

Saipem signs MoU for Toos Gas Field project in Iran

San Donato Milanese (Milan), 12 April 2016 - During the official State visit to Iran of the Italian Prime

Minister, Matteo Renzi, Saipem Chief Executive Stefano Cao and Ali Yadghar, Managing Director of Razavi

Oil & Gas Development Company, entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) concerning

potential cooperation on a major project in the country.

The MoU envisages discussions aimed at potential cooperation on the Toos Gas Field Development

Project, located 100km northeast of Mashhad. The gas field, holding over 60 billion cubic meters of gas in

place, has the capacity to produce some 4 million cubic meters of gas per day. The development project

encompasses the drilling of 5 firm plus 2 optional wells, and the design and construction of all upstream

gas production facilities and those for transportation and processing.

This new agreement follows those signed in January with the National Iranian Gas Company (NIGC) for

discussions regarding potential cooperation over pipeline projects, and with Parsian Oil & Gas

Development Company regarding the revamping and upgrading of the Pars Shiraz and Tabriz refineries,

and is set to further cement Saipem's long-standing historical relationship with Iran.

Saipem is one of the world leaders in drilling services, as well as in the engineering, procurement, construction and installation of pipelines and complex projects, onshore and offshore, in the oil & gas

market. The company has distinctive competences in operations in harsh environments, remote areas and

deepwater. Saipem provides a full range of services with "EPC" and "EPCI" contracts (on a "turn-key" basis) and has distinctive capabilities and unique assets with a high technological content.

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