



Natural Gas in Israel: Issues and Forecast

French-Israeli Seminar, Sheraton Hotel Tel Aviv, March 28th, 2012

Moderator : Mr Boaz Bismuth

- **8:30 : Welcome**
- **9:00 : Opening session :** *H. E. Mr Christophe Bigot, Ambassador of France to Israel - Mr Shaul Zemach, Director General of the Ministry of Energy and Water resources*
- **9:30 : Economics and Strategy**
 - Natural Gas discovery impact on Israeli Economy : *Pr Eugene Kandel, chairman of the National Economy Council*
 - Natural Gas global market : *Mr Karim Chaouche, Vice-President LNG Porfolio Development, Total SA*
 - Strategic and security aspects of Gas supply. *Dr Oded Eran, former Director of the Institute for National Security Studies*
- **10:30 : End-use**
 - Chemical utilization of Natural Gas : *Dr Bracha Halaf, Senior Manager, Oil Replacement, Ministry of Energy and Water Resource*
 - What should Israel do with its Natural Gas ? *Mrs Ariella Berger, Head of Oil Alternatives Research, the Israel Institute for Economic Planning*
 - Electricity generation with natural gas, best practices : *Mr Mario Bernardo, EDF*
 - Underground Gas storages : the best way to manage Gas demand variations : *Mr Marc Fauveau, Project Manager, Storengy-GDF Suez*
- **11: 45 : Supply**
 - Gas regulation in Europe in the last fifteen years : *Mr Frédéric Gonand, Commissioner at the French Energy Regulation Commission*
 - Israeli NG sector's challenges : *Mr Jay Epstein, Business Development Manager, Israel Natural Gas Lines*
 - Technical challenges of offshore Gas extraction in Israel : *Dr Kul Kartz, geologist, Delek Drilling*
 - Deep water subsea technologies : *Mr Jean-Pierre Corbel, Technip*
 - FLNG : a concept going into reality : *Mr Victor Alessandrini, Technip*
 - Challenges and opportunities of Floating LNG projects : the Bonaparte LNG project example : *Mr Denis Bonhomme, EVP GDF Suez LNG*
- **13h30 : Buffet-Lunch**
- **14h30 : B to B meetings**
French Companies : *Technip, EDF, GDF SUEZ LNG, Total, Storengy, Vinci Technologies*
- **18h : End of the Seminar**

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