



**The State of Qatar provides an  
attractive economic environment for  
investments**

# WHY QATAR?



**STRATEGIC LOCATION**



**BLESSED WITH  
EXCEPTIONAL OIL &  
GAS RESERVES**



**EXCELLENT TRANSPORT  
CONNECTIVITY**



**FAVORABLE BUSINESS  
ENVIRONMENT &  
COMMERCIAL  
LEGISLATION**

# STRATEGIC LOCATION BETWEEN EAST & WEST



**WORLD'S CENTER OF ECONOMIC GRAVITY IS MOVING FROM EUROPE TO ASIA, WHERE QATAR HAS A CENTRAL POSITIONING**

## **FROM QATAR**

- ALL THE MIDDLE EAST REGION IS ACCESSIBLE WITHIN 3 HOURS
- MAIN CENTERS OF EUROPE, ASIA AND AFRICA IS ACCESSIBLE WITHIN 6 HOURS



# Business Opportunities



Education

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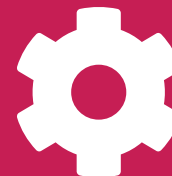
Lands allocated  
to private sector



Health

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Lands offered  
to private sector



Manufacturing

35<sub>mn</sub>

sqm free zones  
offered to private  
sector



# Business Opportunities



## Public Private Partnerships

Law is being finalized New projects in 2018-2019



## Logistics

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New zones developed  
New warehouses offered



## Utilities

New waste water, electricity,  
waste treatment projects

# Government Support



Enhanced cooperation  
with government  
agencies to provide an  
appropriate and  
efficient investment  
environment



Development of  
technological  
competence



Quality of infrastructure

# Investment Sectors



# Investment Incentives



- UP TO 100% FOREIGN OWNERSHIP FOR MOST SECTORS
- UP TO 10 YEARS INCOME TAX EXEMPTION FOR SELECTED INVESTMENT PROJECTS AND OTHER INDUSTRIAL AREAS
- CUSTOMS TAX AND FEE EXEMPTIONS FOR EQUIPMENT AND RAW MATERIAL IMPORTS
- FREE REPATRIATION OF CAPITAL AND PROFITS
- FREE TRANSFER OF COMPANY OWNERSHIP



# Steps to Submit a Non Qatari Investment Application



Preparing the necessary documents and paperwork by visiting the Ministry of Economy and Commerce website:  
[www.mec.gov.qa](http://www.mec.gov.qa)

Submitting the request electronically or through the single window at the Ministry of Economy and Commerce

The invest in Qatar Center reviews and evaluates the application

The application is referred with an initial recommendation to the Minister of Economy and Commerce for approval

**If approved, a commercial register is issued**

# Hamad International Airport



مطار حمد الدولي  
Hamad International Airport  
قطر QATAR





# HAMAD PORT

INVEST  
إستثمر في قطر



ميناء حمد  
HAMAD PORT



# QATAR AIRWAYS





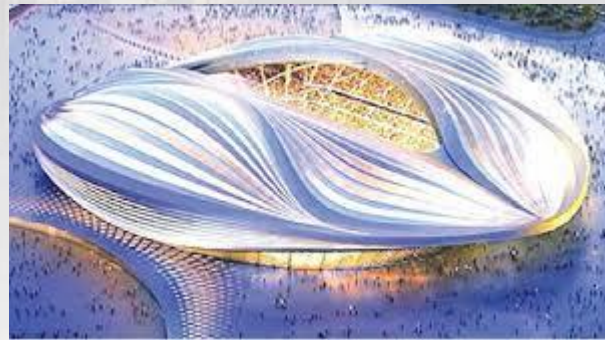
# QATAR RAIL



الريل RAIL



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# Thanks



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Ministry of Economy and Commerce