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After New Drivers of the Oil and Gas Policy

Following the first package of measures introduced by the new argentine administration during 2016, we are facing a new and enticing stage in terms of attracting new investments. This regional chapter conference will feature a full-day program that will focus on the new objectives that the Argentine government has just recently implemented, particularly concerning the Resolution 402 regarding the renewed gas stimulation program. Speakers, representing companies from both upstream and downstream sectors, will discuss and evaluate the current situation and give future context after the new measures introduced by the government.

This event is an excellent chance for the audience to learn about current and future investment opportunities in Argentina and evaluate new opportunities, as well as network with many oil and gas colleagues and authorities in the field.



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PROGRAM

- 8:30am - 9:00am **Registration & Breakfast**
- 9:00am - 9:30am **Welcome Address**
Amalia Sáenz, Partner, ZBV Abogados; AIPN Latin America Alternate Regional Chapter Director and
Pablo Alliani, Partner at Alliani&Bruzzon Law Firm, AIPN Past President.
- 9:30am - 10:15am **Key Aspects of Argentina's Oil & Gas Policy and the General Principles**
Daniel Gerold, Director of G&G Energy
- 10:15am - 01:00pm **Balance and Movement: Division of Powers between the Federal Government and Provinces**
Provincial Energy Ministers of hydrocarbons and Federal Officer will discuss the boundaries between federal and provincial powers, including sensitive topics such as taxation powers, environmental lawmaking, and the regulation of unconventional reservoirs. Time will be allocated to answers questions from the audience.

Jaime Álvarez, President of the Provincial Institute of Energy, Province of Santa Cruz
Alejandro Nicola, Provincial Ministry of Energy, Province of Neuquén
Sebastián Caldiero, Secretary of Energy, Province of Rio Negro
Marcelo Juri, Secretary of Energy, Province of Salta
Emilio Guiñazú, Under Secretary of Energy and Mining, Province of Mendoza—
Moderator: Federico Godoy, partner Beretta Godoy. AIPN Latin America Regional Executive Committee
- 01:00pm-02:30pm **Networking Lunch**
- 2:30pm – 4:00pm **What Counsel Wishes for: Lessons and New Trends**
Local in-house counsel will discuss the legal and regulatory tools that the companies wish for. International lessons resulted from the recent context. They will discuss their experiences, new developments that need to be adopted in the legislation and expectations at the different industry levels.

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Fernando García Bonini, General Legal Manager, TOTAL
Juan Francisco Albarenque, Legal Affairs, SHELL
Federico Serra, Senior Legal & Compliance Manager, Baker Hughes
Moderator: Mariana Ardizzone, ArdizzoneAbogados

4:00pm – 5:30pm

Financing Oil and Gas Projects in Argentina: What We Have and What is Coming
Argentina's top investment bankers, financing and investment consultants will discuss the financing tools available in Argentina and globally, and trends in oil and gas financing, including the impact of environmental matters on the bankability of projects.

Diego Salaverri, Executive Director Legal Affairs, PAMPA ENERGÍA
Julio Figueroa, CEO, CITIBANK ARGENTINA
Daniel Marx, Executive Director, QUANTUM FINANZAS [TBC]
Daniel Artana, Chief Economist, FIEL
Juan Srodek, Director, KBR GROUP
Moderator: Pablo Alliani, Partner at Alliani&Bruzzon Law Firm, AIPN Past President

5:30pm – 6:00pm

Conclusions and Closing Remarks followed by Cocktail Reception
Ernesto Cussianovich, Director of Poliarquía will analyze a list of key points on the day's discussions and his insight on the direction of the industry. [TBC]

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