



Invitation: International Trade Mission to America Food Beverage and Conference

The Eastern Cape Development Corporation (ECDC) in collaboration with Kwazulu Natal Trade and Investment invites interested companies to participate at America Food Beverage and Conference 2019 from **23-24 September 2019 Miami, Florida**. The objective of the trade show is to facilitate access to Market for Eastern Cape companies. The delegation is expected to comprise of **12-15** companies from the province and SA.

Targeted sectors: Food and Beverages for more information please follow the link: www.americasfoodandbeverage.com

the dti will offer the following financial support to qualifying companies through Sector Specific Assistance Scheme – SSAS.

Financial Support offered by **the dti** cover;

- **Exhibition space and booth rental**
- **Air travel Assistance**
- **Accommodation**
- **Freight Forwarding**

Below is a list of supporting documents and criteria required:

- **FDA product registration is a pre-requisite**
- **The entity must have been in operation for at least 12 months**
- **Company registration certificate**
- **Original valid Tax Clearance Certificate**
- **Colour Brochure**
- **Company Profile**
- **Audited Financial Statements or 3 months bank statement**
- **Copy of Passport of proposed traveller**
- **And the SSAS application form**
- **Export Certificate**

Application enquiries should be directed to **Linda Lubengu**, email llubengu@ecdc.co.za / 043-704 5711. The closing date for applications is, **Wednesday, 28 March 2019**.

Application forms should be delivered or posted to the ECDC office in East London:

ECDC House,
Ocean Terrace Office Park
Moore Street
East London
5246

Emailed applications will NOT be accepted.