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General Information on The Rakhine State Investment Fair

1. Background

The Rakhine State Investment Fair is headed by Rakhine State Government and Myanmar Investment Commission (MIC), jointly organized by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) and Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) and supported by Myanmar Survey Research (MSR), Parami Energy Group of Companies, Mango Media Group, Blue Ocean Operating Management and JTB Polestar Co Ltd.

2. Venue and Date

The Rakhine State Investment Fair will be held at Jasmine Ngapali Resort Hotel, Ngapali Beach, Thandwe Township, Rakhine State from February 21, 2019 to February 23, 2019. There will be Networking Event and Dinner (February 21, 2019 – 18:00 pm to 20:30 pm), Business Exhibition (February 22, 2019 – 08:00 am to 16:00 pm), the Investment Seminar (February 22, 2019 – 09:00 am to 1:00 pm), Business Matching (February 22, 2019 – 14:00 pm to 16:00 pm) and the Site Visit Tour (February 23, 2019).

3. Registration

We would like to request you to register at www.investrakhine.com/registration/ not later than February 8, 2019. If you need further assistant, please contact to the following persons.

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4. Transportation

Yangon–Ngapali Trip: There are 2 types of transportation from Yangon to Ngapali Beach – Air Transportation and Road Transportation. It takes 1-2 hours to fly from Yangon to Ngapali Beach according to flight schedule and 14-16 hours to drive. Air Transportation is recommended as road transportation is very long and not comfortable as it is needed to cross Rakhine Yoma (Mountains).

Ngapali–Yangon Trip: Flight is also a recommendation to go back from Ngapali Beach to Yangon

Please kindly see below rates for flight information:

From	To	Airline Name	Departure Time	Arrival Time	Price Foreigner (USD)	Price Local (USD)	Via	Day
Yangon	Thandwe	KBZ Airline	13:30	14:20	115	75		20-2-2019
Yangon	Thandwe	Mann Yadanarpon Airline	11:50	12:40	90	48		21-2-2019
Thandwe	Yangon		12:55	15:15	90	48	Sittwe	23-2-2019
Yangon	Thandwe	Golden Myanmar Airline	11:30	12:20	93	75		21-2-2019
Thandwe	Yangon		12:35	14:55	93	75	Sittwe	23-2-2019
Yangon	Thandwe	Myanmar National Airways	07:05	07:50	117	65		21-2-2019
Thandwe	Yangon		11:55	12:40	117	65		23-2-2019

To get the above special rates, please kindly contact to our Official Tour Partner: JTB Polestar Co Ltd at the below contact information.

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Tel (Yangon):	95 9 690506938, 31166046, 789298575, 791260433		
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	operation2@jtb-pst.com	Ms Mya Yoon Mo	Asian & Myanmar
Office Address:	#501, 5 th floor, Treasure Residence, 82/A, Sayarsan Street, Bahan Township, Yangon		
Website:	www.jtb-pst.com/		

Remark: Youths from Rakhine State will welcome the attendees to Rakhine State Investment Fair with shuttle buses from respective hotels.



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5. Accommodation

All the attendees have to make own arrangement of accommodation including hotel booking. The following are the hotel room rates and necessary information of some hotels from Ngapali Beach. On booking at the hotel, the attendee needs to show the invitation letter from the organization committee to attend “Rakhine State Investment Fair” in order to get the following special room rates.

1. Jasmine Ngapali Resort Hotel (Venue of the Investment Fair)

Special Room rate for Rakhine State Investment Fair 2019	
Type of rooms	Special Room Rate (USD)
Deluxe Room (Twin/Dbl bed type)	90
Junior Suite Garden View (Twin/Dbl bed type)	132
Junior Suite Sea View (Twin/Dbl bed type)	144
Ocean View Villa (Dbl bed type)	180
Beach Front Pool Villa (Dbl bed type)	258

Note: Mentioned above rates are included breakfast/tax/service. All rooms are nonsmoking.

