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ê The ‘Four Motors for Europe’ delegation in India: the best of European environmental expertise

Six major Regions from Europe, Baden-Württemberg (Germany), Catalonia (Spain), Lombardy (Italy), Rhône-Alpes (France), Flanders (Belgium) and Wales (United Kingdom) are coming to India with political leaders, performing companies, scientific consultants, to share their environmental expertise and technologies.

The Regions of the ‘Four Motors for Europe’, all leading Regions in their respective countries, share many common features, such as economic power, expertise in leading-edge sectors, research potential, renowned Schools and Universities, tourist appeal, and strong environmental ambitions.

They decided to run joint actions, under a unique cooperation venture called ‘Four Motors for Europe’, to promote their economic and environmental potential within the European Union and outside its borders.

In India, the ‘Four Motors for Europe’ delegation will take part in the ‘FICCI Environment Conclave’ at the Federation House in New Delhi, next 20 & 21st of February 2007, with business-to-business meetings, political interventions, best practices, and new business opportunities.

Highlights on the inaugural day, the 20th of February:

¶ 10.00 am: **Official opening** in presence of the ‘Four Motors for Europe’ delegation
Special Adress of Mr Jean BESSON, Head of European Delegation, French Senator

¶ 11.00 am: **Official inauguration of the Exhibition** by the political Indian and European representatives

¶ 11.30 am: **Euro-India debate conference with the Press** – ‘Implementing Sustainable Development in public policies’

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