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n capacity by 8,000 MW and thermal and combined-cycle wer generation capacity by 500 MW. Moreover, 23 new paroelectric and 11 thermal peration power plants are

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ower Plant Type

 Shirvan combined-cycle power plant (1,000 MW).

**Proposed Privatization** 

Iran is currently restructuring its national electricity industry. The for more than 20 years. Suppliers of equipment and services have also been increasingly active pursuing contracts during the past three years. Canadian companies wishing to access the Iranian market are encouraged to contact the Commercial Section of the Canadian Embassy in Tehran.

## See Potential?

1998

12,400

9,422

1,999

24,437

616

For a list of Iranian trade shows, and to learn more about opportunities, read the full report, "The Electrical Power Market in Iran," prepared by the Market Research Centre. The report is available online at www.infoexport.gc.ca

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**Electricity Generation in Iran (MW)** 

1997

11,685

8,896

1,999

23,257

677

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Ghazvin combined-cycle power plant (1,100 MW),
Pareh Sar combined-cycle power plant (1,000 MW),
Idbriz combined-cycle power

blant (1,000 MW), and

Iranian government is considering allowing greater private sector participation in electricity

supply and removing restrictions on foreign ownership. Also, plans to privatize the Tavanir Company, the state-owned power generation and transmission company, are under review by the government.

## Canadian Involvement in Iran's Electrical Power Sector

Canadian presence in Iran's electrical power sector is increasing.
Canadian consulting engineering firms have been active in the market

