

Doing Business with the USA



Ведение бизнеса с США

U.S. Government Resources and Initiatives

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OPIC

- Overseas Private Investment Corporation
- Supports U.S. Companies Investing Abroad
 - Financing
 - Political Risk Insurance
 - Investment Funds
- Local OPIC beneficiaries: Hyatt and Katel
- www.opic.gov



Ex-Im Bank

- Export-Import Bank of the United States
- Finance export of U.S. goods and service by filling gaps not covered by private lenders:
 - Pre-export financing
 - Export credit insurance
 - Loan guarantees and direct loans (buyer financing)
- Available for goods exported to the Kyrgyz Republic for a term of up to seven years
- www.exim.gov



Country Commercial Guide (CCG)

- Advice to Potential U.S. Exporters & Investors
- Top Sectors:
 - Food processing/packaging equipment
 - Hotel/restaurant equipment
 - Mining industry equipment
 - Non-Ferrous Metals
 - Travel/Tourism Services
 - Textile Machinery/Equipment



Commercial News

- Bimonthly publication listing:
 - Upcoming trade shows
 - Franchising opportunities
 - Distributorships
 - New items for import
- Variety of products identified
- Free publication available at the U.S. Embassy, AmCham or www.export.gov/cnusa



Cochran Fellowship Program

- U.S. Department of Agriculture Program
- Training in the United States for government officials and private sector entrepreneurs involved in:
 - Agricultural trade, agribusiness, management, policy and/or marketing
- Industry visits, on-the-job training, seminars
- Kyrgyz Republic 2009: animal and plant health
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