

Africa-China Business Expo Opens in Addis Ababa

Africa-China Business Expo, branded as "China –Ethiopia Industrial Capacity Cooperation Exposition" opened (December 03) at the #Addis Ababa Exhibition Center. The expo which was organized in line with the decisions passed during the Forum on #China #Africa Cooperation (FOCAC) targets to elevate the all rounded partnership between Africa and China to a higher level.

Noting that the expo is happening for the first time, organizers remarked that the event will help to further elevate the constantly growing Ethio-China trade and Investment Partnership. The expo will be open for the public until Wednesday (December 05).

President of the Ethiopian Chamber of Commerce and Sectoral Associations, Melaku Ezezew (Engineer), said the expo would serve as an important platform to attract new investors and create joint ventures as well as facilitate technology transfers.

Chief of the Chinese Council for Promotion of International Trade, He Cailong said the "China – #Ethiopia Industrial Capacity Cooperation Exposition" is a show case of the key trade and economic partnership between the two sides, adding that the current expo would help to strengthen the bilateral trade ties in a bid to advance mutual benefits.

Several companies from both sides will be participating at the expo. 46 Chinese Companies which have strong investment portfolio in areas of agriculture and food processing, technology, hospitality industry, mining and automotive sectors are in attendance.

China – Ethiopia Industrial Capacity Cooperation Exposition will also include feature Business to Business sessions as well as visits to industrial parks.