Trade events calendar

CONSUMER PRODUCTS

MANAMA, BAHRAIN — April 15-18, 2003 — Homestyle 2003 is an international home decoration, furniture and appliance trade fair. For more information, contact Rasha Serry, Commercial Officer, Canadian Embassy in Riyadh, tel.: (011-966-1) 488-2288 ext. 3359, fax: (011-966-1) 488-0137, e-mail: rasha. serry@dfait-maeci.gc.ca Internet: www.homestyle.com.bh

HEALTH INDUSTRIES

TEHRAN, IRAN — May 25-29, 2003 — Iran Med 2003 is the 8th international fair on medical, dental, laboratory and pharmaceutical equipment. The last fair attracted over 70,000 visitors from 650 major medical and pharmaceutical companies, 250 of which were international firms. For more information, contact Majid Bagherzadeh, Commercial Officer, Canadian Embassy in Tehran, tel.: (011-98-21) 873-2623/6, fax: (011-98-21) 875-7057, Web site: www.infoexport.gc.ca

METALS, MINERALS & RELATED TECHNOLOGY

BELO HORIZONTE, BRAZIL — September 23-26, 2003 — Be a part of the Canadian pavilion at **Exposibram 2003**, a mining, equipment and services trade fair. Now in its 10th year, Exposibram attracted over 27,000 visitors in 2002. For more information, contact Francis Bourqui, Canadian

Association of Mining Equipment and Services for Export, tel.: (905) 513-0046, e-mail: bourqui@camese.org

ENVIRONMENTAL INDUSTRIES

BANGKOK, THAILAND — July 24-27, 2003 — Entech/Pollutech Asia, the international exhibition on environmental protection and pollution control technology, is Thailand's longest running environmental industry event, with subshows comprising Lab Tech, Water Asia and Cleantech. For more information, contact Patcharin Jedsadajin, CMP Media, tel.: (011-662) 642-6911, fax: (011-662) 642-6919, e-mail: patcharin@cmpthailand Web site: www.cmpthailand.com or Surin Thanalertkul, Commercial Officer, Canadian Embassy in Bangkok, tel.: (011-662) 636-0560 ext. 3356, fax: (011-662) 636-0568, e-mail: bngkk-td@dfait-maeci.gc.ca Web site: www.bangkok.gc.ca

BANGKOK, THAILAND - October 2-4, 2003 - Aquatec Asia 2003 is the leading show in Asia on water technology, products and services. For more information, contact Sanit Karunyavanij, Bangkok Rai, tel.: (011-662) 960-0141, fax: (011-662) 960-0140, e-mail: aquatech@ bkkrai.com Web site: www. aquatech-asia.com or Surin Thanalertkul, Commercial Officer, Canadian Embassy in Bangkok, tel.: (011-662) 636-0560 ext. 3356, fax: (011-662) 636-0568, e-mail: bngkk-td@dfait-maeci.gc.ca Web site: www.bangkok.gc.ca 🗰

Water Middle East 2003

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Financial assistance may be applied for through the Program for Export Market Development (PEMD) for some of the participation costs (eligible companies could be reimbursed up to 50% of their expenses for travel, booth rental, etc.). For more information on PEMD, go to www.infoexport.gc.ca/pemd/menu-e.asp

For more information on exhibiting, contact Amy Schur, UNILINK-Canadian Representative for Water Middle East, tel.: (613) 549-0404, fax: (613) 549-2528, e-mail: ah@unilinkfairs.com

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