

INDONESIA 'ROUNDTABLE' FORUM

02 September 2010

10:00am to 12:00 noon, followed by lunch.

West Midlands companies are invited to join a 'Roundtable Forum' chaired by Chris Wren, The Executive Director of the British Chamber of Commerce in Indonesia.

The event will provide an opportunity for companies already trading with Indonesia, or companies with Indonesia as a target market to listen to Chris's knowledge on the country and ask specific questions about how to develop business in Indonesia.

Venue – **North Staffordshire Chamber of Commerce**
 Commerce House
 Festival Park
 Stoke-on-Trent
 ST1 5BE

Indonesia - Introduction

Trade relations between the UK and Indonesia are healthy. UK exports to Indonesia totalled £ 350 million in 2009 (£ 391 million in 2008). According to official Indonesian Statistics, the UK is a leading investor in Indonesia with Foreign Direct Investment Planning Approvals worth US\$ 119.9 million in January 2009.

Opportunities in Indonesia

Opportunities for trade should be viewed as medium to long-term. UK Trade & Investment has identified four sectors that offer particularly good opportunities : Environment, Ports, Advanced Engineering and Power. Opportunities also exist in other sectors including Oil and Gas, Financial Services, ICT, Retail, Healthcare, Agribusiness and Infrastructure.

Imports to the UK from Indonesia were worth £ 1,144 million in 2008. Indonesia's main exports to the UK include textile products, clothing & accessories (including shoes) and wood products. Total imports in 2009 were £ 1,166 million.

To book a place or for more information on this event please contact:

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