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Hotel Address:	Gaut Village, Ngapali Beach, Thandwe Township, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 9 769797971		
Website:	www.jasminengapali.com		



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2. Amara Ocean Resort (Ngapali)

Corporate Room Rate for Accommodation from Feb 21, 2019 to Feb 24, 2019		
Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Bungalow Beach Front	15	220
Bungalow Sea View (Second Row)	9	200
Bungalow Duplex (Second Row)	4	190
Extra Bed		70

Above room rates are inclusive of breakfast, airport transfers, Government tax and service charges. The rates are non-commissionable.

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Hotel Address:	Gaut Village, Ngapali Beach, Thandwe Township, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 9 444205030, 968899001		
Website:	www.amaragroupmyanmar.com		

3. Hilton Ngapali

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Deluxe	22	185
Lagoon Suite	11	230
Ocean View Villa	18	345

Above room rates are inclusive of breakfast, airport transfers, Government tax and service charges.

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Hotel Address:	No 2, Airport Street, Zee Phyu Gone Village, Ngapali Beach		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 2042130		
Website:	https://www3.hilton.com/en/hotels/myanmar/hilton-ngapali-resort-and-spa-SNWNBHI/index.html		

4. Aureum Palace Hotel (Ngapali Beach)

Daily Room Rate for Accommodation from Jan 11, 2019 to Mar 31, 2019		
Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Garden View Cottage	36	180
Ocean View Cottage	5	230
Executive Cottage (Private Swimming Pool)	1	350
Extra Bed		40

Note: Rates quoted herein are inclusive of 10% service charge and thereafter 5% tax.

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Hotel Address:	Mya Pyin Village, Thandwe Township, Ngapali Beach, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 42412~3		
Website:	www.htoohospitality.com		

5. Amata Resort & Spa (Ngapali Beach)

Type of rooms	Special Room Rate
	USD per night
Garden View (Superior)	125
Garden View (Deluxe)	150
Garden View (Cabana Cottage)	210
Seaview (Grand Cabana Seaview)	380

Note: All rates are inclusive of 5% government tax and 10% service charge. Complimentary two ways airport transfer and kindly provide flight information ahead for our own preparation.



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	operation2@jtb-pst.com	Ms Mya Yoon Mo	Asian & Myanmar
Hotel Address:	Mya Pyin Village, Thandwe Township, Ngapali Beach, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 42177, 42188, 42199		
Website:	https://amataresort.com		

6. Pristine Marmaid (Ngapali)

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Mermaid Suite (Beach Front 1 st Row)	7	310
Ngapali Villa (Sea View the 2 nd Row)	None	190
Ngapali Cottage (Sea View the 2 nd Row)	4	180
Ngapali Cottage (Garden View the 3 rd Row)	6	160

Please kindly see the following contact information for reservation:

Contact person:	Mrs. Nu Zarni Wai, Assistant Sales Manager
Address:	# 205, Bldg. A, Diamond Condo, Pyay Road, Kamaryut Township, Yangon, Myanmar
Tel (Yangon):	95 1 503733, 501280
Mobile:	95 9 403372727
Fax:	95 1 501280
Email:	corp.sales@pristinelotus.com
Website:	www.pristinelotus.com

7. Bayview – The Beach Resort

Type of rooms	Special Room Rate
	USD per night
Deluxe Garden View Room	120
Deluxe Garden View Bungalow	120



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Hotel Address:	205 Hgnet Pyaw Khaung Kwin, Lin Thar, Ngapali, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 42299, 42300		
Website:	www.bayview-myanmar.com		

8. BT Bay (Ngapali Beach)

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate	
		USD per night	MMK per night
Superior	32	100	100,000
The Loft	5	150	150,000
Suite	2	160	160,000
Executive Suite	2	200	200,000
Extra Bed	41	55	50,000
Extra Breakfast		10	16,000

Note: Rates are net, inclusive of 5 % government tax, 10% service charge, breakfast and non-commissionable.

