30th May, 2017, 10:30

Workshop "In the search of an efficient EU gas market model"

Representative Office of PJSC Gazprom in Belgium invites you to the workshop "In the search of an efficient EU gas market model" on Tuesday, 30th May, 2017.

The workshop is held under the supervision of the Co-chairs of Work Stream 2 - "Internal Market" of the Russia-EU Gas Advisory Council (WS2 GAC).

We have an update for you: **Alexander Medvedev** - Deputy Chairman of the Management Committee of PJSC Gazprom is expected to take part in the workshop.

The workshop will be hosted by Prof., Dr. (Econ.) **Andrey Konoplyanik** (Co-chair WS2 GAC; Adviser to Director General, Gazprom export LLC; Professor on International Oil & Gas Business, Russian State Gubkin Oil and Gas University).

The keynote speaker is Dr. **Sergey Komlev** (Head of Department on contract structuring and price formation, Gazprom export LLC) who will discuss the following questions:

- Has natural gas become an independent commodity on European gas hubs whose price is driven only by fundamentals of its own market?
- What makes European gas hub prices dependent on oil indexes?
- Are long-term supply contracts with flexibility compatible with hub prices?

The presentation will be followed by a discussion panel of industry experts including **Walter Boltz** (Senior Advisor European Energy Policy, Co-chair WS2 GAC, Member of the ACER Board of Appeal, Former Vice-Chair ACER Board of Regulators and Chair of the ACER Gas Working Group) and **Ralf Dickel** (Visiting research Fellow, Oxford Institute for Energy Studies, Member of WS2 GAC).

We welcome active engagement of all participants in the debate.

The workshop will take place from 10:30 to 14:00 (welcome coffee will be served from 10.00), and will be followed by a networking lunch.

Please, register for the event by 25th May, completing the form HERE

The registered participants will be able to get a free PDF copy of the new book by Dr. Sergey Komlev "Oil Indexation: The Best Remedy for Market Failure in the Natural Gas Industry" prior to the workshop.

You will receive a confirmation of registration with agenda and logistical details prior to the event.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us (events@brussels-gazprom.ru, tel. +32 (0)2 788 00 91)

We look forward to welcoming you at the event!

Best regards, Andrey Pestov Director REPRESENTA

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