



19th Virtual Meeting of the Economic Counsellors of the Embassies of OIC Member States accredited to the Kingdom of Morocco

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PRESS RELEASE

The Islamic Centre for Development of Trade (CIDC) organized the 19th virtual Meeting of the Economic Counsellors of the Embassies of OIC Member States accredited to the Kingdom of Morocco, on 21st January 2021 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Meeting which was chaired by H.E Mrs. Latifa Elbouabdellaoui, Director General of ICDT, witnessed the participation of Mr. Mohamed Benjelloun (Director of International Trade Relations at the Ministry of Industry, Trade and Green and Digital Economy of the Kingdom of Morocco), Mrs. Fatima Merzak (Head of Department of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation Directorate of Mashreq, the Gulf and Arab and Islamic Organizations at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs African Cooperation and Moroccan Expatriates of the Kingdom of Morocco), Representatives of the Embassies of the OIC Member States accredited to the Kingdom of Morocco as well as ICDT Partners in some Member countries : Turkey (Discover Events) , Malaysia (OICBC Malaysia), Senegal (CICES), Saudi Arabia (Al Harithy International Company), Tunisia (Tunisian Union of Agriculture and Fisheries) and the United Arab Emirates (Expo 2020 Dubai).

Also attended this meeting the representatives of SMIIC, SESRIC, ISESCO, the Islamic Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture (ICCIA), the International Islamic Trade Finance Corporation (ITFC), AIDMO and IMANOR.

On this occasion, ICDT Executives presented the intra-OIC trade trends and the impact of Covid-19, the Fairs and Exhibitions of OIC countries scheduled in 2021, ICDT's Forums and Seminars for 2021, the State of multilateral and regional Trade Negotiations regarding the OIC Member Countries as well as the trade information mechanisms established by the Centre for the benefit of Member States.