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The possibility of signing contracts for electric power supplies from Russian Far East to the markets of China, Japan and South Korea will be discussed during the Eastern Economic Forum, stated A. Galushka.

(Izvestia)

The Republic of Korea lays great hopes on the visit of President Park Geun-hye, noted Chairman of the National Assembly Chung Sye-kyun during his meeting with Russian Ambassador to the Republic of Korea A. Timonin.

(NA VladNews Info).

Yuri Trutnev visited Vladivostok to check the readiness for the Eastern Economic Forum. Furthermore, he took part in the opening for motor traffic a section of the tramsport corridor Primorye-1.

(Komsomolskaya Pravda)

Chukotka Government to sign agreements worth RUB 70 bn at the Eastern Economic Forum. In the words of Chukotka Governor R. Kopin, these will be agreements on developing the road and energy infrastructure, gasification, revamping of housing and utilities, as well as coal mining.

(TASS)



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Presentation of Eurasian Diamond Center orientated towards export-import operations with Asia Pacific nations will take place during the Eastern Economic Forum. (Primpress. ru) Investments in this project will reach RUB 450 m.

(Primpress.ru)

A charity auction in support of rare and endangered species of Russian Far East will be held as part of the Eastern Economic Forum.

The Far East Development Foundation and Far East Agency for Investment Promotion and Export Support will sign with the Japan Bank for International Cooperation an agreement on creating a joint platform for attracting Japanese investors to advanced special economic zones and the Free Port of Vladivostok during the Eastern Economic Forum.

(Far East Capital)

FAR EAST NEWS

Chinese investments account for more than 16% of total investments attracted to Russian Far East during the past year using the new development instruments, stated A. Galushka. (NA Xinhua)

Mr. A. Galushka stated that, in January–June of 2016, the natural population growth in Russian Far East reached 1,397 people. Compared to 2015, this was a rise of 8.2% (Izvestia)

At the meeting of the Advisory Board of the Free Port of Vladivostok (FPV), chaired by Yuri Trutnev, 36 company requests for joining FPV were approved. Total declared investments exceed RUB 15 bn.

(Primorsky.ru)

The Sakhalin authorities will lift the frontier zone regime from a number of territories in the region in order to attract tourists. In the words of Sakhalin Governor O. Kozhemyako, the frontier zone repeal will not undermine security.

(Primorsky Reporter)