA AND CHILE**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising an **Multi Product Trade Delegation to Mexico, Colombia and Chile** from **11th - 20th March, 2009**. Members are requested to register their participation within **6th February, 2009**. Details information has already been hosted in our Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/MPT-Details-11-200309.pdf>) for information of our members.

**MULTI PRODUCT TRADE DELEGATION TO JAPAN, SOUTH KOREA  
AND SINGAPORE/MALAYSIA**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising an **Multi Product Trade Delegation to Japan, South Korea and Singapore/Malaysia** from **30th March - 4th April, 2009**. Members are requested to register their participation within **30th January, 2009**. Details information has already been hosted in our Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/MPT-Details-30-040409.pdf>) for information of our members.

## INDIA PAVILION AT ST. PETERSBURG TECHNICAL FAIR 2009

**EEPC INDIA** is organising an **India Pavilion at St. Petersburg Technical Fair 2009** in **St. Petersburg, Russia**, from **10th - 13th March, 2009**. Members are requested to register their participation within **31st January, 2009**. Details information has already been hosted in our Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/IPV-Russia-10-130309.pdf>) for information of our members.

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## INDIA PAVILION AT HANNOVER FAIR 2009

**EEPC INDIA** is organising an **India Pavilion at Hannover Fair 2009** in **Hannover, Germany**, from **20th - 24th April, 2009**. Members are requested to register their participation within **30th January, 2009**. Details information has already been hosted in our Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/Hannover-2009-200409.pdf>) for information of our members.

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## **EEPC INDIA is organising the following Reverse Buyer Seller Meets - 2009 at different places in India**

*(Members are cordially invited to enlist participation at the Business Meet)*

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### **INDO-LAC REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-LAC Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 10 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Monday, the 23rd February, 2009 at New Delhi and on Thursday, the 26th February, 2009 at Ahmedabad.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from Latin American countries will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/RBSM-LAC-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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### **INDO-ASEAN REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-ASEAN Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 15 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Wednesday, the 25th February, 2009 at Chennai and on Friday, the 27th February, 2009 at Kolkata.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from ASEAN countries and Australia & New Zealand will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/INDO-ASEAN-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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### **INDO-CIS REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-CIS Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 10 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Wednesday, the 25th February, 2009 at Mumbai and on Friday, the 27th February, 2009 at Bangalore.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from CIS countries will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/RBSM-CIS-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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### **INDO-AFRICA REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-AFRICA Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 10 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Wednesday, the 25th February, 2009 at Mumbai and on Friday, the 27th February, 2009 at Kolkata.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from African countries will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/INDO-AFRICA-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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## **INDO-EUROPE REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-EUROPE Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 10 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Monday, the 23rd February, 2009 at New Delhi and on Wednesday, the 25th February, 2009 at Chennai.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from European countries will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/RBSM-EUROPE-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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## **INDO-US/CANADA REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-US/CANADA Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 10 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Monday, the 23rd February, 2009 at New Delhi and on Wednesday, the 25th February, 2009 at Chennai.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from US and Canada will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/RBSM-US-CANADA-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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## **INDO-GULF REVERSE BUYER SELLER MEET - 2009**

**EEPC INDIA** is organising **INDO-GULF Reverse Buyer Seller Meet - 2009**. *A platform for building business contacts with 10 leading businessmen viz. importers, buyers, dealers, distributors and wholesalers of engineering products through one-to-one Buyer Seller Meet on Wednesday, the 25th February, 2009 at Mumbai and on Friday, the 27th February, 2009 at Bangalore.* Leading buyers and prospective trade partners from GULF countries will attend One-to-One business discussions and negotiations for engineering products and services. Details information has already been hosted in our *Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/eventattach/INDO-GULF-09.pdf>)* for information of our Members.

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**Overseas Market Information****Kazakhstan****Synopsis of the Country**

Capital	: Astana
Currency	: Kazakhstan Tenge (KZT)
Languages	: Kazakh, Russian
Population	: 153.41 million
Total Area	: 2717300 sq. kms
GDP	: \$ 167.6 billion (2007 est.)
GDP Growth Rate	: 8.5% (2007 est.)
GDP Per Capita	: \$ 11,100 (2007 est.)
Major Exports	: Oil and oil products, ferrous metals, chemicals, machinery, grain, wool, meat, coal
Exports Value	: \$ 48.35 billion f.o.b. (2007 est.)
Major Countries of Export	: China, Germany, Russia, Italy, France
Major Imports	: Machinery and equipment, metal products, foodstuffs
Imports Value	: \$ 33.21 billion f.o.b. (2007 est.)
Major Countries of Import	: Russia, China, Germany

Kazakhstan became independent in 1991 following the collapse of the Soviet Union. Nursultan Nazarbayev prevailed in the December 2005 presidential election with 91 per cent of the vote under serious clouds of fraud and even the murder of opposition leader Altynbek Sarsenbayev. In 2007, the parliament approved constitutional reforms that increase its role in governing the country and abolish term limits for the president. The energy sector has driven economic growth, thanks to a boom that began in 2000. China has invested billions in oil companies and pipelines to access Kazakhstan's hydrocarbon resources, and output is projected to grow from 1.2 million barrels a day in 2006 to 3.5 million barrels a day in 2020. Russia maintains a special relationship with the country.

**Trade Policy**

Kazakhstan's average tariff rate was 1.9 percent in 2004. Liberalization has progressed, but non-transparent regulations and standards, service market access barriers, import licensing requirements, opaque government procurement, weak enforcement of intellectual property rights, and customs inefficiency and complexity still add to the cost of trade. An additional 10 percentage points is deducted from Kazakhstan's trade freedom score to account for non-tariff barriers.

