

## Kazakhstan Investment Day

on February 24, 2026 at KfW Bankengruppe, Frankfurt

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### 14.00 Welcome address

**Christiane Laibach**, Member of the Executive Board of KfW, Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board of KfW IPEX-Bank GmbH, First Deputy Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board of DEG - Deutsche Investitions- und Entwicklungsgesellschaft mbH

**Nurlan Onzhanov**, Ambassador of the Republic of Kazakhstan

### 14.10 Keynote speech

**Dr. Thomas Steffen**, State Secretary at the Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy

**Yersaiyn Nagaspayev**, Minister of Industry and Construction of the Republic of Kazakhstan

### 14.30 1st panel discussion: Industry, CRM, Logistics/ Middle Corridor

*Moderation: Michael Harms, Managing Director, German Eastern Business Association*

**Christiane Laibach**: Member of the Board of Managing Directors of KfW, Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board of KfW IPEX-Bank GmbH, First Deputy Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board of DEG - Deutsche Investitions- und Entwicklungsgesellschaft mbH

**Rustam Karagoishin**, CEO Baiterek Holding (tbc)

**Markus Beermann**, Managing Director Thyssen Schachtbau

**Olaf Schmidt**, Head of BERGBAU International / Head of MINING WORKS International, Schachtbau Nordhausen

**Phillip Kuck**, Manager Group Shareholdings International Rhenus Group

**Igor Gerber**, Partner, Freshfields

**Qazaq Potassium Ltd**

**tbc**, Kazakh ministries and companies

Q&A

### 15.45 Networking break

### 16.15 2nd panel discussion: Financing instruments for German, European and Kazakh investors

*Moderation: Wolfgang Behler, Global Head Industries and Commerce, KfW IPEX-Bank*

**Thomas Baum**, Executive - Head of Division Underwriting & Risk Management Euler Hermes

**Herwig Maaßen**, Senior Manager Investment Guarantees of the Federal Government DiA

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**Stephan Pueschel**, Co-Head Metals and Mining, KfW IPEX Bank: UFK and commodity funds

**Christoph Tilkorn / Alexander Feltes**, Senior Investment Manager DEG instruments: (BSS, Develop PPP, Impact Connect, classic DEG instruments)

**Stephanie Meier-Sydow**, Director Sales, Türkiye, Caucasus, Central Asia, Jebsen & Jessen Industrial Solutions GmbH

**Borislav Ivanov-Blankenburg** Managing Director CEO Central and Eastern Europe Deutsche Bank AG

**tbc**, Baiterek, DBK, Kazakh Invest

Q&A

### 17.45 Closing words

### 18.00 Networking