



Xanana Gusmao shares his joy with the beloved people of Timor-Leste after the Maritime Boundaries negotiations

## TIMOR GAP, E.P.

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To be a regional leader in oil & gas for sustainable national development

### MARITIME BOUNDARIES

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On September 4<sup>th</sup>, the People of Timor-Leste mobilized en masse to welcome Timor-Leste's Chief Negotiator for Maritime Boundaries, H. E. Kay Rala Xanana Gusmão, and expressed their gratitude and joy for the work done towards a permanent maritime boundary and the Sunrise gas development.

The latest round of maritime boundary negotiations between Timor-Leste and Australia took place in Copenhagen with the Conciliation Commission, between August 28<sup>th</sup> and September 1<sup>st</sup>. The Permanent Court of Arbitration shared information about the process in a press release dated September 1<sup>st</sup>, announcing that the two nations have reached agreement about the central elements of delimiting their maritime boundary in the Timor Sea. While the specifics of the agreement between Timor-Leste and Australia remain confidential until October, Xanana Gusmão's triumphant return to Timor-Leste anticipate a positive and advantageous outcome for the country and its future generations.

Both countries commended the agreement, with Australian Foreign Affairs Minister, H.E. Julie Bishop, calling it a "landmark day" and thanking the Commission for "bringing the parties together". The Minister of State and Council of Ministers and one of the members of Timor-Leste's negotiation team, H.E. Ágio Pereira, expressed pride and a great satisfaction with the success of the conciliation process, stating that "Timor-Leste and Australia have set a positive example for the international community at large".

In 2006 the CMATS treaty was signed between Timor-Leste and Australia, establishing a framework for the joint development of the Greater Sunrise oil & gas field (at one time estimated to be worth US\$40 billion) and putting a moratorium on permanent boundary maritime delimitation. In April 2015, Timor-Leste initiated UN Compulsory Conciliation (UNCC) proceedings under Annex V of UN Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) to assist in resolving the long-running dispute. Despite the non-binding nature of the conciliation, both states have entered talks in good faith. As part of the 'confidence building measures' that emerged from the meetings held in Singapore, both states agreed to terminate the 2006 Treaty on Certain Maritime Arrangements in the Timor Sea (CMATS).

As a result of the conciliation process, both nations have finally resolved their bitter and longstanding dispute over maritime boundaries in the Timor Sea. This agreement will enable the goal of Timor-Leste in bringing the planned pipeline to the south coast and its mega development project, Tasi Mane.

Timor-Leste's Chief Negotiator Gusmao said the "dream of full sovereignty" by settling on a boundary with Australia had been achieved.



## TIMOR GAP TAKING PART WITH GLOBAL VISION ZERO

Another remarkable milestone carved by TIMOR GAP in its commitment for Health and Safety at Workplace during its XXI World Congress in Singapore. By 7<sup>th</sup> September 2017 onwards, TIMOR GAP will actively actualizing a Safe and Health workplace and will concentrate on People as the center for the prevention of any incident to be happen. This commitment is portrayed by becoming part of world and Global Vision of Prevention and has been certified by International Social Security Association (ISSA) in collaboration with International Labor Organization (ILO) to the commitment to campaign the ZEROOO VISION at workplace.

A global Vision of Prevention becomes Moto during XXI world Congress Safety and Health at Workplace in Singapore with 3 Topics such as;

- Vision Zero – From Vision to Reality with aims to inculcate a mindset that all injuries and ill-health arising from work are preventable. To achieve this would require commitment from all stakeholders across all levels in workforce.
- Healthy work – Healthy Life. The world of work is becoming more challenging, complex and fast-paced. Correspondingly, the link between work environment and employees' health is getting stronger. To improve employees' health and ensure that they can work longer and live healthier this should be managed in a comprehensive and integrated manner.
- People Centered Prevention. Protecting employees is the heart of what Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) is about. To build inclusive workplace for OSH to thrive components such as demographic changes, ageing, gender, culture and education are important. To support these efforts, sustainable strategies for the promotion, protection and education of our people are critical.

