



## Eastern Europe Energy Update – 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

Armenia Azerbaijan Belarus Georgia Moldova Russian Federation Ukraine

### Armenia

#### Renewable Energy

Armenia: EU-supported video shows first solar-powered bus stops in Yerevan 11 Jan

#### Energy policy, economic and business news

The International Energy Charter discusses investments into renewable energy 16 Jan

#### Electricity

Armenia official: We are confident that we have electricity sales market in neighboring countries 16 Jan

Electricity production rises by 6% in Armenia, export rises by 15% 9 Jan

#### Oil & Gas

Prices of petrol and diesel fuel almost the same in Armenia and Georgia - SCPEC 16 Jan

### Azerbaijan

#### Energy policy, economic and business news

Azerbaijan develops feasibility study to determine priority energy sources developed in Azerbaijan 16 Jan

Azerbaijan's officials talk on public utility services' improvement done in 2017 16 Jan

President Aliyev: SOCAR to study gas supply options in Bulgaria 16 Jan

Ilham Aliyev: SGC will be next contribution to European energy security 16 Jan

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Azerbaijan: A Crucial Energy Hub 15 Jan

TAP to strengthen energy security of Italy, entire Europe – managing director 12 Jan

Ministry of Energy of Azerbaijan Makes Structural Changes 12 Jan

Formation of Energy Issues Regulation Agency in Azerbaijan underway 12 Jan

Czech Republic eyes to buy petroleum products from Azerbaijan 10 Jan

EIA reveals forecasts for Azerbaijan's 2018-2019 petroleum output 13 Jan

SOCAR announces plans on making investments in Georgia in 2018 16 Jan

#### Oil & Gas

Azerbaijan produced 38.7 million tons of oil last year 16 Jan

Export of Gas Growing at Expense of Domestic Consumption 16 Jan

Georgia imports nearly 200,000 tonnes of oil products from Azerbaijan last year 15 Jan

TANAP aims to help Azerbaijan to diversify its gas export markets 14 Jan

SOCAR announces time of starting Shah Deniz 2 output 13 Jan

Over 85% of Oil Imported by Ukraine Comes from Azerbaijan 10 Jan

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### Belarus

#### **Renewable Energy**

Belarus to attend Assembly of International Renewable Energy Agency 11 Jan

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#### **Oil & Gas**

Belarus to continue transit of oil products via Russian ports given economic feasibility 11 Jan

Belneftekhim wants fuel prices in Belarus on par with those in Russia 11 Jan

Belarusian oil industry getting ready to work with higher prices for Russian oil 11 Jan

### Georgia

#### **Renewable Energy**

Wind and solar energy in Georgian households: Are they becoming more popular? 12 Jan

Georgia: EU supports modernisation of Enguri hydro power plant 10 Jan

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Energy Community Secretariat helps to foster gas market reform in Georgia 12 Jan

Integrated National Energy and Climate Plans in the Energy Community 10 Jan

#### **Oil & Gas**

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Georgia Not To Purchase Gas from Russia in 2018 9 Jan

### Moldova

#### **Energy efficiency**

Over 20 social buildings from Chisinau to undergo thermal rehabilitation 10 Jan

#### **Renewable Energy**

Eight villages in Hancesti district choose to use green energy 16 Jan

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Integrated National Energy and Climate Plans in the Energy Community 10 Jan

The Ministry of Economy and Infrastructure has developed a regulation and an action plan for emergencies in the electricity market 10 Jan

Chisinau inhabitants to receive financial support for heat paid by Municipality 15 Jan

Warm temperatures from December allowed citizens to save money on heating bills 11 Jan

#### **Electricity**

Ukraine, Moldova and EU: Ukrainian electricity exports to be increased by a 15-20 percent margin 9 Jan

#### **Oil & Gas**

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The debt of Termoelectrica to Moldovagaz for consumed gas at the end of November 2017 was about 2 billion 539.6 million lei. 12 Jan

Oil products could be further cleared at Bender-2 customs post 11 Jan

Import of oil products through Moldova's eastern border to be extended till 1 July 2018 11 Jan

### Russian Federation

#### Renewable Energy

Fortum switches on 35-MW wind farm in Russia's Ulyanovsk 15 Jan

Alexey Teksler "Renewable Energy in Russia established itself as an industry" 14 Jan (in Russian)

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#### Oil & Gas

Russia's Lukoil planning to produce 85.9 mln tonnes of oil in 2018, same as 2017 12 Jan

Lukoil CEO: exit from OPEC deal should be smooth 12 Jan

Rosneft sells its filling stations in Ukraine 11 Jan

Increased Gas Supplies to Turkey, Hungary, Bulgaria, Greece and Serbia 9 Jan

#### Coal

VostokCoal and OTECO hub to be new leader in PCI supply 12 Jan

### Ukraine

#### Renewable Energy

DTEK increased capacity of Zakhidenergo by installing a solar power plant 16 Jan (in Russian)

Unique thermal power plant on biomass to be built in Kamianets-Podolsky this year 15 Jan (in Russian)

EU supports Ukrainian cities in the area of energy management and efficiency 15 Jan

Savchuk presents Ukraine's achievements, prospects in renewable energy 15 Jan

Ukraine to speed up attraction of investment in renewable energy with IRENA 15 Jan

Ukraine to speed up attraction of investment in renewable energy in cooperation with IRENA 14 Jan (in Russian)

Development of clean energy depends on political will – chairman of Ukraine's Energy Efficiency Agency 13 Jan

Canadian company to build in Ukraine four solar power plants more for 80 million euros 13 Jan (in Russian)

EU supports local energy efficiency and infrastructure projects in Ukraine 11 Jan

Canadian TIU builds 10.5 MW solar power plant in Dnipropetrovsk region 11 Jan

First "solar tree" placed in the Cherkassy region 11 Jan (in Russian)

Canadian company built a solar station with the capacity of 10.5 MW in the Dnepropetrovsk region 11 Jan (in Russian)

53 residents installed solar power stations in Zhitomir region for the year of 2017 10 Jan (in Russian)

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Legal base for transfer of power, water supply companies to RAB tariffs takes effect Jan 11-12 15 Jan  
Since January 13 the "green tariff" will be increased by 4.5% due to the growth of the euro in Ukraine 12 Jan (in Russian)

Integrated National Energy and Climate Plans in the Energy Community 10 Jan

U.S. Department of Commerce welcomes signing of \$2.3 mln contract between WSC and Energoatom 10 Jan

### Energy tariffs

Government annuls decision regarding of prices of gas for households made for 'vacuum' period when regulator annuls fixed monthly payment 15 Jan

### Electricity

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### Oil & Gas

Fuel prices at Ukrainian filling stations could jump at least 50 kopecks per liter - expert 15 Jan

Number of Ukrainian companies resumes Polish gasoline imports 15 Jan

Ukrasvydobuvannya intends to extend gas production in Lviv region 12 Jan

Natural gas reserves available for production in Ukraine estimated at 452.8 bcm 12 Jan

Rosneft sells its filling stations in Ukraine 11 Jan

PGNiG delivers more than 700 mcm of gas to Ukraine in 2017 10 Jan

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