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ROUNDTABLE ON GLOBAL BEST PRACTICES FOR ATTRACTING AND SERVICING FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT

Date: 26 September 2024
Time: 10.00–14.30 (welcome coffee starts at 10.00)
Venue: Kunayeva 7 street, Rixos President Astana, D-Hall room
Language: English

AGENDA

- 10:00 – 10:30 Welcome Coffee and Networking
Roundtable Moderated by **Julie Kussidi**, CEO, EUROBAK
- 10:30 – 10:35 Welcome speech by **Alibek Kuantyrov**, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan
- 10:35 – 10:40 Welcome speech by H.E. the Ambassador of the European Delegation in Kazakhstan, **Aleska Simkic**
- 10:40 – 10:45 Welcome speech by **Deborah Robinson**, Deputy Chief of Mission at the U.S. Embassy in Kazakhstan
- 10.45 – 11:25 Presentation by **David O'Donovan**, Specialist in strategies for the attraction and retention of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)
Topic: International Best Practices in Investment Promotion and the Irish Model
- 11:25 – 12:10 Presentation by **Wojciech Tyborowski**, Director at Invest in Pomerania
Topic: Best practical experiences from Poland to attract investment and service the existing FDIs
- 12.10 – 12.15 Presentation by **Dias Assanov** - EUROBAK Deputy Chairman, CEO of Siemens Kazakhstan
Topic: EUROBAK's Contributions to the Investment Attractiveness in KZ
- 12:15 – 12:30 Presentation by **Vladimir Sidorenko**, Principal Banker, Sustainable Infrastructure, EBRD Almaty
Topic: Ways to further unlock Kazakhstan's investment potential - EBRD view
- 12.30 – 13.00 Questions & Answers, Open discussion
- 13:00 – 13:15 Closing remarks
- 13.15 – 14.30 Networking Lunch