



10th International Exhibition of Internal State Security

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Under the Auspices of His Highness the Emir Milipol Qatar 2014 Opens



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Prominent personalities and guests from different countries attend the opening ceremony.

The 10th edition of the exhibition covers an area of more than 6000 square meters.

Under the auspices of His Highness Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al Thani, the Emir of Qatar, the Ministry of Interior is organizing tenth edition of Milipol Qatar from 20 to 22 October 2014. This international exhibition is unique of its kind in the Middle East region where the latest products by international companies in the field of

internal security are exhibited. In this edition , 261 companies from 36 countries are exhibiting their products and there are many companies that participate for the first time. As well, a bunch of important personalities renowned in the field of internal security from the GCC, regional and international levels will be attending the exhibition.

Exhibition Schedule Monday, 20 - Wednesday 22 October 2014 From 10 am - 6 pm





Brig. Nasser bin Fahad Al Thani, Chairman of Milipol Committee

Milipol Qatar is the Only Exhibition in the Middle East Specialized in Internal Security



The tenth edition of Milipol comes in the background of success after success without interruption, alternating every two years with Milipol Paris and the great efforts were exerted by the organizing committee to maintain this success. To elaborate these efforts and the preparations for the new edition of Milipol Qatar, we had an interview with Brigadier Nasser bin Fahad Al Thani, Chairman of Milipol Qatar Committee.



After 18 years of Milipol establishment in partnership with Paris, do its objectives still prevalent?

Certainly, the objectives are still prevalent. The Milipol Qatar is the only specialized exhibition in the Middle East in internal security, and since its establishment in 1996, it's in constant evolution by virtue of the partnership between Qatar and France. By grace of the God Almighty Allah, during this long period, the Ministry of Interior in Qatar could create a leading and advanced position for Milipol Qatar, as it became the only exhibition in the Middle East concerned with internal security.

Several companies from 32 countries are participating in this expo. The number of exhibiting companies reached 261 three weeks before its opening and it shows the growth of 7% in number of exhibitors as in 2012, the exhibitors were 244. They cover an area of more than 6055 square meters with an increase of 12% compared with Milipol 2012. There are well-known companies that have participated before, and new companies that will participate

for the first time from Belarus and Finland. There are six international pavilions - Italy, Britain, Brazil, France, Germany-Austria and North America. The biggest pavilion as per the area covered is North American which is 231 m2. Given the number of companies, the British pavilion is the biggest one with 24 companies.

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Some friendly countries participate in Milipol Qatar continuously such as France, Germany, Britain and US. The advantage of this exhibition is in variety of its products and the participation of companies from other countries that didn't participate before, or the countries that participated before in previous sessions and then

stopped and returned again this year to participate, such as Brazil. This variety is very important for decision makers and visitors.

What about participation of local companies and institutions in the exhibition?

59 entities including local companies and government bodies are participating in this edition of Milipol Qatar. Most notable among them is 'Rail'. Rail is one of the new companies that participate for the first time. We are much interested in their participation in Milipol 2014, as they are concerned with the construction of railways and Metrorail which is very large and important project in the State. They are in need of surveillance cameras and other security devices to secure different railway stations that will spread throughout Qatar. Milipol Qatar will provide them a good opportunity to get introduced with other companies and interact with them on their actual needs of security logistics.





What about the programmes of new edition, its main events and associated activities?

Although we had held associated conferences of the exhibition outside its venue, it affected to miss the attendees of conferences to visit the exhibition. More visits and participations are much important for the exhibition that would help them to know the latest products of the companies exhibited. Most of the companies come from different countries taking big efforts to exhibit their products. Thus, the committee is committed to provide them good atmosphere to showcase their products. If there was enough space to organize exhibition and associated activities at same time, the committee would prefer it. But we will focus to hold only the exhibition till the completion of National Exhibition Centre near the City centre with larger area and more facilities.

There are latest and new products that enter the market for the first time in order to meet the requirements of the security agencies in any place.

This year, the exhibition will be held in straight shift without a break in the afternoon as it was before. The exhibition will be open from 10 am to 6 pm. The companies participated in the previous editions had urged us to change to the new timing in accordance with the international exhibitions. The exhibition will work from the time of opening of the gate till their closure. It was a problem we faced during the past years.

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Anyone who watches the security situations in the Middle East would notice the need for states to maintain more security, and thus for modern security equipment. Will Milipol Qatar meet those needs?

All the companies participating in the exhibition will showcase their latest products. We should keep in mind that, all international companies are in big competition and meet losses and profits. I hope that there will be the latest products appeared in the market to meet the needs of security agencies anywhere. As well, we hope that these agencies would work mainly for the departments of the Ministry of Interior in Qatar to modernize their devices and services for the people. I hope that this exhibition will meet all the needs and requirements of the visitors coming from the Middle East and other countries as well.

'Rail' is the most prominent local company participating for the first time.

What is the specialty of Milipol Qatar 2014 if we consider other international exhibitions in the region?