**Government Intervention**

Total government expenditures, including consumption and transfer payments, are low. In the most recent year, Government spending equaled 22.6 per cent of GDP. Privatization has been gradual but successful, and much of the economy is now in private hands.

**Foreign Investment**

Despite a high rate of foreign investment, foreign companies increasingly must use local firms in commercial operations. Market economy status was granted by the EU in 2000 and the U.S. in 2002. No sector is closed, but there is a 25



percent cap on foreign capital in banking and a 20 per cent ceiling on foreign ownership in media companies. Screening of foreign investment proposals is often non-transparent, arbitrary, and slow. An unclear legal code, legislative favoritism toward Kazakh companies, and Government interference in commercial operations further deter investment. Subject to restrictions, foreign exchange accounts may be held by residents and non-residents. Most capital transactions, payments, and transfers are subject to Government approval, quantitative limits, and strict documentary requirements.

## Economic Indicators

### Economic Forecasts

<b>Indicators</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
GDP (USD billion)	95.467	110.936
GDP (constant prices, annual % change)	8.7	7.8
GDP per capita (USD)	6 314	7 330
Inflation rate (consumer prices, annual % change)	8.6	7.8

(Source : IMF - World Economic Outlook Database)

### General Economic Indicators

<b>Indicators</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>
GDP (USD billion) <sup>(1)</sup>	43.152	57.124	81.003
GDP (constants prices, annual % change) <sup>(1)</sup>	9.6	9.7	10.7
GPD per capita (USD) <sup>(1)</sup>	2862.502	3785.563	5362.691
Inflation (consumer prices, annual % change) <sup>(1)</sup>	6.9	7.6	8.6
Unemployment rate (%) <sup>(2)</sup>			
External debt (USD billion) <sup>(3)</sup>	6946.983	6169.221	...
Official exchange rate per USD (period average) <sup>(3)</sup>	136.035	132.88	126.0894

[Source : (1) IMF - World Economic Outlook Database, (2) ILO - Key Indicators of the Labour Market, (3) World Bank - World Development Indicators]

<b>GDP per activity sector</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>
Agriculture and fishing (%)	7.58	6.84	6.70
Industry and mining (%)	37.62	39.49	39.47
Services (%)	54.80	53.67	53.83

(Source : World Bank - World Development Indicators)

## Investments

<b>Foreign Direct Investments</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>World rank (*) 2006</b>
FDI inflows (USD million)	4,157	1,977	6,143	26/141

(Source : UNCTAD - World Investment Report

Note : (\*) World Rank = UNCTAD Inward FDI Performance Index

It is a measure of the extend to which a host country receives inward FDI relative to its economic size.

It is calculated as a ratio of the country's share in global FDI inflows to its share in global GDP.





## Foreign Trade

### General indicators

<i>Indicators (USD billion)</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>2005</i>	<i>2006</i>
Imports of goods	13.82	17.98	24.12
Exports of goods	20.60	28.30	38.76
Trade balance	6.79	10.32	14.64
Current account	0.34	-1.06	-1.80

(Source : World Bank - World Development Indicators)

<i>Indicators (%)</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>2005</i>	<i>2006</i>
Share of foreign trade in GDP	95.7	98.2	88.2
Share of imports of goods and services in GDP	43.5	44.6	37.6
Share of exports of goods and services in GDP	52.2	53.5	50.6
Imports of goods and services ( <i>annual % change</i> )	14.8	13.3	2.9
Exports of goods and services ( <i>annual % change</i> )	10.9	1.4	10.3

(Source : World Bank - World Development Indicators)

### Trade in goods/services by major category

<i>2005</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>
Total Trade in Goods ( <i>USD billion</i> ) :	<b>17.98</b>	<b>28.30</b>
Agricultural raw materials	0.7	1
Food products	7.2	4.1
Hydrocarbons	13.5	65.3
Manufactured products ( <i>chemicals, machines,...</i> )	76.8	15.5
Ores and metals	1.8	14.1

(Source : World Bank - World Development Indicators)

<i>2005</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>
Total Trade in Services ( <i>USD billion</i> ) :	<b>5</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Transport	17.5	46.3
Tourism	15.3	39.1

(Source : World Bank - World Development Indicators)


**Trade by partner countries**

<i>Main Customers (% of exports)</i>	
Italy	18,00%
Switzerland	17,60%
Russia	9,80%
China	9,40%
France	8,80%

<i>Main Suppliers (% of exports)</i>	
Russia	38,30%
China	8,10%
Germany	7,60%
Italy	6,00%
USA	4,70%

(Source : Comtrade, 2006)

<b>Export to Kazakhstan (For 2005-06, 2006-07 &amp; 2007-08)</b>						
				<b>(in US\$)</b>		
				<b>US\$ Million Cumulative</b>	<b>US\$ Million Cumulative</b>	<b>US\$ Million Cumulative</b>
				<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2006-07</b>	<b>2007-08</b>
<b>Exporting Country</b>	<b>Importing Country</b>	<b>Commodity Name</b>	<b>Unit</b>	val	val	val
India	Kazakhstan	All Commodities		90.85	83.28	111.91

<b>Export to Kazakhstan (For 2005-06, 2006-07 &amp; 2007-08)</b>						
				<b>(in Rs.)</b>		
				<b>Rs. Lakh Cumulative</b>	<b>Rs. Lakh Cumulative</b>	<b>Rs. Lakh Cumulative</b>
				<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2006-07</b>	<b>2007-08</b>
<b>Exporting Country</b>	<b>Importing Country</b>	<b>Commodity Name</b>	<b>Unit</b>	val	val	val
India	Kazakhstan	All Commodities		40228.57	37710.02	45034.31

<b>Import from Kazakhstan (For 2005-06, 2006-07 &amp; 2007-08)</b>						
				<b>(in US\$)</b>		
				<b>US\$ Million Cumulative</b>	<b>US\$ Million Cumulative</b>	<b>US\$ Million Cumulative</b>
				<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2006-07</b>	<b>2007-08</b>
<b>Exporting Country</b>	<b>Importing Country</b>	<b>Commodity Name</b>	<b>Unit</b>	val	val	val
Kazakhstan	India	All Commodities		26.29	88.14	76.83

<b>Import from Kazakhstan (For 2005-06, 2006-07 &amp; 2007-08)</b>						
				<b>(in Rs.)</b>		
				<b>Rs. Lakh Cumulative</b>	<b>Rs. Lakh Cumulative</b>	<b>Rs. Lakh Cumulative</b>
				<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2006-07</b>	<b>2007-08</b>
<b>Exporting Country</b>	<b>Importing Country</b>	<b>Commodity Name</b>	<b>Unit</b>	val	val	val
Kazakhstan	India	All Commodities		11642.77	39910.77	30915.45



## India's Engineering Exports to Kazakhstan

### Export to Kazakhstan, Engineering Goods (for 2005-06, 2006-07 & 2007-08)

Exporting Country	Importing Country	Commodity Name	Unit	US\$ Million 2005-06 val	US\$ Million 2006-07 val	US\$ Million 2007-08 val
India	Kazakhstan	Mica	Kgs	0.12		
India	Kazakhstan	Manufactures of metals		2.27	4.2	24.76
India	Kazakhstan	Primary & semi-finished iron & steel	Tonnes	3.27	2.93	1.32
India	Kazakhstan	Machine tools		1.4	0	0.22
India	Kazakhstan	Machinery & instruments		14.05	11.5	6.11
India	Kazakhstan	Transport equipment		0.39	0.67	0.33
India	Kazakhstan	Non-ferrous metals	Kgs		0	0
India	Kazakhstan	Residual engineering items		0.09	0.01	0
		<b>Total</b>		<b>21.59</b>	<b>19.31</b>	<b>32.74</b>

## India's Engineering Imports to Kazakhstan

### Import from Kazakhstan, Engineering Goods (for 2005-06, 2006-07 & 2007-08)

Exporting Country	Importing Country	Commodity Name	Unit	US\$ Million 2005-06 val	US\$ Million 2006-07 val	US\$ Million 2007-08 val
Kazakhstan	India	Non-electrical machinery		0.11	0.13	
Kazakhstan	India	Electrical machinery				0.11
Kazakhstan	India	Professional inst, optical goods etc.			0	
Kazakhstan	India	Primary steel pig iron based items	Tonnes	0.26	1.87	2.44
Kazakhstan	India	Iron & steel	Tonnes	14.04	13.59	14.78
Kazakhstan	India	Manufactures of metals		0.23	0.01	0.11
Kazakhstan	India	Non-ferrous metals		1.01	51.45	46.49
		<b>Total</b>		<b>15.65</b>	<b>67.05</b>	<b>63.93</b>

## Import regulations and Customs Duties

### Regulations

Today, most of the goods can be imported into Kazakhstan without a licence although a contract signed with the authorities has to be presented anytime. However, an import license is obligatory for a series of products: chemical products, medicines, medical equipment, petroleum exploitation equipment, waste, etc. Import of narcotics, fire arms and ammunitions is prohibited.



## Customs Duties

Customs duties are calculated on the basis of the CAF value of the goods (transit value + packing charges + transport charges).

The country's customs system is subdivided as follows : the first customs duties are calculated on the CIP or CIF value (Cost, Insurance and Freight) and the second customs duties are calculated on a unit basis. For certain items, two types of taxes are combined. This country has signed an agreement of customs union with the Russian Federation, the tariff for the entry of goods strongly differs from the Russian tariff for a series of items.

The rate of customs duty is usually 19%, but a large part of the rate varies from 5 to 15%. A customs fee is also levied at 0.2% of the customs declared value. Excise duties are levied on the following products : alcohol drinks, tobacco, petroleum products, tourist vehicles, jewels, clothes from animal skin and fur, crystals, salmon and caviar. The rate of excise duty may vary from 7 to 100%.

## Visa Information

All nationalities require a visa. A visa application must be accompanied by an official invitation from the registered Kazakhstan or Kazakhstan-based organization you will visit. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs approves the application in Kazakhstan, and notifies the Kazakhstan Embassy in your country, which issues the visa (or by bilateral agreement, visa can be issued by the Russian Embassy in countries where there is no Kazakhstan Embassy). The cost of a Kazakhstan visa ranges between \$80 - \$500 and takes from one day to a week depending on the amount of money you pay.

Nationals from the following countries do not require an invitation.

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Great Britain, Greece, Denmark, Italy, Ireland, Iceland, Germany, Japan, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Spain, Portugal, Singapore, USA, Switzerland, Sweden, Finland, France, Republic of Korea.

## Business Hours

Public bodies and most companies open from 9 AM or 10 AM to 5 PM or 6 PM with a one-hour lunch break. Grocery stores and bakeries open every day (including on Sunday) from 8 AM to 8 PM with a break at noon.

## Transportation

### Road

Roads are moderately well-maintained, the authorized speed limit is usually 120 km/h on freeways, 70 km/h on country roads. Respect speed limits, because there are real hazards (dangerous uneven road surface). Travel in convoy is possible (at least 2 vehicles in good condition) with enough gas, oil, water, etc. Insure the vehicle with a local insurer. Dangerous roads with "hooligans" (local name) between Aktioubinsk and Moscow (avoid driving at night and stopping on the way). Outside or even inside cities, it can happen that unscrupulous policemen fine drivers excessively, it is advised (in theory) not to pay.

### Rail

Good general condition, but not 100% safe; choose compartment you can lock.

### Air

Two airlines serve the domestic lines: Transaero (Russian company) with new planes. Kazakhstan Airlines: planes used on domestic lines are not new but their engines are well-maintained and the pilots are skilled. In wintertime, delays are frequent.

## Transportation of goods

### By Road

The road network extends over 158,581 km. A part of this network is maintained by the staff of governmental maintenance, while another part is maintained by private organisations.



**By Rail**

The railway network extends over 13,841 km, but this figure does not include industrial railway lines.

**By Sea**

Sea river transport extends over a distance of 40,002 km over the Syrdariya River and Ertis River. The big sea port complexes are : Aqtau, Atyrau, Oskemen, Pavlodar, Semey.

**By Air**

Airports are relatively numerous but only 55 are best adapted to the international standards.

**Doing Business in Kazakhstan**

**Local business incentives**

Within the framework of the JOP programme (Joined Venture Programme) small and medium-sized companies can benefit from financing aids for the different steps of its setting up and development of new entities. To find out about procedures enabling to benefit from these aids, companies should contact the European Commission. Indeed, The European Commission promotes this programme, evaluates and supports the projects.

**Legal Forms of Companies**

<i>Form</i>	<i>Number of partners/ shareholders</i>	<i>Minimum and/or maximum capital</i>	<i>Liability</i>	<i>Registration fee</i>	<i>Release of financial documents</i>
Tovarichtches-tvo ogranitch-ennoï otvets-tvennostiou is a Private Limited Company.	No minimum.	No minimum capital.	Liability is limited to the amount contributed. In the case of a bankruptcy caused by the founders, liability can be beyond the initial capital value.	About USD 2,000.	No
Zakrytoye aktsionernoye obchchestvo is a close joint-stock company.	No minimum..	No minimum capital.	Liability is limited to the amount contributed. In the case of a bankruptcy caused by the founders, liability can be beyond the initial capital value.	About USD 2,000.	No

**Registration and licensing procedures**

Only foreign capital companies, duly registered with the Ministry of Justice, are allowed to carry out a commercial activity and legal acts in Kazakhstan.

**Foreign exchange control**

As for currency exchange regulation in Kazakhstan, free conversion of foreign currencies is carried out as well as the right to repatriate (free of tax) profits generated by the activity, and invested capital with no period of time during which the latter must remain within the territory. However, repatriations require an authorization from the Central Bank.



### Regulations concerning equity investment

A majority holding interest in the capital of a local company in Kazakhstan is legal provided that an authorization is issued by the Ministry of Justice.

### Foreign Direct Investment inflows in Kazakhstan

<i>FDI inflows</i>	<i>2003</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>2005</i>	<i>World rank (*) 2005</i>
FDI inflows (USD million)	2 092	4 113	1 738	26/141

*(Source : UNCTAD - World Investment Report)*

*Note : (\*) World Rank = UNCTAD Inward FDI Performance Index. It is a measure of the extend to which a host country receives inward FDI relative to its economic size. It is calculated as a ratio of the country's share in global FDI inflows to its share in global GDP.*

### Useful Addresses

#### Embassy of India in Kazakhstan

##### Embassy of India

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Website : www.indembassy.kz

#### Embassy of Kazakhstan in India

##### Embassy of the Republic of Kazakhstan

61, Poorvi Marg, Vasant Vihar  
New Delhi 110057  
Tel. : (+91 11) 46007700  
Fax : (+91 11) 46007701  
Website : www.kazembassy.in

### Trade Association

#### Union of Chambers of Commerce and Industry of the Republic of Kazakstan

26, Masanchi Str.  
480091 Almaty  
Kazakhstan  
Tel. : 7-3272- 677823  
Fax : 7-3272- 507029  
E-mail : info@cci.kz  
Website : http://www.ccikaz.kz

### Useful Links

#### Export/Import

#### Market Information

- ADB.org - Regions and Countries - Kazakhstan ([www.adb.org/Kazakhstan/default.asp](http://www.adb.org/Kazakhstan/default.asp))
- InfoExport: Kazakhstan ([www.infoexport.gc.ca](http://www.infoexport.gc.ca))
- US Commercial Service - Country Commercial Guide - Kazakhstan ([www.buyusainfo.net](http://www.buyusainfo.net))
- BISNIS ([www.bisnis.doc.gov](http://www.bisnis.doc.gov))



### **Business Directories**

- Central Asia Commerce ([www.centralasiacommerce.com](http://www.centralasiacommerce.com))
- DMOZ Open Directory-Business and Economy-Kazakhstan (<http://dmoz.org/Regional/Asia/Kazakhstan>)
- Central & Eastern European Business Directory ([www.ceebebd.co.uk/ceebebd/business.htm](http://www.ceebebd.co.uk/ceebebd/business.htm))

### **Country Risks**

- Country Risks for Kazakhstan ([www.ducroire.be](http://www.ducroire.be))

### **Business Culture**

- REENIC - Regions and Countries - Kazakhstan (<http://reenic.utexas.edu/countries/kazakhstan.html>)
- Country Studies/Area Handbooks - Kazakhstan (<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/kztoc.html>)

