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US/Russian Partnerships in IT/Telecommunication Industry

Philadelphia, PA – The Mid-Atlantic - Russia Business Council will host a Russian delegation, including members from the Presidential Fellowship Program, on November 19-21, 2012 in Philadelphia for continued discussion on Russian-American cooperation in IT/Telecommunication innovations. The delegation will be present for the final part of the 17th Semi-Annual Russian-American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT).

The roundtable discussion will be held on November 20, 2012 from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm at the University City Science Center (3711 Market Street, Philadelphia). It will explore Russian-American innovations in IT/Telecommunication and Technology Entrepreneurship. The delegation, composed of executives from Russian companies, will outline their companies’ strategic direction and product focus to a select American audience. Their companies represent the finest in Russia’s IT/Telecommunication industries.

The Semi-Annual Russian-American Innovation Technology Week is designed to bring together entrepreneurs, scientists, academics, and corporations from the American and Russian technology communities. It includes various regional technology events, seminars, panel discussions, roundtable meetings, trade shows, conferences, and networking events, and is supported by leading American and Russian business and governmental organizations. This Russian-American interchange continues to explore and foster business ventures between both countries in the framework of RANIT.

Below is agenda and list of the 20 members of the Russian delegation.

For more information, please contact Val Kogan, President of the MARBC, by phone: (484) 467-7444, by e-mail: val@ma-rbc.org, or visit the MARBC website: http://www.ma-rbc.org.
17th Semi-Annual Russian-American Innovation Technology Week

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November 20th, 2012, 10:00am – 12:30pm
University City Science Center
3711 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA

Introduction of the 17th Semi-Annual Russian-American Innovation Technology Week

Welcoming Remarks

- Val Kogan, President, Mid-Atlantic - Russia Business Council
- Carol Brooks-Bryant, Manager of International Trade and Diplomatic Liaison, City of Philadelphia Department of Commerce
- David Briel, Executive Director, Center for Direct Investment, Office of International Business Development, Pennsylvania Department of Community & Economic Development
- Director, Ben Franklin Technology Partners/SEP
- Kristin Hart, Manager, Incubator Operations, Science Center

Russian IT/Telecommunication Industry & Companies Introduction

- Viacheslav Burkhanov, Head of Internet Department, Consultant, LLC, Tomsk, Russia
- Bogdan Fomin, Project Manager, Belgorod Information Fund, Belgorod, Russia
- Sergey Getts, Acting Director, Regional Center of Automated Information Resources, Tomsk Region (RCAIR), Russia
- Dmitry Grechishkin, Director, Business-Technologies, LLC, Tver, Russia
- Andrey Ivanov, Sverdlovsk Regional Small Business Support Foundation, Yekaterinburg, Russia
- Victor Karlov, Executive Director, Tomsk Telecommunication Company, LLC, Tomsk, Russia
- Denis Katin, Managing Director, Nix Belgorod, Ltd., Belgorod, Russia
- Oleg Kiselev, Chief Operating Officer, Ugoriya Insurance Company, Moscow, Russia
- Anatoly Kleshchenkov, Chief Executive Officer/Owner, Intelligent Wireless Systems (IWS), Rostov-on-Don, Russia
- Andrei Klimanov, General Director, Garant Company, Syktyvkar, Russia
- Konstantin Kolmogorov, Head of Electronic Payments and Micropayments, i-Free Group of Companies, St. Petersburg, Russia
- Maxim Kolpakov, Head of Research and Development, E-Light-Telecom, LLC, Kemerovo, Russia
- Vladimir Kuznetsov, Head of IT, AGroup of Companies, Saratov, Russia
- Iliia Lebedev, Technical Director, Teleset-Service, Ltd, Yekaterinburg, Russia
- Pavel Lozhnikov, Executive Manager, KASIB Science and Technology Center, Omsk, Russia
- Dmitry Murzinov, Deputy Director, BI-Leasing, LLC, Voronezh, Russia
- Andrey Petukhov, Chief Information Officer, Rostelecom Komi Branch, Syktyvkar, Russia
- Sergei Sergeichik, Chief Executive Officer, Veron, Ltd, Tomsk, Russia
- Dmitry Shcherbina, Lead Project Manager, BI Telecom, Moscow, Russia
- Artem Terentyev, Head of Project Office, TOR, LLC, Novosibirsk, Russia
University City Science Center: Keynote by the Executive
• Steve Tang, President and CEO, Science Center

New Technology and Entrepreneurship
• Pavel Dourbal, President, Dourbal Electric
• Boris Kapchits, Director, BSS Solution Management, Comverse

Closing Remarks
• Val Kogan, President, Mid-Atlantic - Russia Business Council

Presentations for Russian delegation:
• Antonio Ceballos, Executive Director, U.S. Export Assistance Center Philadelphia
• Dan Ross, Executive Director, Entrepreneurs Forum of Greater Philadelphia
• Gary Smith, Executive Director, Chester Country Economic Development Council
DELEGATE LIST (Members of Russian Presidential Fellowship Program):

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