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The firm is seriously interested in business ventures with Canadian firms for exporting or importing products. Also it can provide development or manufacturing services for products or their components in Ukraine. Kyiv Relay and Automatics Amalgamation has joint ventures with German companies such as Siemens. Therefore, it has experience in doing business with Western organizations. It would, however, like to expand its horizons into North America.

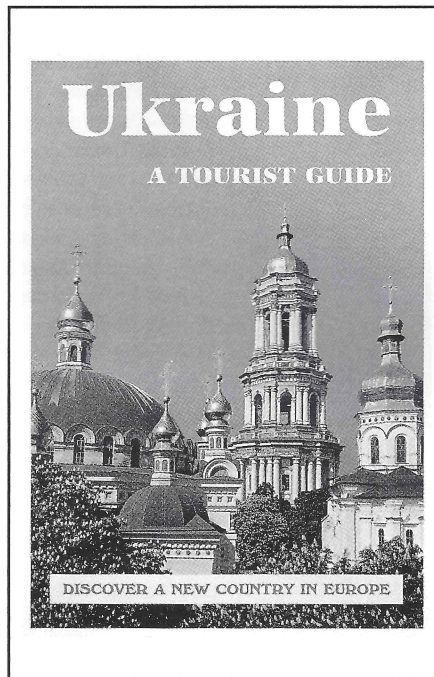
TOUR HANDBOOK COVERS UKRAINE REGION BY REGION

Smoloskyp Publishers has released "Ukraine: A Tourist Guide" (1993). This comprehensive 450-page guide to the newly independent country of Ukraine is the first and only book of its kind, and contains information essential for the tourist and business traveller alike.

The book contains a separate chapter on each of Ukraine's 25 geographical regions, and includes information on historic cities and villages, churches, monuments, museums, theatres, hotels, restaurants, banks, health resorts, parks, medical services, and the like.

There are also separate chapters on Ukraine's history; practical information on planning a trip to Ukraine; a reference section listing addresses and telephone numbers for government agencies, diplomatic representatives, embassies and consulates; travel agencies; conversion charts; and an index of telephone codes for cities and villages of Ukraine and to major countries of the world.

The 5-1/2 by 8-1/2 inch format of the guide is easy to use and ideal to carry. It includes a pull-out road map of Ukraine, individual maps of cities, and 250 black-and-white and 50 colour photographs. The guide costs \$27.75 US and will be updated every year.



For more information on "Ukraine: A Tourist Guide," please contact: Art Zinkewych, Billings, Montana: phone/fax, (406) 656-0466.

INTERNATIONAL CONSORTIUM SEEKS PARTNERS FOR KYIV

An international development consortium is seeking the participation of Canadian companies interested in entering the markets of Ukraine. C.I.D.E.E. is a privately owned Canadian company based in Montreal, a consortium regrouping companies with the necessary complementary skills, dedicated to the creation, development, financing and operation of projects in the areas of energy, environment and telecommunication, both in Canada and abroad.

The Ukraine project started with a reception given for the Ambassador of Ukraine to Canada, His Excellency Levko Lukianenko and Oleksander Shandruk, Trade Counsellor, at the IBM/Marathon headquarters of C.I.D.E.E. (Consortium of International Development for Energy and Environment) in March of this year. With

the support and encouragement of the Ambassador, the President, Mr. Pierre Verreault and the Vice-President for International Development, Stephan Kuyumjian, visited Kyiv and other cities of Ukraine on an exploratory mission during the months of June and July. This led to the opening of their office in Kyiv.

While in Ukraine they made several contacts with private entrepreneurs as well as various government organizations and ministries in order to assess and evaluate the potential of the market and determine the areas of priority.

The Canadian Embassy staff in Kyiv was most helpful in organizing various meetings with government agencies, as well as providing useful information about Ukraine.

Several memoranda of understanding were signed inviting C.I.D.E.E. to present proposals for the development of projects in the areas of energy, environment, waste management, telecommunication, construction, etc.

Since their return to Canada, C.I.D.E.E. has embarked on a campaign of active solicitation, seeking the participation of Canadian companies interested in entering the markets of the former Soviet Republics, especially Ukraine.

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