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THE SEVEN SPANISH FREE TRADE ZONES DESIGN A COMMON STRATEGY IN A WORKING MEETING

Madrid, 23 March 2017.- The delegates from the free trade zones of Barcelona, Vigo, Cadiz, Tenerife, Las Palmas, Seville and Santander met yesterday morning in Madrid to share synergies and promote a joint working space, taking the Spain brand and the strengths of each of these institutions to the various national and international forums planned for this year.

At the meeting held in the main office of the Chamber of Commerce of Madrid, representatives of Spanish consortia presented their experiences, exchanged views and agreed to establish a regular schedule of work.

The Spanish free trade zones aim to promote cooperation and exchange of initiatives and programmes, including facilitating business and economic revitalization of their various areas of influence; and, in addition, within its management policy, a range of services for companies located in their facilities, each with its own characteristics.

This common workspace deals with different issues such as organisation and operation; investment activities, marketing programmes, measures to support the settling of companies; and the services offered to businesses.

Special Delegates of the State, Jordi Cornet from Barcelona, Teresa Pedrosa from Vigo, Alfonso Pozuelo from Cadiz, Gustavo González from Tenerife and Carlos Ester from Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Javier Janda, from Seville and Fernando Cámara from Santander have agreed to strengthen the common workspace, to join forces and set goals in order to bring their benefits to fairs, congresses, logistics exhibitions and any other national or international forums in which the role they play is presented.

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