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**PRESS RELEASE**

## **Singapore Delegation visits TMK GIPI Mill in Sohar**

In its efforts to bolster new business opportunities in the Sultanate of Oman, the Ministry of Commerce and Industries have toured Singaporean delegation to visit the Industrial Estate in Sohar and TMK GIPI Mill have been nominated for the visit.

The delegation visitors, led by His Excellency Ahmed bin Hassan al Dheeb, Under-secretary of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry of Oman, His Excellency Mr. Ng Teck Hean, Foreign Deputy Secretary (Asia Pacific) from Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Singapore and His Excellency Mr. Teng Theng Dar, Non-Resident Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman, visited TMK Gulf International Pipe Industry in Sohar as part of the Oman-Singapore joint commit meeting in Sohar.

During the tour the delegation visited the TMK GIPI facility, getting acquainted with its state-of-the-art machinery and equipment.

Vladimir I Shcherbatykh, TMK GIPI CEO, said, “Our endeavor has always been to offer our clients the best quality products and services. This meeting with the Singapore Delegation gave us the opportunity to showcase our high quality products. Our focus has always been to provide our local operators as well as our Regional & International clients with best in class service with strong focus in maintaining high discipline on quality, safety, security and environment”.

TMK Gulf International Pipe Industry (TMK GIPI) was established as a Limited Liability Company in Sultanate of Oman in January 2007. TMK GIPI is the first manufacturer of High Pressure Steel Line Pipes and Casing Pipes in Oman and the first mill in MENA region and sub-continent of India to manufacture high pressure 24” Electric Resistance Welded (ERW) Steel Pipes.

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*For further information regarding TMK, please, visit [www.tmk-group.com](http://www.tmk-group.com) as well as download the YouTube iPad application from the App Store <https://itunes.apple.com/ru/app/yourtube/id516074932?mt=8&ls=1>*

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## TMK ([www.tmk-group.com](http://www.tmk-group.com))

TMK (LSE: TMKS) is a leading global manufacturer and supplier of steel pipes for oil and gas industry, operating 27 production sites in the United States, Russia, Canada, Romania, Oman and Kazakhstan with two R&D centers in Russia and the USA. In 2016, TMK's pipe shipments totalled 3.46 million tonnes. The largest share of TMK's sales belongs to high margin oil country tubular goods (OCTG), shipped to customers in over 80 countries. TMK delivers its products along with an extensive package of services in heat treating, protective coating, premium connections threading, warehousing and pipe repairing.

TMK's securities are listed on the London Stock Exchange, the OTCQX International Premier trading platform in the U.S. and on the Moscow Exchange MICEX-RTS.

### *TMK's assets structure by division:*

- Russian division:
  - Volzhsky Pipe Plant;
  - Seversky Tube Works;
  - Taganrog Metallurgical Works;
  - Sinarsky Pipe Plant;
  - TMK-CPW;
  - TMK-Kaztrubprom;
  - TMK-INOX;
  - TMK-Premium Service;
  - TMK Oilfield Services.
- American division:
  - 12 plants of TMK IPSCO;
  - TMK Completions.
- European division:
  - TMK-ARTROM;
  - TMK-RESITA.
- Middle East Division:
  - TMK GIPI (Oman).

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