### **Trade Finance**

- NewNations.com - Kazakhstan ([www.newnations.com/headlines/kz.php](http://www.newnations.com/headlines/kz.php))

### **Government Contacts**

- EurAsiaNet.org - Kazakhstan Resource Links ([www.eurasianet.org/resource/kazakhstan](http://www.eurasianet.org/resource/kazakhstan))

### **Travel**

- CDC Health Information - Eastern Europe and Northern Asia ([www.cdc.gov/travel/easteurp.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/travel/easteurp.htm))

### **General Information**

- Central Asia Commerce ([www.centralasiacommerce.com](http://www.centralasiacommerce.com))
- CDC Health Information - Eastern Europe and Northern Asia ([www.cdc.gov/travel/easteurp.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/travel/easteurp.htm))
- British Chamber of Commerce Export Zone Country Profile of Kazakhstan ([www.link2exports.co.uk/countryprofiles](http://www.link2exports.co.uk/countryprofiles))
- Economist.com | Country Briefings: Kazakhstan ([www.economist.com/countries/Kazakhstan](http://www.economist.com/countries/Kazakhstan))
- EurAsiaNet.org - Kazakhstan Resource Links ([www.eurasianet.org/resource/kazakhstan](http://www.eurasianet.org/resource/kazakhstan))
- FDI.net Kazakhstan Investment Information ([www.fdi.net/country](http://www.fdi.net/country))
- Library of Congress - Kazakhstan - Portals to the World ([www.loc.gov/rr/international/amed/kazakhstan](http://www.loc.gov/rr/international/amed/kazakhstan))
- REENIC - Regions and Countries - Kazakhstan (<http://reenic.utexas.edu/countries/kazakhstan.html>)
- Welcome to Kazakhstan ([www.kz/Firsteng3.htm](http://www.kz/Firsteng3.htm))
- World Bank Group's Country Pages - Kazakhstan (<http://go.worldbank.org>)
- KP International ([www.geocities.com/Tokyo/Towers/2981/kaz.html](http://www.geocities.com/Tokyo/Towers/2981/kaz.html))
- Erik Herron's Guide to Politics in East Central Europe and Eurasia ([www.ku.edu](http://www.ku.edu))
- Central & Eastern European Business Directory ([www.ceebebd.co.uk/ceebebd/business.htm](http://www.ceebebd.co.uk/ceebebd/business.htm))

*(Source : EEPC INDIA Website, Statistics Department – EEPC INDIA, [www.fita.org](http://www.fita.org))*

**Tender Information****Albania****(EEPC Ref. No. DB-84)**

Project : Water Resource Management Project  
Credit No. 3914 ALB; Project ID No. P082128  
Credit from IDA

Notice No. : **WB359-743/09**

Issued by : Water Resource Management Project  
Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Consumer Protection  
Sheshi "Skenderbej" No. 2  
Tirana, Albania  
Attn. : Mr. Hairi Ismaili  
Project Director  
Tel/Fax : (355-4) 222-3825  
E-mail : wrmp@abcom-al.com

For : Supply of 3 (three) excavators.

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of US\$ 150 or equivalent.

Bid security : Not less than US\$ 7,000 or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bid deadline : **05.03.2009**

**Bangladesh****(EEPC Ref. No. DB-85)**

Project : Health Nutrition and Population Sector Program (HNPS)  
Credit No. 4052-BD, TF 56510, Project ID No. P074841  
Credit from IDA

Notice No. : **WB361-743/09**

Issued by : Brigadier General Bazle Quader  
Director, Stores & Supplies  
Central Medical Stores Depot  
Tejgaon, Dhaka-1208, Bangladesh  
Tel. : (880-2) 811-5479  
Fax : (880-2) 912-6547  
E-mail : cmsdstore@dhaka.net

For : Supply of Anesthesia Equipment & Others :

- *Sub-Package - A* : Anesthesia Machine - 41 Nos.
- *Sub-Package - B* : Anesthesia machine with ventilator - 15 Nos.
- *Sub-Package - C* : ICU Ventilator - 19 Nos.
- *Sub-Package - D* : Ambu Bag - 63 Nos., Laryngoscope- 74 Nos., Anaesthesia Face Mask - 915 Nos., Nebulizer Machine - 28 Nos., Armoured Tube - 2 Nos., Endotracheal Tubes, Cuffed - 69 Nos., Endotracheal tubes, Non-cuffed - 69 Nos., Hypothermia Machine - 2 Nos. & ICU Monitor - 9 Nos.
- *Sub-Package - E* : Plus Oxymeter - 81 Nos.



Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of BDT 1,000.00 or US\$ 20

Bid security : - *Sub Pkg. A* : BDT. 18,00,000.00 or US\$. 25,714.28  
- *Sub Pkg. B* : BDT. 6,50,000.00 or US\$. 9,285.71  
- *Sub Pkg. C* : BDT. 9,00,000.00 or US\$. 12,857.14  
- *Sub Pkg. D* : BDT. 1,45,000.00 or US\$. 2,071.42  
- *Sub Pkg. E* : BDT. 6,50,000.00 or US\$. 9,285.71

Bid deadline : **18.02.2009**

## Iraq

(EEPC Ref. No. DB-86)

Project : Dokan and Derbandikhan Emergency Hydropower Project  
Credit No. : 4249-IQ; Project ID No. P099059  
Credit from IDA

Notice No. : **WB368-743/09**

Issued by : General Directorate of Electricity of Sulaymaniyah  
Fatih Saeed Salih  
Salm St.  
Sulaymaniyah, Iraq  
Tel. : (964-770) 158-0336  
E-mail : fatihsalih02@yahoo.com

For : Design, manufacture, factory testing, delivery, civil works, installation, training, site testing and commissioning of the following main equipment :  
- Control and Monitoring Systems;  
- Turbine Governors;  
- Generator, Transformer and Turbine Protection Systems;  
- Energy Meters.

