

ITA, IDA hold joint e-gov seminar

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By A Staff Reporter ó MUSCAT ó Sultanateís Information Technology Authority (ITA) and Singaporeís Infocomm Development Authority (IDA) jointly organised òJoint Oman-Singapore e-Government Seminar 2014í, as a lead up to Comex 2014 which is due to begin today. The event attended by Singaporean delegates representing major IT companies shared new and interesting insights on change management strategies to bring about e-Government transformation in Oman and to facilitate exchange of e-Government best practices and thought leadership between the two countries. The event also attended by Yaqoub Dur Mohamemd Safar al Balushi, deputy CEO for Infrastructure and e-Services at ITA also brainstormed on how governments could partner with the private sector to use technology to deliver greater public service excellence and catalyse more innovation both within and outside the Government.

The delegation of five Singapore tech companies will be showcasing their high quality innovations at this yearís Comex, Omanís leading IT and Telecom Show. From secure mobile communications solutions that protect privacy on mobile devices to mobility solutions that allow for fleet and asset tracking, Singapore tech companies will showcase cutting-edge technology that are in line with the key theme of this yearís Comex Conference ó iMobilityí. iSingapore sees Oman as a valuable partner in ICT collaboration as both countries recognise ICT as a key enabler in improving the quality of lives of our citizens. We have led a strong lineup of some of Singaporeís leading tech companies to participate in this yearís Comex.

infocomm industries and contribute to developing the blueprint for Oman's ICT development", Vincent Wong, CEO of IDA International said. IDA International, the execution arm of IDA for public service ICT collaboration between Singapore and countries around the world, shared Singapore's change management strategies in adopting and implementing eGovernment at the seminar.