

POST SHOW REPORT

The undiscovered market of South Iraq opened its gate to new businessmen and investors

The one and only Building & Construction Fair in Iraq's commercial capital, Basrah

THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL EXPO OF BASRAH

BASRAH-IRAQ

BuildExpo

26-29th April 2010 - Basrah IRAQ



The one and the only international Basrah fair, Basrah Build Expo 2010 welcomed 76 companies from 11 different countries and provided huge platform for international business partnerships. During the fair time, around 650 million \$ trading volume emerged and with the effect of the fair, annual trading volume of 2010 is estimated as 1,5 billion \$. The visitor number reached to 14.000 which also included Basrah Governer, local administrators, investment commision, municipality members.



Opening Ceremony

Basrah Build Expo was held on 26-29th April 2010 at the Basrah International Airport.

The show was started by the speech of Excellency Shaltagh Abboud Al-Mayyah, Basrah Governor.

The opening ceremony also featured high level government and diplomatic officials:

- Excellency Nizar Rabiaa Al Jabri, Basrah Deputy Governor
- Haidar Ali Fadhel, Basrah Investment Commission Director
- Qasim Younis Ali Al Saedi, Basrah Chamber of Commerce President
- Honourable Ali Rıza Özcoşkun, Turkish Consul General of Basrah
- Abdul Ameer Kanim, Basrah Airport Director General
- Hashim Mohammed Hatem, State Company Director General
- Honourable Alice Walpole, British Consul General of Basrah



Testimonials

“Basrah Build Expo is the first fair of Basrah. We hope that it will be beneficial and essential for the upcoming fairs. Undoubtedly, the organizer Atilim Fairs has the most important role in this exhibition. Besides that, the participation and the supports of both Turkish companies and other international companies have also big roles in this exhibition.

”Excellency Shaltagh Abboud al-Mayyah
Basrah Governor

“Why is Basrah essential for the businessmen and investors? There are ten main reasons; superb strategic location – gateway to the region, unrivalled availability of workforce and skills, competitive costs, abundant natural resources, being key port transportation point, welcomes investors, 10 years taxes free, guarantees, one-stop shop, range of opportunities.”

Haidar Ali Fadhel,
Basrah Investment Commission Director

“In Basrah the economical cooperation movement was started by the visit of two Turkish ministers on 5th October 2009 and it is growing rapidly from now on. Furthermore, these developments strengthen our hopes that economical relations of two countries will develop gradually. The Build Expo Fair which Atilim Fairs is organizing, is a big step for the development of this relation.”

Honourable Ali Rıza Özcoşkun,
Turkish Consul General of Basrah



Exhibitor And Visitor Information

Total Number of Exhibitors: 76

Participating Countries: 11

France, Germany, Iran, Iraq, India, Italy, Kuwait, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, Lebanon, Turkey

Number of Turkish Exhibitors: 48

Total Space

Total Gross: 6.000 square meters

Total Indoor: 4.000 square meters

Total Outdoor: 2.000 square meters

Total Number of Visitors: 14,000

Visitors came from 10 different countries

Iraq, Iran, Kuwait, USA, UK, UAE, South Africa, Sweden, India, China



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