

Lithuanian Development Agency (LDA)

Enter Lithuania and experience truly international business expansion



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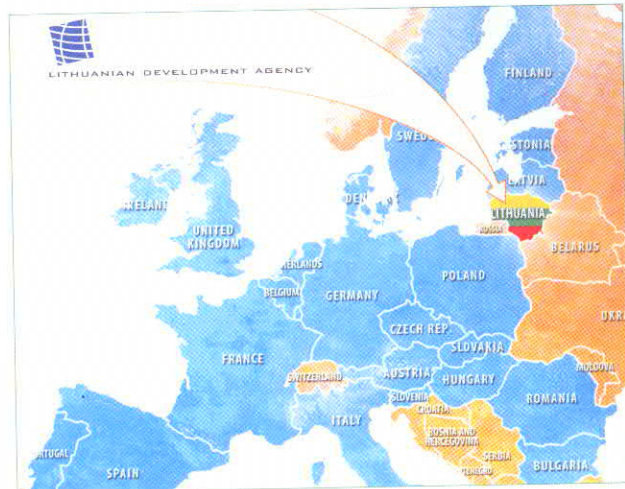
The Lithuanian Development Agency (LDA) is a public institution offering free-of-charge services for foreign companies looking for overseas investment opportunities, or searching for outsourcing partners in Lithuania – the largest Baltic country, right in the centre of Europe. LDA also provides a starting point for businesses who, as well as looking for a one-stop-shop business entrance to Lithuania, are keen to discover and experience even wider business expansion into surrounding geographical markets – rich Scandinavian, the fast-growing Baltic, vast Western European – all within a 500 km radius.

Companies like Indorama (Thailand), Dematic (Germany), RGE (UK), Stiga Games (Sweden), Christie Tyler (UK), Marzotto (Italy), and D-Boss (South Korea), Electrolux (Estonian division), Metso Paper (Sweden), Wako Bussan Co. (Japan), Wincor Nixdorf (Germany), Cerutti (Italy), Invacare Høgh (Denmark), Glendale Cabins (UK) amongst others, have utilized the services of LDA and have been successfully doing business with Lithuanians in Lithuania, enjoying international business success.

All of these companies, as well as such international giants as Microsoft, IBM, Philip Morris, HP, Siemens, SEB and Transcom Worldwide, have already discovered and taken advantage of the business-friendly Lithuanian market conditions:

- Excellent geographical location between northern, eastern and western markets;
- Prime transport centre in the region linking the EU with the East;
- Eastern Baltic highest-capacity ice-free seaport;
- One of the best-educated workforces in Central and Eastern Europe;
- Corporate income tax and overall tax burden one of the lowest in Europe;
- New Investment Promotion Programme providing numerous incentives;
- Most diversified industries in the Baltic States;
- Western quality of life.

From 2008, foreign companies are invited to discover even more advantages of doing business in the Lithuanian market. The government of Lithuania approved the new Investment Promo-



tion Programme for the years 2008–2013 on 19 December 2007, offering investors new investment incentives and even more favorable conditions for developing business in Lithuania.

LDA offers:

- Detailed information on investment incentives in Lithuania, provided in the new Investment Promotion Programme for the years 2008–2013;
- A-to-Z of information on the Lithuanian market (promising economic sectors, taxes, costs, legal issues, etc);
- Search for matching Lithuanian partners, building contact networks;
- Guidance through the investment location (sites/buildings) selection process;
- Organization of site and company visits;
- Planning and implementation of international business projects, organization of incoming and outgoing business missions;
- Public relations with Lithuanian and foreign mass media.

LDA warmly invites foreign businesses to use the opportunity to expand their activities into the booming Lithuanian market, a gateway to the rich Baltic Sea Region, and huge CIS as well as Western European markets.

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