



Press Release World Federation of Diamond Bourses

For immediate release, 27 June: The fast expanding number of trade shows and exhibitions held across the world has often been scheduled in such a way that it is problematical for individuals from various religious groups to participate due to the events taking place on religious days.

After being approached by the World Federation of Diamond Bourses (WFDB) some of the international trade fair organisers have taken these religious dates into consideration when scheduling these events and on behalf of our members we want to extend our thanks to these organisations.

The Federation would like to call on all industry trade shows to please be sensitive to dates that might fall on religious days as this would exclude some individuals from participating in these events.

During the recent 36th World Diamond Congress plans were put in place for the participation of members under the brand of the WFDB at the Bangkok jewellery show. Arrangements are also being finalised with shows such JCK Las Vegas to enable members of the Federation to attend without having to rely on invitations from retailers or manufacturers as they are key players in the supply chain. The WFDB trusts that similar arrangements will be made with all major shows across the world.