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of US\$ 100 or an equivalent amount in any convertible currency + US\$ 50 (courier charges).

Bid security : US\$ 200,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bid deadline : **01.04.2009**

## Malawi

(EEPC Ref. No. DB-87)

Project : Irrigation, Rural Livelihoods and Agricultural Development Project  
Project ID No. P084148  
Grant and Loan from

Notice No. : **WB415-744/09**

Issued by : The Project Coordinator  
Irrigation Rural Livelihoods and Agricultural Development Project  
Private Bag A192  
Lilongwe, Malawi  
Attn. : The Procurement Specialist  
Tel. : +265 01 753 163  
Facsimile : +265 01 750 388  
E-mail : info@irladp.org/goli.mwanza@irladp.org

For : Supply and delivery of Motorcycles, as follows :

- Lot No. 1 : Motorcycles, 125 cc
- Quantity Required : 46
- Unit of Issue : each

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of MK3,500.00 or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency.

Bid security : Not less than 2% of the bid amount.

Bid deadline : **06.03.2009**

## **Vietnam**

**(EEPC Ref. No. DB-88)**

Project : System Efficiency Improvement, Equitization and Renewables Project  
Credit No. 3680-VN; ID No. P066396  
Credit from IDA

Notice No. : **WB439-744/09**

Issued by : Southern Vietnam Power Projects Management Board (SPPMB)  
383 Ben Chuong Duong St., Dist 1  
Ho Chi Minh City, S.R. Vietnam  
Attn. : Mr. Nguyen Tien Hai  
Chairman  
Tel. : (84-8)2210 0719  
Fax : (84-8)3836 1096  
E-mail : mynt@npt.evn.vn or nguyenthemy@yahoo.com

For : Package XL-G04 : Steel Towers for 220 kV Xuan Loc substation and connections.

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of US\$ 100 or VND 1,650,000 + US\$ 50 (courier charges).

Bid security : VND 120 million or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bid deadline : **03.03.2009**

*(Source : UN Development Business Website)*

## **Egypt**

**(EEPC Ref. No. MEED-190)**

**Tender for : Medical Equipment**

Project No. : P102807

Tender No. : **5/2009/WB**

Tender details : Supply of medical equipment comprising culling bags as part of an avian and human influenza control and prevention project, Financed by the World Bank.

Details on payment of \$50

Bid bond : \$ 10,000

Closing date : **26.02.2009**

Issued by : General Organisation for Veterinary Services  
Nadi el-Said Street, Dokki, Giza  
PO Box 264, Cairo, Egypt  
Tel. : (202) 33370957  
Fax : (202) 33370958  
E-mail : dr\_alielebeedy@yahoo.com

## Iran

(EEPC Ref. No. MEED-191)

**Tender for : Iron Ore Slurry Pump**

Tender details : Supply of an iron ore slurry pump with motor and two years' provision of spare parts for its operation.  
Details on payment of IR 200,000.

Bid bond : 5% of tender price.

Closing date : **19.02.2009**

Issued by : Iran Central Iron Ore Company  
Commercial Division  
National Iranian Steel Company (Nisco)  
Bafgh Yazd, Iran  
Tel. : (98352) 4254481/4254485  
Website : www.icioc.com

## Kuwait

(EEPC Ref. No. MEED-192 & MEED-193)

**Tender for : Transformer Station Control and Monitoring Devices**

Tender No. : **MEW/48-2008-2009**

Tender details : Supply and installation of control and monitoring devices for main transformer stations at the Saad Abdulla residential area for the Electricity & Water Ministry.  
Details on payment of KD 500.

Bid bond : 2.5% of tender price.

Closing date : **22.02.2009**

**Tender for : Control Cables**

Tender No. : **MEW/64-2008-2009**

Tender details : Supply, testing, trouble shooting, repair, extension and installation of control cables for an 11 kV medium-tension network and carrying out associated civil works in the north of the country for the Electricity & Water Ministry.  
Details on payment of KD 500.

Bid bond : KD50,000

Closing date : **03.03.2009**

Issued by : Central Tenders Committee  
PO Box 1070  
Safat 13011, Kuwait  
Tel. : (965) 2401200  
Fax : (965) 2416574

## Oman

(EEPC Ref. No. MEED-194)

**Tender for : Cables and Conductors**

Tender No. : **25/2009**

Tender details : Supply of cables and conductors for Majan Electricity Company.  
Details, available on payment of RO 150.

Closing date : **09.03.2009**

Issued by : Tender Board  
PO Box 787  
Al-Khuwair 133, Oman  
Tel. : (96824) 602073/602556  
Fax : (96824) 602063

## **UAE**

(EEPC Ref. No. MEED-195)

**Tender for : Power Transformers**

**Tender No. : CE/0757/2008**

Tender details : Supply of 33 kV power transformers.  
Details on payment of AED 1,500.

Bid bond : 5% of tender price.

