

# 12<sup>th</sup> IEF Ministerial & 4<sup>th</sup> IEBF

## Cancun, Mexico, 29-31 March 2010

The government of Mexico will host the 12th International Energy Forum (IEF) Ministerial and its associated 4th International Energy Business Forum (IEBF) in Cancun, Mexico from 29-31 March 2010. Germany and Kuwait are co-hosting this biennial gathering of the world's Energy Ministers and energy industry leaders.

**64 Countries have confirmed their participation in the 12<sup>th</sup> IEF:** Algeria, Angola, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Belgium, Brazil, Brunei, Bulgaria, Canada, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, Finland, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kuwait, Libya, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, People's Republic of China, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Slovak Republic, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, Turkmenistan, UAE, UK, Ukraine, US, Venezuela, and Yemen.

**36 Companies for the 4<sup>th</sup> IEBF:** AMEC, Chevron, CNPC, ConocoPhillips, Enel, Eni, ExxonMobil, GasTerra, Grupa LOTOS, Idemitsu Kosan, Indian Oil Corporation, JGC Corporation, KPC, Maersk Oil, Mitsubishi, Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation, Nippon Oil, Oil and Natural Gas Corp (ONGC), Pemex, PERN "Przyjazn", Pertamina, PKN ORLEN, Polish Oil and Gas Company (PGNiG), Qatargas, Qatar Petroleum, Qatar Petroleum International, Repsol, Saudi Aramco, Schlumberger, Shell, SOMO, Sonangol, Sonatrach, Statoil, Sudapet Company Ltd, and Total.

**14 International Organisations:** The Executive Director of the IEA, the Secretary General of OPEC, Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC), the Executive Secretary of the Latin-American-Energy Organization (OLADE), the Corporacion Andina de Fomento (CAF), World Economic Forum (WEF), the Secretary General of the World Energy Council (WEC), the Director General of the World Petroleum Council, President of the International Gas Union (IGU), the World Bank, the Director General of OFID, the Energy Charter Secretariat, the Director General of Energy of the European Commission, and Secretary General of the Gas Exporting Countries Forum (GECF) have also confirmed their participation.

**The International Energy Forum (IEF)** is the world's largest gathering of Energy Ministers. IEF Countries account for more than 90% of global oil and gas supply and demand. In addition to IEA and OPEC countries, transit states and key energy players, including Brazil, China, India, Mexico, Russia and South Africa, participate in the Forum. The magnitude and diversity of this engagement is a testament to the IEF's position as a neutral facilitator. Through the Forum and its associated events, IEF Ministers, their officials, energy industry executives, and other experts engage in a dialogue of increasing importance to **global energy security**. The IEF and the **global energy dialogue** are promoted by a permanent Secretariat of international staff based in the Diplomatic Quarter of Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. **Visit our website [www.ief.org](http://www.ief.org)**



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