Milipol Qatar exhibition specializes in internal security, and works to meet the needs of the ministries of the interior for the apparatus and equipment that contribute in the maintenance of security and the fight against crime, to achieve internal security. The security people will

find latest products they require in Milipol Qatar. The other exhibitions in the region are specialized in defense requirement and commercial products, whereas the jurisdiction of the Milipol Qatar is the products of internal security. What distinguishes us from other exhibitions is that it's exclusively for internal security, which has become a priority for all countries in the world.

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What about the range of the participation of the Ministry of Interior and Internal Security Force (Lekhwiya) in the Expo?.

Some departments of the Ministry of Interior will be participating with stands in the pavilion specialised for them such as the Gen. Directorate of Coasts and Borders Security, Gen. Directorate of Information Systems, National Command Centre (NCC), Criminal Evidences and Information Dept., Al Adied Service of Preventive Security Dept., Community Police, Communications Dept., Milipol Qatar, Industrial Security Affairs Dept. Along with the Ministry, the Internal Security Force (Lekhwiya) is also participating in the expo. In addition to this, officials from all departments of the Ministry will be visiting the expo for learning about the latest products showcased by the companies. The Ministry has allocated 10 million Qatari Riyals cash for the departments for the direct purchase of products needed by the Depts. from this expo in coordination with the director of Procurement Department Brig. Saud Al Shafi.



Story of Milipol

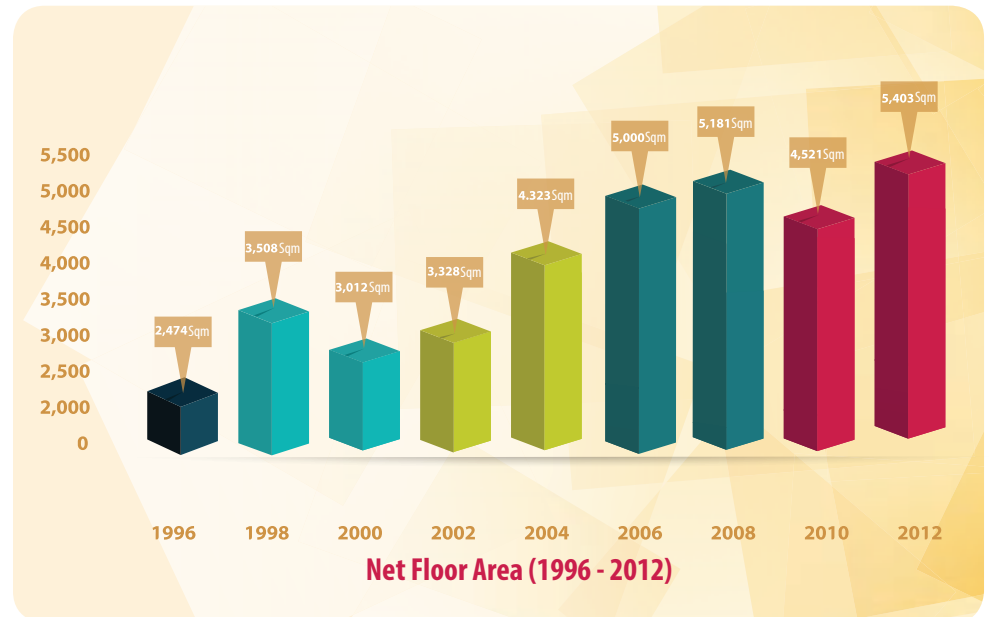
The first Milipol Qatar was launched in November 1996 which is organized every two years alternating with Milipol Paris. The first edition of Milipol was a great success because of its systematic organization and planned preparations in addition to the active participation. It could bring about Qatar to build a good reputation at regional and international levels. The Milipol 1996 witnessed the participation of 196 companies from local, Arab and international

sectors and achieved its objectives that won to ratify the affection of all participants to their homeland and healthy competition for the sake of its advancement and development. Throughout the successful editions of Milipol Qatar in 18 years (1996, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012), it made huge development in each edition that exhibited the latest internal security products. This is the 10th edition of Milipol in which a total of 257 companies from 36 countries

will exhibit their newest security devices. This comes as a result of the efforts of Milipol Qatar Committee to promote and advertise it through their visits to many international exhibitions like Intersec Dubai, International Exhibition for Security and National Resilience (ISNR) in Abu Dhabi, Defence Services Asia Exhibition & Conference (DSA) in Kuala Lumpur, Counter Terror Expo in UK, Sofex Jordan, International Exhibition of Land Defense Activities in France and German Expo.

Milipol Qatar in Brief

Milipol Qatar, the international exhibition of internal state security, is the first of its kind in the Middle East. It is considered as one of the major security exhibitions in the region and is distinctive for its focus in security field. While many of the exhibitions focus on different fields such as internal security, safety of companies and civil defence, all the participating companies and exhibitors of Milipol focus one area only, which is internal security. For this reason, all the editions of Milipol Qatar attracted personnel of interior ministries from the friendly and brotherly countries to familiarize with the latest products of local and international companies in this field that would help to maintain security in their countries.



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