Welcome address to the participants and visitors to the Technoforum 2018 International Exhibition

Ladies and gentlemen,

The Technoforum 2018 International Exhibition for Equipment and Technology for Processing of Construction Materials is organized by Expocentre AO and Stankoinstrument, the Russian Association of Machine-Tool Manufacturers. The trade show is supported by the Russian Ministry of Industry and Trade and runs under the auspices of the Russian Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Technoforum has been held since 2013. Over five years it has become one of the leading platforms to showcase the latest processing equipment and new ideas in machinery manufacturing, machine-tool building, and metal processing. The trade show is growing year after year.

Technoforum enjoys popularity not only with Russian manufacturers but also professionals from other countries. This year 100 local and foreign companies, distributors, and centres for science and technologies will put on display their new developments. The exhibiting countries are Belarus, China, Germany, India, Israel, Japan, Russia, South Korea, and Switzerland.

The trade show is accompanied by an extensive supporting program with participation of prominent experts, scientists, representatives of relevant companies and state agencies. The key topics of conferences and seminars are devoted to technological upgrade of machine building and defence industries of the country and to the development of the machine-tool sector in Russia and globally.

Let me wish the Technoforum participants and visitors effective work and high commercial returns.

Sergey Bednov Director General Expocentre AO