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Press Note

GCCI Courtesy Meeting with Mr. Md Lutfor Rahman, Deputy High Commissioner Bangladesh to Mumbai on 31/01/2019 at 06:00 PM at GCCCI

- Gujarat Chamber of Commerce and Industry had organized a courtesy meeting with Mr. **Md Lutfor Rahman, Deputy High Commissioner Bangladesh to Mumbai.**
- Dr. Jaimin Vasa President, GCCCI welcomed Mr. Md Lutfor Rahman, Deputy High Commissioner Bangladesh to Mumbai. He shared about laurels of Farm to Fashion and success of Global Conclave of International & National Chambers of GCCCI during Vibrant Gujarat 2019. Dr. Jaimin Vasa gave draft MOU & requested to get it signed through Chamber & Federation of Bangladesh to increase bilateral business relations.
- Mr. Md Lutfor Rahman highlighted in his talk to develop trade relations in Inward Investment & Agriculture sectors. He mentioned to start immediate trade activities for promoting business in both the countries have to start sending business delegation, Participate in Trade Fairs etc..
- Mr. Md Lutfor Rahman, Deputy High Commissioner Bangladesh to Mumbai asked to organize a seminar with GCCCI & B2B meeting with entrepreneurs of Gujarat in the presence of Mr. **Syed Muazzem Ali**, High Commissioner, Bangladesh to New Delhi and business delegates from Dhaka.
- In meeting **Mr. Md Lutfor Rahman** had discussed about special Economic Zones developed by Bangladesh Economic Zones Authority (BEZA) for the Indian investors by providing attractive investment facilities in the economic zones through One-Stop service and competitive incentive packages.
- Indian manufactures have great business opportunities in Bangladesh due to benefits of Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) status, Low Cost Manpower, Easy approach to domestic market, easy goods transportation by two sea ports & online multiple long-term visa facility.

- Mr. Md Lutfor Rahman said that Bangladesh government is currently working to resolve challenges to take economy to the next level of development. Major challenges are Capacity development, Lack of institutions and governance, Power Shortage, Expediting financial sector reform etc..
- Dr. Jaimin Vasa had suggested to start direct flight from Ahmedabad to Dhaka. He also discussed about unethical duty-free advantages taken by other countries by using Bangladesh as a platform.
- Dr. Jaimin Vasa emphasized to send business delegation of Textile & Pharma sectors to Bangladesh.
- The meeting was concluded with Vote of Thanks by Dr. Jaimin Vasa, President.

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