Please kindly see the following contact information for reservation:

Contact person:	Ms. Hla Hla Myint, Director of Sales
Address:	No. 7, Than Lwin Road, Kamayut Township, Yangon, Myanmar
Tel (Yangon):	95 1 536562
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Website:	www.bawgatheiddhihotel.com



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9. Thande Beach Hotel (Ngapali Beach)

Corporate Room Rate for Accommodation from Feb 21, 2019 to Feb 24, 2019		
Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Beach Front Deluxe (Sea View)	3	190
Deluxe Bungalow (Partial Sea View)	3	165
Deluxe Building (Partial Sea View)	4	150
Deluxe Garden View (2 Storey Building)	10	125
Standard Apartment (2 Storey Building) (Cannot Allow Extra Bed)	14	90
Extra Bed		45

Note: Above room rate of Thande Beach Hotel (Ngapali) quoted are net and including facilities as Airport Transfer (Pick Up/ Drop Off), Breakfast, Swimming Pool, Service Charges and Government Tax.

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Hotel Address:	Shwe War Chaing, Mya Pyin Village, Thandwe Township, Ngapali Beach, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 2042178~9, 2042278~9		
Website:	thandehotel.com/Ngapali/		



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10. Pleasant View Resort @ Ngapali Beach

High Season (December 1, 2018 to February 28, 2019)			
Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate	
		Foreigner	Local
		USD per night	MMK per night
Deluxe Double or Twin (Storey Building)	14	80	100,000
Deluxe Pool View (Storey Building)	16	120	150,000
Deluxe Beach Front Sea View (1 st Row Sea View) (Storey Building)	14	150	170,000
Deluxe Beach Front Sea View (1 st Row Sea View) (Bungalow)	10	170	200,000
Deluxe Beach Front Sea View (Family Bungalow – 4 pax Standard)	2	250	-
Extra Bed		50	50,000

Note: These are non-commissionable, inclusive of daily breakfast, service charges, government tax and round-trip airport transfer.

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	operation2@jtb-pst.com	Ms Mya Yoon Mo	Asian & Myanmar
Hotel Address:	Mya Pyin Main Street, Mya Pyin Village, Thandwe Township, Ngapali Beach, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 42224~6, 42251, 42473		
Website:	www.pvrngapali.com		



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11. Lin Thar Oo Lodge

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate	
		Foreigner	Local
		USD per night	MMK per night
Sea View – Deluxe wooden bungalow	19	90	108,000
Garden View – Two stories building	14	50	60,000
Extra Bed		25 - 30	30,000 – 36,000

Note: Above room rates include government tax, service charge and breakfast. The rates are non-commissionable. (Net Rate)

Please kindly see the following contact information for reservation:

Contact person:	Mrs. Sandar Win
Address:	No. 42-46, 52th Street (Lower Block), Botahtaung Township, Yangon, Myanmar
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Mobile:	95 9 978740402, 421094243
Email:	lintharoohotel.ngapali@gmail.com
Website:	www.lintharoo-ngapali.com

12. Ngapali Paradise Hotel

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Deluxe	15	185

Above room rates are inclusive of breakfast, airport transfers, Government tax and service charges.

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Hotel Address:	Ngapali Main Road, Zee Phyu Gone, Ngapali Beach		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 2042540, 2042541		
Website:	www.ngapaliparadisehotel.com		



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13. River Top Lodge

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate	
		Foreigner	Local
		USD per night	MMK per night
Standard Building	40	65	50,000
Superior Bungalow	7	80	60,000
Extra Bed			25,000

Note: Room rates inclusive of breakfast, service & government taxes.

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Hotel Address:	Mya Pyin Village, Ngapali Beach, Thandwe Township, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 2042060~61		
Website:	www.rivertoplodge.com		

14. Silver Beach Hotel (Ngapali)

Type of rooms	Special Room Rate	
	Foreigner	Local
	USD per night	MMK per night
Lotus front (1 Dbl)	60	60,000
Lotus back (1 Dbl)	50	50,000
Jasmine (1 Dbl)	75	75,000
Orchid (1 Dbl)	100	100,000

Please kindly see the following contact information for reservation:

Contact person:	Mr. Myat Ko Ko Oo, Manager
Address:	Room-S(8) Top Floor, North Wing, Aung San Stadium, Mingalar Taungnyunt Township, Yangon
Tel (Yangon):	95 1 242652, 381898, 255861, 95 9 73203584
Tel (Ngapali):	95 43 42266, 42277, 42288
Email:	rsv@silverbeachngapali.com
Website:	www.silverbeachngapali.com



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15. Jade Marina

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Deluxe	2	110
Garden View Villa	5	197

Above room rates are inclusive of breakfast, airport transfers, Government tax and service charges.

