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Hundred companies paired off to progress together

2020 across Yangtze River integrated development conference held

By Tang Xiaofeng and Lu Zhao Xin

23 May is the 5th ‘Nantong entrepreneur’s Day’. On 23 May, more than 250 entrepreneurs from Jiangsu Sushang development Promotion Association, Suzhou Wuxi Changzhou Nantong federation of industry and commerce, relevant chambers of commerce (associations), leading and model companies, and professional innovation companies in Suzhou, Wuxi, Changzhou and Nantong gathered in Nantong and participated in 2020 ‘hundreds companies pair off and progress together’ across Yangtze River integrated development conference.

On the same day 121



years ago, Dasheng Cotton Mills founded by Zhang Jian in his hometown Nantong started operation. On the day four years ago, Nantong held ‘Nantong Entrepreneur’s Day’ for the 1st time. On the special day, ‘hundred companies pair off and progress together’ across Yangtze River integrated develop-

ment conference was held, which provided more content and spirit to ‘Nantong Entrepreneur’s Day’ this year. The conference is an important way to integrate with south Jiangsu and implement strategic cooperative agreement. The purpose is to let entrepreneurs in south Jiangsu share the opportunities and advan-

tages of implementation of Yangtze River delta integrated development strategy.

Suzhou Wuxi Changzhou and Nantong across Yangtze River integrated industrial cooperation union Nantong declaration was published on the conference. People in charge of Suzhou, Wuxi, Changzhou and Nantong federations of industry and commerce revealed name plate for the industrial cooperation union. 20 Suzhou, Wuxi, Changzhou and Nantong local chambers of commerce (associations) and 75 pairs of companies signed partnership agreements.

On the conference, president of Wuxi federation and industry and commerce and board director of Hodo Group gave a keynote speech.

Foreign companies in Nantong

France Bed Holdings Co., Ltd.
Provide high quality senior citizen care service



By Qiu Chanhui

Jiangsu France Bed Holdings Co., Ltd. located at No.89 Tongjing avenue is where the 1st disinfection control center of Nantong is. In the center there is complete set of cleaning and disinfection equipment, and the staff is professional. General Manager of the company Shigeo Ohta introduced that in 2012 Japan France Bed Holdings Co., Ltd. established a company in Nantong.

Talking about the last 8 years in Nantong, Shigeo Ohta had a lot of feelings. In 2012, Shigeo Ohta started to stay in Nantong officially. In the last 8 years, he has witnessed the rapid development of Nantong. Apart from cross river bridges, flyovers, harbours and other hardware which has been refined, supporting services from departments of government to community windows have become more and more convenient and caring. He said that as a foreign company, when they settled in Nantong, they got strong support and caring services from the government. Problems in company quality, employment and tax have been solved with the help from relevant departments of bureau of commerce.

About the future development of the company, Shigeo Ohta said that they would promote adjustable nursing bed which is more suitable for rental based on the current products. At the same time, medical electric care bed will be developed to promote electrification of hospital beds, make it convenient for patients to adjust positions and improve degree of comfort of hospitalization.

Nantong rail transit logo published

By Jiang Jiaojiao

On 1 June, Nantong rail transit logo was published officially.

The logo uses red as theme colour. The train looks like wave, which reflects the regional character of ‘where river and sea connects, where south and north joins’ and urban character of ‘chase the river and sea, move on in the current’ of Nantong.



China Railway Express Yangtze River delta to ASEAN line set out from Hai’an

70 standard containers with textile and photovoltaic products were transported to Hanoi of Vietnam

By Zhao Yongjin

At 3:29 pm on 26 May, China Railway Express (Hai’an - ASEAN) set off from Hai’an logistics base of China Railway Shanghai Group Co., Ltd. at Hai’an Trade Logistics Park to Hanoi of Vietnam. The trip takes about 5 days. 70 standard containers were loaded with industrial machine parts, textile and photovoltaic products. It is the 1st international freight line from the Yangtze River delta to ASEAN.

As the only provincial professional logistics park

in Jiangsu, Hai’an Trade Logistics Park has become a national excellent logistics park. In the 1st season, the realized taxable sales was 7.65 billion Yuan, the tax reached 10.66 million Yuan, which is 21% more than plan.

ASEAN area is an important area of ‘the Belt and Road’ national strategy. Countries like Cambodia, Indonesia, Singapore, Philippine and Vietnam all have successful cases of capacity transfer, investment and development and project contract of Hai’an.

The successful start of



‘Hai’an - ASEAN’ line will integrate the Yangtze River delta and riverside and coastal resources, build a

new international logistics way and become an important platform and Nantong ‘inland harbour’ building.



On 26 May evening, loading test was carried out on the 1092 m long main span of Shanghai- Nantong Yangtze River Bridge. Bridge lamps were also lit up for the first time to support the test.

Photo by Xu Congjun