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*With the collaboration between Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry and DenizBank, entrepreneurs in Bursa have very special advantages*

## **'Capital Support Loan' with maturities up to 72 months from DenizBank to entrepreneurs in Bursa**

Differentiating itself with innovative products and services, DenizBank offers the "Capital Support Loan" developed for the needs of enterprises which are vital for the growth of the country economy to the member enterprises of the Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Offering innovative and customized solutions to the needs of its customers with its understanding of financial supermarket, DenizBank continues to engage in special projects customized to cities by traveling around Anatolia for the growth of Turkish economy. DenizBank signed a collaboration protocol with Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry which ceaselessly continues its activities towards providing finance to its members under favorable conditions. The ceremony was held at the Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry on Monday, 17 May 2010 with the participation of Celal Sönmez, the President of Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry and Hakan Ateş, the CEO of the DenizBank Financial Services Group.

### **Option of Long Term Maturities**

Within the framework of the protocol, enterprises which are members of the Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry will be able to benefit from "Capital Support Loan" with maturities up to 72 months and "Equal Installment" loans with maturities up to 36 months from DenizBank offered with special interest rates. The interest rate for both credits shall be 1.25%. The "Capital Support Loan" which is positioned as the first credit to offer long term finance option for the capital needs of enterprises regarding purchase of goods and services makes it possible to cover their cash needs for up to 6 years of maturity. Moreover, this new credit of DenizBank which offers special interest advantages for the members of Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry has a grace period of 3 months.

**“DenizBank will help the Bursa enterprises to grow”**

During his speech at the cooperation protocol ceremony, Hakan Ateş, the CEO of the DenizBank Financial Services Group stated that “Bursa, which has a substantial importance for our economy regarding the added value and employment it created thanks to its strong industry, ranks at the fourth place following İstanbul, Kocaeli and İzmir with the added value it creates. The Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry which has a parallel magnitude with the economic added value created by Bursa is among the strongest chambers of Turkey with a number of members over 30 thousand. As DenizBank, we are trying to do what is needed on our part in order to find solutions to the financial needs of the members of the Chamber of Commerce. With this cooperation we realize with the Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry, we offer special support credits to enterprises which are members of the Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry. With the advantageous brought, DenizBank will help Bursa Enterprises to grow. Besides the Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry, we have cooperated with 240 Chambers of Commerce and Craftsmen country wide and we have taken important steps for the enterprises to reach and benefit from financial intermediaries. We aim at reaching more enterprises by signing this cooperation protocol with Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry”. Stating that the number of enterprises benefited from DenizBank SME Banking products and services reached 450 thousand, Hakan Ateş said “Our target is to raise this number to 600 thousand by the end of the year by sharing DenizBank’s difference in the field of SME Banking with more enterprises. We aim at offering credits of approximately TL 40 million to our members at Bursa Chamber of Commerce and Industry in 2010”.

Further information regarding “Capital Support Loan” can be reached through [www.denizbank.com](http://www.denizbank.com) website, from DenizBank branches and through the telephone number 444 0 804.