Closing date : **04.03.2009**

Issued by : Dubai Electricity & Water Authority  
Office of the Contracts Manager  
Zabeel East  
PO Box 564  
Dubai, UAE  
Tel. : (9714) 3244444  
Fax : (9714) 3248111  
E-mail : contracts@dewa.gov.ae  
Website : www.dewa.gov.ae

*(Source : MEED.com website)*

## **Kuwait**

Issued by : Central Tender Committee  
P.O. Box 1070  
Safat 13011, Kuwait  
Tel. : 2401200 (5 lines)  
Telefax : 2416574  
Website : www.ctc.gov.kw

**Tender No. : AMM/1/9/2008-2009**

Concerned Party : MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS

Requirements : Supply, Installation, Operation and Maintenance of Car Washing Station and Discharge Water Purification Device.

Relevant Fee : KD 50 Certified cheque

Initial Guarantee : KD 5,200 and valid for 90 days

Closing Date : **15.02.2009**

**Tender No. : 24141313080**

Concerned Party : MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Requirements : Supply of Appliances and Equipments for Orthopedic Section at Jaber Al Ahmed Armed Forces Hospital.

Relevant Fee : KD 80 Certified cheque

Initial Guarantee : 2% of offer value and valid for 90 days

Closing Date : **15.02.2009**

**Tender No. : MEW/91/2008-2009**

Concerned Party : MINISTRY OF ELECTRICITY & WATER

Requirements : Design, Supply and Installation of Distilled Water Treatment Unit at Al Zoor Southern Power & Water Distillation Station

Relevant Fee : KD 500 Certified cheque

Initial Guarantee : KD 30,000 and valid for 90 days

Closing Date : **15.03.2009**

For further details, please contact :

Mr. Anuj Gupta  
Attache (Commerce)  
Embassy of India  
P.O. Box 1450, Safat 13015  
Kuwait  
Tel. : 2530600/612/613  
Fax : 2525811  
E-mail : indcommunity@indembkwt.org

*(Source : Embassy of India, Safat)*

## **Mauritius**

Issued by : Central Water Authority  
Head Office, Royal Road  
St. Paul, Phoenix  
Mauritius  
Tel. : (230) 601 5000  
Fax : (230) 686 6264  
E-mail : cwa@intent.mu  
Website : <http://cwa.gov.mu>

For : Investigation, repairs, testing and commissioning of hydro-generators.

Closing date: **18.02.2009** [up to 14.00 hrs. (local time)]

For further details, please contact :

Mr. Suja K. Menon  
Third Secretary (Political & Commercial)  
High Commission of India  
Port Louis, Mauritius  
Tel. : +230-208 3775/76  
Fax : +230-208 6859  
E-mail : hicombc@intnet.mu

## **Mauritius**

Issued by : The Registry  
Central Electricity Board  
Royal Road, Curepipe  
Mauritius  
Website : [www.ceb.intnet.mu](http://www.ceb.intnet.mu)

For : Procurement of 22 kV T-Joint for aerial bundled cables.

Tender cost : Rs. 500 + VAT per set [non-refundable]

Closing date: **18.02.2009** [up to 13.30 hrs. (local time)]

For further details, please contact :

Mr. Suja K. Menon  
Third Secretary (Political & Commercial)  
High Commission of India  
Port Louis  
Mauritius  
Tel. : +230-208 3775/76  
Fax : +230-208 6859  
E-mail : [hicombc@intnet.mu](mailto:hicombc@intnet.mu)

*(Source : High Commission of India, Port Louis)*

**Trade Enquiries**



**Puerto Rico**

(Source : EEPC INDIA Chicago Office)

<i>Name of the Company</i>	<i>Addresses</i>	<i>Contact Person/Tel./Fax/E-mail</i>	<i>Items interested</i>
San Juan Distributors	<i>Physical Address :</i> URB. IND. Luchetti #500 BO. Juan Sanchez Bayamon Puerto Rico 00961 <i>Shipping Address :</i> P.O. Box 11731 San Juan Puerto Rico 00922	Attn. : Mario Santurio Jacqueline Santurio Tel. : (787) 786-4903 Fax : (787) 786-7144 E-mail : gomezsan@caribe.net	Galvanized threaded rods, zinc plated hex nuts, USS flat washers zinc plated, stainless steel threaded rods.

**Please Note** : The Council has sent test message to the above trade enquirer regarding the existence of this company. However, members are requested to carry out their own due diligence and take necessary safeguards against credit risks such as ECGC cover, UCP 600 etc.

**Public Notice****Circular No. 880/18/2008-CX**

Dated 22nd December, 2008

Ministry of Finance, Department of Revenue, Government of India, New Delhi issued a **Circular No. 880/18/2008-CX dated 22nd December, 2008** regarding **Determination of the value of the excisable goods for the purposes of charging Central Excise Duty in respect of industrial units located in Jammu & Kashmir and availing VAT remission vide SRO 91 dated 16.03.05**. The above Central Excise Circular have already been hosted in our **Website (<http://www.eepcindia.org/circulars/excise/EXC-CR-880-18-2008.pdf>)** for information of our Members.

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## Steel Prices : Ex-Mandi Gobindgarh : on immediate payment basis

### Mandi Gobindgarh

#### Open Market Rates of Rerollables (January 17, 2009)

(Inclusive of Excise Duty) (Trade Terms 1% Cash Discount)

(Rate Rs. per Tonne)

**Ingots**

Arc/Ind. Furnaces	
round quality (21x25)	26,300/-
structural quality (28x30)	26,200/-
Low carbon (12x16)	27,000/-
Semi-low carbon (16x20)	27,300/-
5x6 girder quality (28x30)	27,200/-
Runners/Risers	23,000/-
Bones/Clean	22,000/-

