

## **GLASSTECHNOLOGY INDIA 2008 TO BE HELD IN NEW DELHI**

From December 5 – 7, 2008, Glasstechnology India 2008, 6<sup>th</sup> International Glass Technology Trade Fair for the Indian Subcontinent, will be staged at the Pragati Maidan exhibition center in New Delhi. The event will be jointly organized by ZAK Trade Fairs & Exhibitions Pvt. Ltd. and Messe Düsseldorf, renowned as the organizer of glasstec – the world's leading international trade fair for the glass industry.

Exhibit categories at Glasstechnology India 2008 will include glass production, glass processing and finishing, glass products and applications, tools and replacement parts as well as testing and control equipment. The exhibits will be complemented by technology seminars, industry workshops and an international pavilion as well as the "Buyer-Seller Meet" and the "Tech Podium".

Due to the New Delhi venue, Glasstechnology India will be able to accommodate more exhibitors and the organizers expect over 450 exhibitors to participate in the 2008 event. At the show's last staging in 2007 in Mumbai, 214 exhibitors from 16 countries showcased their products on 60,700 square feet of net exhibit space to 5,914 visitors from 26 nations.

Glasstechnology India is the ideal platform to enter the rapidly growing Indian market and the leading hub for all SAARC countries (Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka). The booming Indian economy stimulates the glass consumption and high growth is expected in the construction (9%), automotive (19%), consumer goods (10 – 12%) and pharmaceuticals industry (12 – 15%).

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