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**The Members of CLE**

Dear Members,

We have been informed by the Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce & Industry that, the Ministry is organizing an Investment and Trade Promotion Roadshow from **10th to 12th August, 2023 in Taiwan** on the sidelines of 8th Working Group on Trade meeting on 11th August 2023. The aim is to promote export of Indian products to Taiwan**.**

In the above context, Textiles *(RMG Sector*), **Footwear & Leather Products** and Pharmaceuticals/biomedical related sectors have been identified as potential sectors for trade promotion in consultation with Indian Mission in Taiwan. Accordingly, Ministry has advised CLE to identify and include big potential exporters (from footwear and leather sector) in the Delegation to Taiwan, who can promote their products during the Roadshow and have B2B meetings with identified buyers of Taiwan. The Delegation will be led by **Shri Anant Swarup, Joint Secretary to the Government of India**, Department of Commerce.

India Taipei Association is in the process of finalizing the Agenda for meetings and factory visits for the Indian Delegation. Taiwanese Companies/Groups like Pou Chen, Baiho, Dean etc have confirmed their convenience for attending meeting with the Indian Delegates. The Indian Delegation will be reaching in Taipei/Taichung on 9th August, 2023. Meantime, the Department of Commerce has advised CLE for sending name of Delegates from the footwear and leather products sector urgently, who are interested to join the delegation. There is no participation fee for joining the Delegation. However, cost on account of travel and stay has to be borne by the delegates themselves.

**Keeping in view the above, Members interested to join the above Delegation to Taiwan may send copy of their Passport by 4.00  PM Today to** **ad-imdfairs@cleindia.com****, for sending to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.  Ministry will facilitate issue of travel visa for the delegates.  Suggested flight and hotel details (for stay in Taiwan) will be shared with the confirmed delegates shortly.**

Best regards,

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