**Billets & Squares**

50x50x63x63x65x65 mm MS	—
75x75x80x80x90x90 mm MS	38,500/-
100x100 mm MS	38,600/-
125x125 mm MS	—
100x100 mm Concast-Billets	38,800/-
100x100 Concast-SAIL DSP	38,800/-
H.C. Billet SAIL 150x150 mm	—
H.C. Billets-Tisco 75x75 mm	—

**Blooms**

Above 251 mm Bloom (HC)	32,400/-
Above 251 mm Bloom (MS)	33,400/-
Bloom 160x250 mm (DSP)	33,800/-
130/135/140 mm (Tisco) MS	—
150x150 mm Concast (DSP)	44,400/-
150x150 mm MS (SAIL)	44,400/-
Bloom Cut into pcs. (MS)	39,900/-
Bloom Cut into pcs. (Medium)	39,900/-
Bloom Cut into (Patra Pass)	39,400/-

**Slabs**

Durgapur Slabs 14"x3"	—
Durgapur Slabs	34,500/-
Bokaro Slab Heavy	34,800/-
Tata Concast Slab (Heavy)	37,000/-
Skelp Tisco	—

**Rails**

Untested Rail - 75 lbs.	25,500/-
Untested Rail - 90 lbs.	25,300/-
Untested Rail - 105 lbs.	25,100/-

Rej. Wheel (Big)	23,500/-
Rej. Wheel (Small)	23,200/-
Cut Tyre (Big)	24,500/-
Cut Tyre (Small)	24,300/-

**Melting Scrap (F.O.R.)**

Rolling Mill end (Fresh)	22,500/-
Good Godown	19,800/-
Godown Scrap	19,500/-
Turning	19,500/-
Tin Tapper	18,000/-
Sponge Iron	17,500/-

**Pig Iron (F.O.R.)**

Foundry Grade	22,500/-
Steel Grade	20,500/-
C.I. Turning	16,000/-
Degi Scrap	23,000/-
Deg Casting	33,000/-
Ingot Moulds (Old)	20,500/-
Ingot Moulds (New)	32,500/-
Cut Ingot Moulds	21,000/-

#### Open Market Rates of Finished Goods (January 17, 2009)

(Inclusive of Excise Duty) (Trade Terms 1% Cash Discount)

(Rate Rs. per Qntl.)

<b>M. S. Rounds</b>	4 mm	5 mm	6 mm	8 mm	10 mm	12 mm	16/20 mm	22/25 mm
Mild	3350/-	3250/-	3150/-	3100/-	3100/-	3080/-	3080/-	3000/-
Medium-Semi	—	—	—	—	3100/-	3120/-	—	—
Zindi Pass (Drawing)	—	—	—	3100/-	3100/-	3100/-	3100/-	3030/-

Above rates of 6 mm rounds are of length up to 14' Above 18' = 3170/-

<b>Heavy Rounds</b>	28 to 53 mm	63 to 100 mm	110 to 125 mm	140 to 150 mm	165 mm	180 mm	200 mm		
Mild	3000/-	3100/-	3180/-	3280/-	3350/-	3400/-	3420/-		
<b>M. S. Squares</b>	4 mm	5 mm	6 mm	8 mm	10 mm	12 mm	16/20 mm	22/25 mm	
Mild	3350/-	3250/-	3150/-	3100/-	3150/-	3060/-	3060/-	3000/-	
<b>M. S. Angles</b>	20 mm	25 mm	32 mm	37 mm	50 mm	65 mm	75 mm	90 mm	100 mm
3 mm	3180/-	3080/-	3080/-	3080/-	3110/-	3130/-	—	—	—
5 mm	—	3060/-	3060/-	3050/-	3040/-	3050/-	3050/-	3110/-	3160/-
6 mm	—	3060/-	3060/-	3050/-	3040/-	3050/-	3050/-	3110/-	3160/-
<b>M. S. Flats</b>	20 mm	25 mm	32 mm	37 mm	50 mm	65 mm	75 mm	100 mm	
3 mm	3280/-	3230/-	3240/-	3260/-	3310/-	3300/-	3280/-	3260/-	
5 mm	3160/-	3010/-	3010/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	
6 mm	3160/-	3010/-	3010/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	
10 mm	—	—	3010/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	
12/25 mm	—	—	3010/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	2990/-	
18/19 Gauge	3420/-	3440/-	3450/-	3460/-	3480/-	3280/-	3280/-	3280/-	

[Prices at other stockyards may vary]

[Source : Steel Town (Weekly), January 17, 2009]

## Important Notice

### Hyperlinking of Home Page of Engineering Firms on Council's Website

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  2. Overseas buyers will have more confidence in business interactions with Council's members through their home page link on Council's website based on EEPC INDIA's brand image a Government Sponsored Organisation and India's first ISO-9001 Council.
  3. Your company may get on-line business enquiries of overseas buyers generated through Council's website.
- Apart from hosting of home pages of exporters, the website also carries various useful information like Public Notices, Circulars & Notifications issued by DGFT, Customs and Central Excise, etc.

**If interested, please fill-up the enclosed Application Form duly signed and stamped (given overleaf) along with Terms & Conditions duly signed and stamped (given below) as well as DD/Cheque of Rs. 2,500/- for members and Rs. 4,000/- for non-members and text matter of your web page (duly signed and stamped).**

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Date :

**Authorised Signatory with Company Seal**

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EEPC INDIA  
Kolkata

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We are interested to Hyperlink our website through the EEPC Information Portal.

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- ii. Complete Address :
  
- iii. Telephone/Fax :
- iv. EEPC Membership Code No. :
- v. E-mail ID :
- vi. Web Address (for Linkage facility) :
- vii. Payment Details :
- viii. Enclosure – Signed hard copy of the content of home pages :

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