

AFRICAN FREE ZONES LATEST NEWS





Ethiopia - Ethiopia's latest industrial park is located in the Oromia region + Other upcoming industrial parks.

Ethiopia inaugurated the Adama Industrial Park in the Oromia region. An important addition to a network of sustainable eco-industrial parks, ready for plug & play $\underline{i} nvestment.$ Other upcoming industrial parks include Dire Dawa, Mekelle, Kombolcha, Kilinto, Arerti, Bole Lemi II and Debre Berhan Industrial Parks.



Nigeria - Nigerian government to create special economic zones in 6 geo-political regions

The Nigerian Federal Government has stated its determination to develop world-class Special Economic Zones, SEZs, in each of the six geo-political regions of the $\,$ country by partnering with the state governments and the private sector.



Morocco - The Export Free Zone of Souss-Massa, region of Agadir, on track

Morocco - The Souss-Massa Export Free Zone project in the Agadir region is taking shape. The platform will enhance the attractiveness of the region and attract export-oriented and job-creating activities. It will cover 300 hectares and provide access to industrial land with international standards and competitive prices. This free zone will comprise 11 sectors, including the naval industry, whose infrastructure will commit nearly 500 \mbox{M} EUR of investment at the national level.

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Morocco - Strategic partnership between Morocco and Quebec in the aerospace industry

Morocco, represented by the Ministry of Industry and GIMAS, has signed a partnership agreement with Aéro Montréal, Quebec's aerospace cluster. This agreement aims to identify opportunities to take part in

international and local projects and programs, as well as opportunities for rapprochement between Moroccan and Quebec companies, with the aim of supporting the consolidation of supply chains.



Rwanda - Indian firms in Rwanda are active in textiles, pharma, manufacturing

pharmaceuticals, mining sector, tea, agriculture, manufacturing sectors, auto components, engineering, etc, said the High Commissioner of Rwanda, in India at an interactive meeting in World Trade Centre Mumbai. He saidRwanda has seen the growth of irrigation, industrial parks, Special Economic Zones (SEZs) and opportunities for collaboration with India.







Gabon - VCC inks single window project In Gabon
Special Economic Zone, In Central Africa, Extending
CamelONE™ Platform's Connectivity to 15 countries
Singapore-based global trade facilitation platform
provider vCargo Cloud Pte. Ltd. ("VCC") has signed a
tripartite agreement with the Gabon Special Economic
Zone (GSEZ) and Singapore Cooperation Enterprise
(SCE) to develop a Single Electronic Window solution to

facilitate trade and increase trade efficiencies for "Nkok



Ghana - <u>UK investors target £1bn potential investment</u>
<u>deals in Ghana.Plans to conclude agreements to</u>
<u>support three major industrial parks in Ghana.</u>

The first UK-Ghana Investment Summit held in Accra brings progress on over £1 billion of deals that could boost trade and investment between the two countries and plans to conclude agreements to support three major industrial parks in Ghana, which will help attract anchor tenants and generate further investor interest in Ghana.





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