

ANNOUNCEMENT

Stakeholder Consultation

JSC NC **KazMunayGas**, together with **Embamunaigas JSC**, **VEMA S.A.**, and **ICA-Finance AS**, announces a stakeholder consultation for the methane emissions reduction project entitled "**Joint VEMA S.A. - ICA-FINANCE AS Implementation of Advanced LDAR Program at JSC NC KazMunayGas Upstream Oil and Gas Production Facilities in Kazakhstan.**"

The project involves implementation of an **advanced Leak Detection and Repair (aLDAR)** programme at production facilities operated by subsidiaries of JSC NC KazMunayGas. The project will be implemented in phases, with the first phase covering the deployment of the aLDAR programme at the production facilities of Embamunaigas JSC. The programme is aimed at detecting, quantifying, repairing, and preventing methane leaks, as well as conducting regular monitoring of production equipment using advanced methane detection and measurement technologies.

The consultation is being conducted as part of the project preparation for registration under the requirements of the **Verified Carbon Standard (VCS)** for voluntary carbon projects.

Representatives of government authorities, local executive bodies, non-governmental organizations, the scientific community, the media, local residents, and all other interested stakeholders are invited to participate. Participation is open to everyone regardless of gender, age, social status, ethnicity, or origin.

During the consultation, participants will be provided with information about the project, its objectives, planned activities, and potential environmental and social impacts. Information on the project validation and verification process in accordance with VCS requirements will also be presented. Participants will have an opportunity to ask questions and submit comments and suggestions. All feedback will be documented, reviewed, and taken into consideration during the further development and implementation of the project. Comments and questions will also be accepted after the meeting during the **Public Comment** period.

Format: In-person participation with the option to join remotely via videoconference.

Stakeholders wishing to participate remotely via videoconference are requested to register in advance by contacting the Embamunaigas JSC representative using the contact details below. Registered participants will receive a meeting link and instructions for remote participation.

Languages: Kazakh and Russian.

Date and time: 14 August 2026, 10:00.

Venue for in-person participation: 1 Sh. Ualikhanov Street, Atyrau, Kazakhstan.

Additional information about the project and the upcoming consultation can be obtained using the contact details below.

Interested stakeholders may submit their questions, comments, and suggestions before the consultation to:

Embamunaigas JSC

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We appreciate your participation in the discussion of the project.

Following the consultation, participants will be invited to complete a written or online survey to assess their level of awareness and gather feedback on the project. The online survey will provide an opportunity to submit comments, questions, suggestions, or complaints, including anonymously. We guarantee the anonymity and confidentiality of all information received and will provide timely feedback.