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China and SA trade gives growth to SA economy 27th June 2016

According to economic experts, the future economic ties between South Africa and China will be based on even more in-depth co-operation. China is currently South Africa's largest trading partner. International Relations and Cooperation Minister Maite Nkoana-Mashabane stated that last year's exports to China amounted to R 94 billion while imports from China amounted to R167 billion totalling R262 billion in business between South Africa and China.

Following the Chinese President Xi Jinping visit to South Africa at last year's Forum for the China Africa Cooperation Summit to finalise a number of trade and industry agreements; the action plan on the strengthening of the joint working group between China and South Africa was one of many agreements signed which looks to accelerate the export of South African products to China. These agreements help facilitate economic growth through the bilateral trade agreement between China and South Africa allowing our economy to flourish in different industry sectors.

This year's China Homelife Fair and China Machinex Show will be taking place at the Sandton Convention Centre from 31 August to 2 September. The economic forum taking place on the 31st will host a number of key industry speakers. China Homelife will be focusing on a variety of different product segments including textiles and garments which is their biggest exhibitor division. China Machinex will be focusing on several product segments including elevators and lifts; machinery; power and electricity; hardware and tools; building materials; solar power and plastic machinery.

This 3-day event aims to bring together key industry buyers to source quality products from quality Chinese suppliers. There will be a matchmaking section that has Chinese translators to facilitate meetings between the right buyers looking for the appropriate Chinese suppliers.

Don't miss out on this business-to-business event, bringing together quality products from quality suppliers. Through platforms such as China Homelife Fair and China Machinex, trade between the two BRICS participants grows and strengthens.

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