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Hotel Address:	Ngapali Beach, Mya Pyin, Thandwe Township, Rakhine State		
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 2042430, 2042432		
Website:	www.jademarinaresorts.com		

16. Famous Hotel Ngapali

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Garden Deluxe	40	65

Above room rates are inclusive of breakfast, airport pickup only, 7USD per way for drop off (3 clients per time), Government tax and service charges.

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Tel (Ngapali)	95 9 450581267, 95 43 42150		
Website:	www.famoushotelngapali.com		



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17. The Art of Sand

Type of rooms	No of available rooms	Special Room Rate
		USD per night
Deluxe	10	160

Above room rates are inclusive of breakfast, airport transfer, Government tax and service charges.

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	Hotel Address:	Ngapali-Lone Thar Street, Mya Pyin Village, Ngapali City, Rakhine State, Myanmar.	
Tel (Ngapali)	95 43 2042242, 2042245~6		
Website:	www.artofsandresort.com		

Remark: There will be shuttle buses arranged by respective hotels to the venues: Jasmine Ngapali Resort and Hilton Ngapali Resort.



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6. General Information on Rakhine State

1. Location

The Rakhine State, situated on the western coast of the Union of the Republic of Myanmar and has unique historical background among the States and Regions. Rakhine State is bordered by Chin State to the north, Magway Region, Bago Region and Ayeyarwady Region to the east, the Bay of Bengal to the west, and the Chittagong Division of Bangladesh to the northwest. It is located between latitudes 17°30' north and 21°30' north and longitudes 92°10' east and 94°50' east. The Rakhine Yoma (Mountains) rising to 3,063 meters (10,049 ft) at Victoria Peak, separate Rakhine State from central Myanmar. Rakhine State has an area of 36,762 square kilometers (14,194 square mile).

2. Administrative divisions and population

Rakhine State consists of 5 districts as follows:

1. Sittwe District
2. Mrauk U District
3. Maungdaw District
4. Kyaukpyu District
5. Thandwe District

There are total of 17 townships and 1,164 village tracts. Sittwe is the capital of Rakhine State. According to Myanmar Population Census 2014, Rakhine State has total population of 3,188,807.

3. Economy

Rakhine State economy mainly consists of agriculture (overwhelmingly rice, coconut, and nipa palm), fisheries, and forestry (timber and bamboo). It possesses tourism potentials in such places as Mrauk U, the ancient city of Rakhine Dynasty, Ngapali Beach and untapped beaches in Gwa Township and Man Aung Island. There is also potential for oil and gas. Construction of deep-sea port and Special Economic Zone is also planned in Kyaukpyu, and rail and highways have been proposed to link them to Mandalay and, again, to Yunnan Province, making the State a strategically important location for further investment. Kaladan Multimodal Transport Project is also underway in Sittwe.

4. Potential investment opportunities

According to the findings of investment opportunity survey conducted in Rakhine State, fisheries & livestock breeding sector has the most opportunities to invest, followed by agriculture, manufacturing, hotels & tourism, forestry, oil & gas exploration, etc.



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7. General Information on Ngapali Beach

1. Location

Ngapali beach is located on the Bay of Bengal Coast and situated 7 kilometer from Thandwe (Sandoway). It is one of the best well-known beaches in Myanmar and has been promoted as a major tourist destination.

2. How to get there?

There are 2 options to get to Ngapali Beach—Air Transportation or Road Transportation. Air Transportation is recommended, and it takes 1-2 hours to fly according to the flight schedule. There are many airlines which run regularly throughout the year.

