



Libya

16th–20th September

British Trade Mission visiting Tripoli

The Middle East Association will be leading a high-profile Trade Mission to Libya from 16th to 20th September, visiting Tripoli.

The MEA is delighted to announce that Lord Jonathan Marland, Chairman of the UK's Business Ambassadors Group and Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for the Department of Energy and Climate Change, will be leading our trade mission to Libya in September.

Timed after the summer elections, this mission takes place at the perfect time to engage with the Libyan market, as Libyans lay out the future plans for their economy and the rebuilding of their country. We anticipate that there will be excellent opportunities for both immediate business agreements and the commencement of long-term relationships.

The mission will be multi-sector, with an emphasis on:

- Oil, Gas & Power
- Construction & Infrastructure
- Education, Training & Skills
- Business & Financial Services
- Civil Security
- Healthcare
- Technology & ICT

The Libyan economy is expected to recover rapidly from 2010-2011 levels, with annual GDP growth projected to be 13.7% during 2012-2016. GDP contracted by 27.9% in 2011 but there is an expected growth rebound of 28.8% in 2012. There is strong UK government support for developing long-term relationships with Libya, both at the ministerial level and through an increased range of products from UK Export Finance.

The MEA is currently working closely with UKTI in Libya to put together a group mission programme, and will also be arranging networking receptions for mission delegates. There will also be sponsorship opportunities connected with the mission. To find out more, please contact the MEA.



For more information, please return the registration form overleaf to the our Travel Partners, CT Group Travel. Leading the mission will be Dr Ranald Spiers, Director General at the MEA (ranald.spiers@the-mea.co.uk), who will be happy to answer questions about the mission, and give market advice on Libya.

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Where did you hear about this mission? _____

*The MEA and CT Group Travel reserve the right to select delegates in order to ensure a successful mission.
Please also note that foreign-owned companies must have an active subsidiary in the UK to qualify for the mission.*