TRADE FAIRS AROUND THE WORLD

Environment Show, Seminars Set for India

New Delhi — An international Environmental Trade Fair (EN97), for which participants now are being recruited, will take place here February 9 to 15, 1997. An added option is a three-city seminar tour to Madras, Bombay and either Bangalore or Calcutta, between February 17 and 22, 1997.

Being held in conjunction with

the 12th India Engineering Trade Fair and with Canada as Partner Country, EN'97 is one of South Asia's largest energy and environmental trade fairs. It is considered an ideal venue for Canadian environmental companies to exhibit products, showcase technologies, and promote consulting/engineering services.

The fair targets such sub-sectors as: water treatment, hazardous waste, solid waste, air pollution, waste water and sewage, and recycling technologies.

The market in India for environmental products, technologies and services is estimated at C\$700 million. Growing by as much as 35 per cent per year, the

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Canada at COMDEX Mexico

MEXICO CITY, MEXICO — More than 65,000 buyers and decision makers are expected to attend COMDEX '97, Mexico's information technology, computers, software, telecommunications and networking trade show, being held here February 25 - 28, 1997.

The Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade (DFAIT) will host an Information Booth which interested Canadian companies are invited to use.

Three major conferences, designed to attract potential buyers, also are on the agenda.

For more information on **COMDEX '97** (the participation fee is \$120.00), contact Kim O'Neil, Mexico Division, DFAIT, Ottawa, Tel.: (613) 996-8625; Fax: (613) 996-6142.

Educational Supplies Show

DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES — Suppliers of educational infrastructure, teaching aids, materials and services appropriate to primary, secondary and tertiary education are the principal attendees at Edutec Arabia being held here April 8-11, 1997.

Edutec Arabia is held parallel with the Gulf Education & Training Exhibition, the largest and most important annual student recruitment fair in the Middle East. Regularly drawing more than 13,000 visitors, it attracts some 200 institutes from Europe, North America, the Gulf States and Australasia.

With a commitment to ambi-

tious educational training programs, the six Gulf Co-operation Council states — United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Kuwait, Bahrain and Oman — provide multi-million dollar opportunities for suppliers of a wide range of educational technology, equipment and materials.

For participation at Edutec Arabia and further information, contact the show organizer's Canadian representative: Helen M. Roberts, Manager, International Business Development, Cosmos Pacific Investment & Consulting Inc., 2628 Granville St., Vancouver V6H 3H8, Tel.: (604) 263-6146; Fax: (604) 263-1652.

Edu Canada a Class Act in Mexico

Canada's educational marketing event of the year, Edu Canada 97, will be taking place in three cities in Mexico between March 1-8, 1997.

The event promotes — at venues in Monterrey, Mexico City and Guadalajara — the full range of Canadian educational services. It is of particular interest to educational institutions (colleges, universities, technical schools) as well as to companies engaged in education and training fields.

Edu Canada 97 is sponsored by the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, with the participation being organized by a Montreal-based company.

Interested parties seeking additional information on Edu Canada 97 may contact Dr. Bruce Mabley, SIGMA VI, 5252, de Maisonneuve Boulevard West, Montreal, Quebec H4A 3S5, Tel.: (514) 484-2992; Fax: (514) 484-2217; E-mail: sigma6@infobahnos.com