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MINISTRY OF ENERGY OF THAILAND ENDORSES FUTURE ENERGY ASIA 2020

Dear industry colleagues,

The Ministry of Energy of Thailand is pleased to congratulate and support the **Future Energy Asia Exhibition and Conference 2020** which will be taking place during **12 - 14 February 2020** in Bangkok. This event comes at a time when Asia is facing many challenges in the energy sector as economic and social development continue at a rapid pace.

Across Asia we see energy demand rising as populations grow and rapid urbanization continues. For ASEAN alone, it is forecasted an additional 54% more primary energy will be consumed in 2035 than today. In the medium term, continued reliance on and development of hydrocarbons resources is needed to meet this increase in energy consumption while disruptive technologies are underway.

Quickly becoming one of the world's leading meeting points for companies and professionals in the energy industry - Future Energy Asia 2020 will convene bilateral ministerial meetings, 300+ speakers, 1000+ delegates, 250 exhibiting companies and 7000+ visitors.

Future Energy Asia is a unique event that brings together the whole of Asia to discuss, debate and showcase products, services and solutions that will help us drive forward a lower carbon environment and sustainable energy future. That will be in line with Thailand's ASEAN Chairmanship theme "Advancing Partnership for Sustainability".

I believe Future Energy Asia is the pertinent forum for addressing these transformative themes and I encourage you to make time to discuss with dmgevents, the organizers of Future Energy Asia 2020, to explore how you can participate in this important platform and together accelerate the development of the region's energy mix through open dialogue, information exchange and business opportunities.

On behalf of the Thai Ministry of Energy, I look forward to welcome all participants to attend the Future Energy Asia Exhibition and Conference 2020 in Bangkok.

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