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The Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Kazakhstan expresses thanks to your company for organization of the 1st international exhibition "Oil & Gas, Kazakhstan -2009" in the International Trade Center, Astana. The Ministry appreciates the Exhibition's great significance and inestimable contribution to the development of the Kazakhstani oil and gas industry. During a deep global financial and economic crisis, exhibitions promote restoration of the old business contacts and development of the new ones, as well as encourage new impetuses in development of the country's oil and has sector.

Attached 1 pages

Minister

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'S. Mynbayev', written in a cursive style.

S. Mynbayev

Dear participants, delegates and visitors!

I would like to greet participants and visitors of the international Oil & Gas, Kazakhstan-2009 exhibition on behalf of the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

In his Address to the Kazakhstani People, President Nursultan Nazarbayev plans to increase oil production up to 3.5 million barrels per day by 2015, which will enable Kazakhstan to shift from the 14th to the 4th place in the list of the world's largest oil exporters, following Saudi Arabia, Russia, and Norway.

The Kazakhstani oil machine-building industry has been developing and making progress; application of innovative technologies and equipment becomes increasingly wider; production and transportation volumes grow; new routes appear on the maps of oil and gas main pipelines; more and more Kazakhstanis, citizens of Atyrau, Aktau, Kzylorda, Aktyubinsk and Western Kazakhstan Oblasts, are engaged in the work at the objects.

Naturally, in the age of high technologies and powerful machinery, exploration, production and drilling processes are substantially factors of the aggressive impact on environment. Our objective is to achieve high goals pronounced by the President, and to ensure compliance with all environmental safety standards, while adhering to corporate and social responsibility, which is superlatively common to our companies and which is ultimately for the benefit of the Kazakhstani people.

The first international "Oil & Gas, Kazakhstan – 2009" exhibition to be held from May 28 to 30, 2009, is designed to demonstrate how our international business partners and local companies conduct their businesses, what material socioeconomic advantages are provided by the oil and gas industry to the locals, as well as which latest technologies and equipment are used to ensure safety of each working place and to protect and preserve environment within each site.

I invite you to exchange your experience, knowledge and standpoints at the International Trade Center. At the exhibit booths and during conferences, we all can attain a lot of useful contacts and get a plenty of topical offers from vendors representing different countries, and at the same time we will be able to demonstrate our constructive policy and activities.

**You are welcome as active
participants to the 1st international Oil & Gas, Kazakhstan-2009 Exhibition in Astana!**