# PARTICIPATION FORM TOURIST WEEK

BAGHADAD -IRAQ, FROM 19 TO 24 November.2008

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#### INVITATION

Dear Mrs., Sir ...

Iraqi Tourism Board presents its compliments to the states receiving this note.

Iraqi Tourism institutions have worked hard to build a body suits the cultu and tourist legacy, along with the history of a Country that extends back for more that ten thousands years (B.C).

We are depending on a strong and studied bases willing to share the experiments from other countries, to show the role of tourism sector in the national economy.

Ministry of State for Tourism and Antiquities Affairs /Tourism Board hold Iraqi Tourism Week every year so we have the honor to invite you to participate in its activities for period (19<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> November 2008) under the motto "Tourism is a portal for world peace and security".

 $\label{lem:continuous} Attached application forms and the programme of the Participation in many tourist activities and investments opportunities \;\;.$ 

Please accept our best regards,

Sincerely,

Humoud M. AL-Yakoubi

Chairman of Tourism Board

# (Tourism is a Portal for World Peace and Security)

# Iraqi Tourism Board is holding The Iraqi Tourist Week

(Baghdad 19-24 November 2008)

# Information:

#### First :Place and Date Street

Under the sponsorship of Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities of Iraq, Iraqi Tourism Board is holding Iraqi Tourist Week in Baghdad, the capital, from 19 -24 November 2008

-The opening ceremony will be on Wednesday19 November 2008 in Ishtar hotel at 10 am at the same place of meetings, fairs and other activities.

-the activities of the week include seminars about tourist investment in Iraq where wide spheres and great reality for all fields of investment opportunities.

.There are many tours and visits to many provinces, in addition to opening tourist exhibitions.

**Ishtar Sheraton Hotel** 

Baghdad - Iraq

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#### Second : Accepting the invitations

- The deadline of accepting the invitations and registration forms and esponses is Monday 10 Nov 2008.

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#### Third: Participants

Iraqi government will take all the important and necessary procedures to facilitate the arrival ,departure and residence of participants .All the participants will enjoy privileges and immunities which were agreed between Iraq and the Organization (WTO),according to item (32) from the basic regulation of the Organization.

#### Fourth: Entry Visa

All the invitees should be proceed their Visa procedures by contacting Iraqi embassy in their countries. Those who aren't have consulate or embassy or Iraqi diplomatic mission in their countries they can get visa at Baghdad international Airport or by Iraqi embassy in Amman.

#### Fifth: Reception at the Airport

There will be tourist reception office at Baghdad international airport to escort them from the airport to Ishtar Sheraton Hotel.

#### Sixth: Accommodation

The accommodation of participants and delegations will be at Ishtar Sheraton Hotel (five stars) hotel located near Dijla river in the middle of Baghdad. All the participants are kindly requested to fill in the application form and send it on the extend date 10 Nov 2008.

#### Seventh: Information and registration

The registration office will be on the ground floor (front office )in Ishtar Sheraton hotel on Tuesday 18/11/2008.

Nov 9:00 am till 1:0 pm and from 3:0 pm till 7:00 pm Badges will be handed to participants after their registration .

#### Note:

All the participants are kindly requested to hold badges during the meetings and tours.

#### Languages:

English and Arabic will be used during the activities and interpretations are available as well.

#### Iraqi Tourism Week Program

#### 19th November

- 8.30 9.30 am. / registration
- 10.00 12.00 am. / opening ceremony
- 12.00 13.00 pm./ The opening of tourism picture exhibition
- 13.00 -14.30 pm./ lunch
- 15.0 17.00 pm. / break
- 17. 00 18.30 pm. / evening tourism tour
- 18.00 pm./ dinner

## 20th November

- 9.00 11.00 am./ workshop
- 11. 00 11. 30 am./ rest for Drinking Tea and Coffee
- 11. 30 13. 30 am./ tourism Tour in Baghdad
- 13. 00 15.00 pm./ lunch
- 15.00 17.00 pm./ break
- 17.00 18.30 pm./ evening tourism tour
- 18. 30 20.00 pm./ dinner

#### 21st November

- 8.00 10.30 am./ heading to Babylon City
- 10. 30 12.00 am./ tourism tour in an ancient Babylon
- 12.00 14.00 pm./ meeting with Babylon governorate Council
- 14.00 15.30 pm./ lunch
- 15.30 17.00 pm./ break

## 22<sup>nd</sup> . November

- 9.00 10.00 am. / meeting with Al Najaf Governorate Council
- 10.00 11.00 am. / free tourism tour in AL Najaf Governorate
- 11.00 12.00 am. / heading to holly Karbala Governorate
- 12.00 13.00 am. / break
- 13.00 -14.30 pm. / Lunch
- 14.30 15.30 pm. / free tour in the Governorate
- 15.30 17.00 pm. / meeting with Karbala Governorate
- 17.00 18.30 pm. / Diner

# 23rd November

9.00 - 11.00 am. / back to Baghdad

11.00 - 12.00 am. / break

12.00 - 13.00 am. / free tour

13.00 - 14.30 pm. / lunch

14.30 - 16.30 pm. / tourism tour

17.30 - 19.00 pm. / closing session with closing ceremony

# 24th November

DEPARTUER