



## INFORMATION NOTE

Seventeenth Africa OILGASMINE Conference and Exhibition  
Khartoum

<b>Dates:</b>	23–26 November 2015
<b>Venue:</b>	Friendship Hall, Khartoum, Republic of the Sudan
<b>Central Theme:</b>	<i>Extractive industries and sustainable job creation</i>
<b>Activities:</b>	Conference, Exhibition, Networking
<b>Organisers:</b>	Government of the Republic of the Sudan, UNCTAD, Cubic Globe Ltd.
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<b>Participants:</b>	<p>Key decision makers in Africa's energy and mining sectors, high-level experts from the extractive industries and the financial and legal sectors, academia and civil society.</p> <p>Specialized agencies and intergovernmental bodies, as well as non-governmental organizations in the general and special categories wishing to attend as observers.</p>
<b>Conference programme and speaking opportunities:</b>	<p>Further information regarding the OILGASMINE Conference, programme, and documentation, is available at:  <a href="http://unctad.org/en/pages/MeetingDetails.aspx?meetingid=855">http://unctad.org/en/pages/MeetingDetails.aspx?meetingid=855</a></p>
<b>Languages:</b>	<p>Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in the English, French and Arabic during the Conference</p>
<b>Exhibition, networking opportunities and sponsorship:</b>	<p>Further information regarding the OILGASMINE Exhibition and logistics is available at: <a href="http://cubicglobe.com/ogtafrica/en/">http://cubicglobe.com/ogtafrica/en/</a></p>
<b>Deadline for Registration:</b>	<p>Registration will be fully confirmed to each participant by the UNCTAD secretariat and Cubic Globe Ltd.</p> <p>For protocol purposes and security reasons, all participants and visitors to the OILGASMINE Exhibition and Conference are required to register on line <b>on both of the following links before 19 November 2015:</b></p>
<b>Cubic Globe Ltd.:</b>	<p><a href="http://cubicglobe.com/ogtafrica/en/registration.html">http://cubicglobe.com/ogtafrica/en/registration.html</a></p>
<b>UNCTAD Conference Registration:</b>	<p><a href="http://unctad.org/en/pages/MeetingDetails.aspx?meetingid=855">http://unctad.org/en/pages/MeetingDetails.aspx?meetingid=855</a></p> <p>Specialized agencies and intergovernmental bodies, as well as non-governmental organizations in the general and special categories (wishing to attend as observers), are requested to inform the UNCTAD secretariat of the names of their representatives by 19 November 2015.</p> <p>Please note that approval by UNCTAD to attend the OILGASMINE does not automatically guarantee participant funding by Cubic Globe Ltd. to attend. Please contact the Cubic Globe Ltd. secretariat for additional information.</p>
<b>Passports/Visas:</b>	<p>UNCTAD is not responsible for any matters relating to passports or visas</p>
<b>Travels:</b>	<p>Participants are responsible for making their own arrangements for travelling to and from Khartoum, Sudan, and for their accommodation.</p>