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# ISK-SODEX 2016 opens its doors in May with many new highlights

Eurovent, ISKID, and REHVA join forces to bring latest innovation and research to one of the world's major HVACR events / ISKID and Eurovent to host 'global industry reception'

Istanbul, 11 April 2016. The upcoming ISK-SODEX (4-7 May 2016) in Istanbul will offer many new highlights to its more than 80.000 expected visitors, including an ISKID/Eurovent 'Global Industry Reception' (4 May), and a 'Sustainable Indoor Climate Conference' (5 May). For the latter, Eurovent, ISKID<sup>1</sup>, and REHVA<sup>2</sup> team up to provide a dedicated session on the latest innovation and research in the area of Indoor Climate (HVAC), Process Cooling, and Food Cold Chain technologies.

ISK-SODEX is one of the most important events of our sector with on average 1.300 exhibitors. It is being organised by Deutsche Messe<sup>3</sup> in close cooperation with Turkish Eurovent member ISKID, TTMD, ISKAV and others. For the first time, the show will see a seminar programme titled 'Sustainable Indoor Climate Conference' following this year's exhibition theme. A dedicated session by Eurovent, ISKID, and REHVA will cover issues such as indoor environmental quality, heat recovery in ventilation units, evaporative cooling equipment, and measuring technologies.

Mr Morten Schmelzer, International Director of Eurovent, stated in this respect: 'Since its beginning, Turkish Eurovent members have supported the establishment and development of ISK-SODEX. Nowadays, it is being regarded as the key exhibition for the wider region, and Turkish manufacturers have become an essential part of our association and the global industry. We are proud to strengthen this partnership even further by contributing to this year's ISK-SODEX with dedicated seminar and by supporting ISKID in hosting a Global Industry Reception.'

The Eurovent association will be present with a lounge at this year's ISK-SODEX (Hall 2-5, Main Foyer, Booth 27]. The ISKID/Eurovent 'Global Industry Reception' on 4 May is going to welcome more than 100 leading representatives of the HVACR sector from Turkey, Europe, Asia and around the world for a gettogether in the Main Foyer. Further details are going to be published over the next couple of weeks on the new Eurovent homepage.

#### **Enclosed documents**

- Official conference leaflet by the exhibition organiser
- ISK-SODEX 2016 Official Brochure
- Eurovent, ISKID, ISD-SODEX and REHVA logo files
- PDF version of the Press Release
- Press photos

In order to obtain the enclosed documents, please refer to the online version of this Press Release on https://eurovent.eu/?q=documents/press-releases

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ISKID is Turkey's Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Manufacturers' Association, and a long-term member association of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> REHVA is the Federation of European Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Associations representing a network of more than 100.000 engineers from 26 countries. REHVA is the professional pan-European organisation dedicated to the improvement of health, comfort and energy efficiency in all buildings and communities.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Organiser of the renowned Hannover Messe.



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## **About Eurovent**

Europe's Industry Association for Indoor Climate, Process Cooling, and Food Cold Chain Technologies - thinking beyond 'HVAC&R'

Eurovent is Europe's Industry Association for Indoor Climate, Process Cooling, and Food Cold Chain Technologies. Its members from throughout Europe, the Middle East and Africa represent more than 1.000 companies, the majority small and medium-sized manufacturers. Based on objective and verifiable data, these account for a combined annual turnover of more than 30bn Euros, employing around 150.000 people within the association's geographic area. This makes Eurovent one of the largest cross-regional industry committees of its kind. The organisation's activities are based on highly valued democratic decision-making principles, ensuring a level-playing field for the entire industry independent from organisation sizes or membership fees.

Eurovent's roots date back to 1958. Over the years, the Brussels-based organisation has become a well-respected and known stakeholder that builds bridges between manufacturers it represents, associations, legislators and standardisation bodies on a national, regional and international level. While Eurovent strongly supports energy-efficient and sustainable technologies, it advocates a holistic approach that also integrates health, life and work quality as well as safety aspects. Eurovent holds indepth relations with partner associations around the globe. It is a founding member of the ICARHMA network, supporter of REHVA, and contributor to various EU and UN initiatives.

Our Members and 'Affiliated Manufacturers'





Our Members are national associations from Europe, the Middle East and Africa that are representing manufacturers in the area of Indoor Climate, Process Cooling, and Food Cold Chain technologies.



The more than 1000 companies within their networks (Eurovent 'Affiliated Manufacturers') can directly participate in Eurovent activities in a democratic and transparent manner.



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# **Our Corresponding Members**



Manufacturers from EMEA countries, which do not yet have a national association Member within the Eurovent network. Examples include:

Czech Republic United Kingdom

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United Kingdom







### Our Associate Members



Organisations that are engaged in activities related to the sectors the Eurovent association covers. Examples include:







