

## **EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL FOR EOUs AND SEZs**

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Dear Members,

Greetings!

You will be happy to know that the EPCES has signed a ALL IN ONE Agreement with the World Free Zones Organization on 18.5.2021. A copy of the agreement is available on the EPCES website.

As you are aware, the World Free Zones Organization (World FZO) is an association of free zones, free zones associations and users of free zones and special economic zones. With over 750 members from 139 countries, the World FZO provides one collective voice representing the interests of free zones around the world. It provides a platform for all the free zone stakeholders around the world to learn, grow and prosper by exchanging experiences, best practices and knowledge, through their various services and activities such as Events, Training, Advisory, Certifications, Publications, and B2B platform.

As per the MoU, the following are the free services available to the EPCES members.

- Digital publications such as Country Reports, Bulletins, F-web, Outlook reports, Event books.
- Access the Interactive FZ Atlas, along with their detailed data and analytics.
- Invitation to attend the select HQ online webinars, including policy webinars
- Registration to Omnia B2B platform's basic service (tenants can pay monthly/annual subscriptions to upgrade their services if they want)
- Access to networking opportunities including bilateral meetings
- Publication of member news opportunity through World FZO's weekly newsletter
- Full website
- International visibility (articles in the newsletter, website, bulletins)
- Facilitate bilateral networking opportunities between the members
- Empower SMEs training program (Members can pay to upgrade the services)

Members can have access to all the above services by registering themselves on the World FZO website, followed by which the World FZO will approve their membership by sending the required username and password. For your convenience, please find below the link for registration.

https://www.cognitoforms.com/WorldFreeZonesOrganization1/WorldFZOMembershipApplicat ionFormVoting

We are hopeful that this association will create a long-lasting, mutually beneficial relationship for the EPCES members.

Thanking you,

With best regards,

DG EPCES