As we all believes that Incident/Accident, Diseases, and Harm at TG's working areas are preventable as per commitment of TG to Vision ZEROOO and in line with TG Integrated Management System (TG-IMS), OHSE awareness program will consistently and build a climate of trust and open communication at every level in the company to promote the 3 core values of this campaign; Health, Safety & Well-being and also by implementing the 7 Golden Rules at all level of our activities. The 7 Golden rules are:

- 1) Take Leadership and demonstrate Commitment
- 2) Identify the Hazards and provide resources to control the risks
- 3) Define Target by develop Objective and Program
- 4) Ensure a safe and healthy system are in place and well organized
- 5) Ensure Safety and Health while working with machines, equipment's and workplaces
- 6) Improve qualification - develop competencies
- 7) Invest in People - motivate by participation

By taking part of this globe Vision Zerooo Companies & Partners, CAN DO committed to have **STRONG PREVENTION CULTURE** to **ELIMINATE & PREVENT** Incident/Accident, Harm and Occupational Diseases at all TG working areas until 2020 by doing:

- Continuous improve our Safety, Health and Welfare at work
- Prevent occupational Accident/Accident, disease and harm
- Reduce the economic burden of poor working conditions
- Be part of the a global community of Vision Zero Companies and Partner Organization

TIMORGAP, E.P. also has listed as one of the Vision Zerooo Companies & Partners with over than 500 Companies & Partners from over the world at VISION ZEROOO website <http://visionzero.global/vision-zero-companies-partners>. Be part of this global zero vision as business oriented, we can then able to achieve TG corporate values which is always seeking new opportunities and adding value to resources as well as enlarge stakeholders.

Hopes this achievement can trigger us to continue improve our internal process to bring CAN DO forward in a safely, healthy and zero harm as contribution to 3 TG's key questions: "Where we are", "Where we want to be" and "How to get there" in the next 5, 10 and 20 years (Message from President & CEO, Strategic & Business Plan 2016-2035)



**SAFETY FIRST**

TIMOR GAP DRILLING & SERVICES LDA SIGNED A MoU WITH SCHLUMBERGER



On September, 19th it was sign an agreement between TIMOR GAP and Schlumberger Australia Pty. Ltd. The Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) shows the alliance between both companies to work closely in providing drilling services to all drilling activities in JPDA.

In responding to current Oil and Gas market in Timor Leste, the TIMOR GAP Drilling and Services (TGDS) intends to have this corporation with Schlumberger Australia Pty. Ltd., to elaborate more in training and competency for future of business development of TIMOR GAP.

Schlumberger is the world's leading provider of technology for reservoir characterization drilling, production, and processing to the oil and gas industry. Schlumberger supplies the industry's most comprehensive range of products and services, from exploration through production and integrated pore-to-pipeline solutions for hydrocarbon recovery that optimize reservoir performance.

The signing ceremony of MoU brought a big achievement for both companies as it was attended and signing by Mr. Mark Annand as Schlumberger Australia Pty. Ltd Geomarket Manager and Mr. Antonio de Sousa as Vice President of TIMOR GAP, E.P.



TIMOR GAP's Vice President, Mr. Antonio de Sousa and Schlumberger Australia Pty. Ltd Geomarket Manager's Mr. Mark Annand during the signing ceremony.



ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR BETANO REFINERY

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of September, 2017 TEAM Consulting Engineering and Management Co., Ltd. conducted the Final Presentation of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) for the Betano Refinery Project.

The presentation was attended by National Directorate for Pollution Control and Environmental Impact (NDPCEI) and TIMORGAP management and staff.

The EIA for Betano Refinery Project covers two components:

1. Betano Refinery, Water Supply and Nova Betano
2. Condensate and Products Pipelines

Each component was assessed at each phase of the project (pre-construction, construction and operation phases) in terms of the environmental impacts and the proposed mitigation and monitoring programs. In the months prior to the Final Presentation, the Consultant and TIMORGAP collected the data and undertook an assessment including public consultations to produce the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and Environmental Management Plan (EMP) which was reviewed by TIMORGAP and revised in response to the technical comments from NDPCEI.

After the final presentation, the final report was submitted to NDPCEI for their approval and to obtain the EIA License.







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- Your friends
- Your neighbors
- Your family



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TIMOR GAP is part of EITI's Multi-Stakeholder Group



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### SOUTHERN COAST PROJECTS

Today, The Company is focused on the Southern Coast (Tasi Mane) Project as the main activity in the formation of a Company Portfolio in the future. The project will focus on the development of the coastal zone from Suai to Beaço that requires infrastructure to support a growing domestic petroleum industry. Following on from this development, the company will diversify into other areas of operations, such as E&P sector and downstream activities.

