### **AGRICULTURE & AGRI-FOOD**

**DUBAI, U.A.E.** — February 20-23, 2005 — Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and the Canadian Consulate in Dubai are organizing the Canadian presence at **Gulfood**, the most important event for the food and hospitality industry in the Middle East. **For more information**, go to http://ats.agr.ca/gulfood.

## **BUILDING PRODUCTS**

VERONA, ITALY — February 17-20, 2005 — Legno & Edilizia is an international wood exhibition, featuring the construction and woodworking industries, decoration, home and office design, furniture and lighting. For more information, contact Veronafiere, tel.: (011-045) 829-8111, fax: (011-045) 829-8288, e-mail: info@veronafiere.it, Web site: www.pmtexpo.it.

ATLANTA, GEORGIA — March 13-15, 2005 — The National Association of Home Builders presents Greenprints 2005, a conference and exhibition that provides a forum for changing the way practitioners think about architecture, planning and the use of natural resources. For more information, contact William Stolz, tel.: (404) 532-2017, fax: (404) 532-2050, e-mail: william.stolz@international.gc.ca, Web site: www.nahb.org.

#### CHEMICALS

**TEL AVIV, ISRAEL** — February 1-3, 2005 — **Israchem** is the 9th international exhibition on industrial processing, chemical engineering, metal finishing, measurement control and instrumentation. **For more information**, contact Rebecca Shafrir, Business Development Officer, Canadian Embassy in Israel, tel.: (011-972-3) 636-3357, fax: (011-972-3) 636-3385, e-mail: taviv-td@international.gc.ca, Web site: www.stier.co.il/SG\_ENG/Israchem/main\_israc.htm.

#### ICT

Moscow, Russia — May 10-14, 2005 — SVIAZ/Expo Comm is the largest telecommunications, information technology, networking, Internet and wireless/broadband event in Russia. For the next event, 870 companies from 36 countries have signed up to exhibit so far. Last year, 10 Canadian

companies participated and reported excellent results. **For more information**, contact Steven Goodinson, Canadian Embassy in Moscow, tel.: (011-7-095)105-6058, e-mail: steven.goodinson@international.gc.ca.

#### **MULTI-SECTOR**

**DUBAI, U.A.E.** — February 28 - March 2, 2005 — **Franchising Middle East Exhibition** is a leading international franchising trade show. **For more information**, go to www.franchisingme.com, tel.: (905) 896-7815, or contact Venky Rao, Canadian representative, e-mail: venkyrao@rogers.com.

Amman, Jordan — April 4-7, 2005 — Rebuild Iraq 2005 is the second trade exhibition for the reconstruction of Iraq. Demand in Iraq for the full range of infrastructure supplies and equipment, services and technologies for key economic and industrial sectors has been estimated to exceed \$195 billion over the next ten years. For more information, or to register, contact Bechara Nacouzi, International Trade Fairs, tel.: (514) 685-3530, fax: (514) 685-6873, e-mail: bnacouzi@videotron.ca, or Albert Galpin, Middle East Division, Foreign Affairs Canada and International Trade Canada, tel.: (613) 944-2396, fax: (613) 944-7975, e-mail: albert.galpin@international.gc.ca.

**TORONTO** — May 2-3, 2005 — The **Canada-ASEAN Business Forum** will focus on trade policy issues, the expansion of trade and investment, and increased sector-specific trade missions and technical cooperation. **For more information**, contact Vivien Escott, International Trade Canada, e-mail: vivien.escott@international.gc.ca, or Rachel Lindsey, e-mail: rachel.lindsey@international.gc.ca.

ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA — May 8-12, 2005 — The next Nanotechnology Conference and Trade Show covers a wide range of sectors from advanced semiconductors to drug design and molecular electronics. For more information, contact the Canadian Consulate General in Los Angeles, tel.: (213) 346-2700, fax: (213) 346-2767 e-mail: caaz.info@international.gc.ca, Web site: www.losangeles.gc.ca or www.nsti.org/Nanotech2005.

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