3. Cash & Credits

There is a CB Bank in Ngapali Beach on Ngapali Main Road, Thandwe Township. CB Bank has an ATM and you can change money there. It's close to the Amazing Ngapali Resort.

KBZ (Thandwe Branch) is on the east side of the market, exchanges money and has an ATM. More ATMs exist—at Amata Resort & Spa Ngapali (KBZ Bank) and Amazing Ngapali Resort (KBZ Bank).

4. Weather

Month	High/ Low (°F)
January	88° / 58°
February	90° / 60°
March	93° / 68°

Temperatures increase slightly in February. The maximum temperature can rise up to 38°C (100°F). Temperature variation between day and night is large, so if you want to walk along the beach at night, a thin long-sleeved shirt is necessary. Swimming at night is not recommended.

Weather in February in the early mornings and evenings is relatively pleasant and cool which is perfect for outdoor activities. ¹

¹ <https://www.asiahighlights.com/myanmar/ngapali-beach/february-weather.htm>



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8. Other Information

1. Visa

Most foreign nationals require a visa to enter Myanmar. Visa-free travel (for 14 days, or longer in some cases) is permitted for Thailand, Singapore, Vietnam, Philippines, Indonesia, Brunei, Cambodia and Laos passport holders.

Starting on October 1, 2018, citizens from China, Japan, and South Korea are permitted visa-free travel for up to 28 days.

In addition to getting visas at embassies and consulates, Myanmar has an online e-visa system. It is designed to make the process of application simpler for visitors – particularly those from countries that do not have a Myanmar embassy.

For e-visa applications, go to the [official Ministry of Immigration e-visa website](#). Citizens of 100 countries are eligible for Myanmar e-visas; to see the full list, go [here](#). If you need our assistance for Visa-on-arrival, please email us the attendee's name and passport number to inquiry@investrakhine.com and info@investrakhine.com.

2. Currency

The local currency is “Myanmar Kyat (MMK)”—banknotes available in denominations of MMK 50, MMK 100, MMK 200, MMK 500, MMK 1,000, MMK 5,000 and MMK 10,000. Currency Exchange Rate from Central Bank of Myanmar as of August 21, 2018 is 1 USD = 1,495 MMK. You can check updated Currency Exchange Rate on Central Bank of Myanmar Website. <http://forex.cbm.gov.mm/index.php/fxrate>. There may be a little difference between the Currency Exchange Rate from Central Bank of Myanmar, Private Banks and Currency Exchange Counters.

3. Electricity

The electric supply most commonly used in Myanmar is 220V. The electric plugs and sockets are designed for two pins (round and/or flat) plugs, however UK sockets are common in hotels. All the attendees are recommended to carry Converters / Transformer and adaptors.

4. Telecommunication

Country Code (Myanmar)	+95
Area Code (Ngapali)	043
Mobile Phone	09

Most hotels provide local and international telephone services chargeable to personal hotel bills of the participants. Some hotels provide chargeable fax and free Wi-Fi internet.

5. Time Zone

Local Time Zone: GMT + 6.5 hours



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9. Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Is the Rakhine State Investment Fair Free?

As the participants are specially invited guests only, the admission to attend the Rakhine State Investment Fair is free. The organizers will provide welcome dinner on February 21, 2019, lunch and coffee at break time at Investment Fair and Seminar on February 22, 2019.

Free transportation and lunch for Site Visit Tour to nearby places of Ngapali Beach on February 23, 2019 will also be provided by the organizers.

What kinds of cost does the attendee need to bear?

All the attendees need to arrange all the necessary transportation (Flight/Bus etc.) to and from Ngapali and accommodation by themselves. Our official tour partner, JTB Polestar Co Ltd will assist in booking flight tickets and hotels.

What is the language medium of the seminar?

English is the medium for communication. English–Myanmar interpreters will be available at business matching tables.

Do attendees need to book hotels as earliest as possible?

All the attendees need to book the hotels as soon as possible because the date of the Investment Fair is during the peak season of Ngapali Beach.