

Kazakhstan Investment Day

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Moderation: Ekaterina Galitsyna, Director, Business Development Origination: Eastern Europe, Central Asia, South Caucasus, KfW IPEX-Bank

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

Marat Yelibayev, Chairman of the Management Board, Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC

Antonio Porras, Vice President HO Regional Business Growth Europe, Airbus

Markus Beermann, Managing Director Thyssen Schachtbau

Olzhas Alibekov, Deputy Chairman of the Industry Committee of the Ministry of Industry and Construction

Al-Farabi Idiryshev, Director General, National Center for Technology Forecasting of the Ministry of Industry and Construction of the Republic of Kazakhstan

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

Aibek Kapar, Deputy Director General for Logistics at KTZ Express AG

Phillip Kuck, Manager Group Shareholdings International Rhenus Group

Igor Gerber, Partner, Freshfields

Rakhat Mukhtarov, CFO, Qazaq Kalium Ltd

Kanat Dosmukametov, COO, Solidcore Resources

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 Cover PwC

Timur Onzhanov, Deputy Chairman of the Management Board, National Investment Holding Baiterek JSC

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

Christoph Tilkorn, Vice President, DEG (BSS, Develop PPP, Impact Connect, DEG instruments)

Assel Suankulova, Direktorin der Abteilung für Investitionsförderung und Marketing der Aktiengesellschaft „NK „Kazakh Invest“

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

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

Q&A

17.45 Closing words

18.00 Networking