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Austrade/Invitalia

Italian Investment Mission to Australia

February 2010

**Sunday 21st February to Friday 26th February 2010
Sydney and Melbourne**

Draft Program

Sydney

Sunday 21st February

- **Welcome dinner**
 - Hosted by (To be advised) , Sydney
 - 3 Speakers – Austrade, Australian Minister or Senior Gov official, Infrastructure Australia (10 minutes each) – Focus on Agency responsibilities and Australian economy/industries/Inwards FDI opportunities

Monday 22nd February

- **9:00am – 10:30am (Infrastructure Australia Boardroom)**
 - States/Territories overview, FDI, key investment opportunities in Australia, PPP (15 mins each)
- **15 min break**
- **10:45-12:00pm**
 - Allies presentation – Investment Banks, M&A, Legal etc (10 mins each)
- **12:00pm-1:00pm**
 - Lunch - Catering on site
- **1:15pm-4:45pm (Location close to IA office)**
 - Industry specific roundtable discussions focusing on current and future projects & opportunities for investment in Australia in following areas:
 - Infrastructure
 - Renewable Energy
 - Resources

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- Green Building and Construction
- Financial Services
- Bio-Tech

- **4:45pm**
 - Closing Brief by Austrade (15mins)
- **7pm**
 - Cocktail reception – networking opportunities

Tuesday 23rd February

- Free day for delegates to have one on one meetings, site visits etc

Melbourne

Wednesday 24th February

- Delegation travels to Melbourne
- Welcome Dinner (sponsor and location TBA)

Thursday 25th February

- **9:00am-10:00am (Meeting location TBA)**
 - 2 High level Speakers – Invitalia and Italian Minister (or equivalent) - Focus on Italian economy/industries/outwards FDI opportunities
- **15 min break**
- **10:15am-1:00pm**
 - Presentations by Italian Regions, key investment opportunities in Italy /key industries overview
- **1pm-2:15pm (Lunch – location TBA)**
- **2:30pm-5:00pm**
 - Industry specific roundtable discussions focusing on current and future projects & opportunities in Italy in areas specified by Invitalia:
 - Infrastructure
 - Renewable Energy
 - Green Building and Construction

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-Bio-Tech
-Tourism

- **5:15pm**
 - Closing Brief by Invitalia and Austrade (15mins)
- **7pm**
 - Cocktail reception – networking opportunities

Friday 26th February

- Free day for delegates to have one on one meetings, site visits etc

Following week for individual visit programs to Industry associations, government departments (Fed and State), businesses, projects etc. as and if needed

Austrade can assist with development of visit programs within and across states

Note: A reverse mission – Australia to Italy be planned for early June 2010 as a follow up to this mission

Targeted Allies to support the Mission

- States
- ICCI
- ICE
- ABIE
- EABC
- Industry Associations