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ENERGY EXPERTS, LEADERS, AND OFFICIALS FROM THE U.S. AND ASIA TO HEADLINE ANNUAL PACIFIC ENERGY SUMMIT

(SEOUL and WASHINGTON, D.C.- June 11, 2014) - The Secretariat for the Pacific Energy Summit, The National Bureau of Asian Research (NBR), is pleased to announce key speakers headlining the annual Pacific Energy Summit, which will take place on June 30-July 1 in Seoul, Republic of Korea.

This year's Summit "Charting the Course to a Secure and Cleaner Energy Future" will feature Admiral Dennis C. Blair (former U.S. Director of National Intelligence), Sonn Yang-Hoon (President, Korea Energy Economics Institute), Cho Tae-Yul (Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea), Hahn Dohee (Korea Atomic Energy Research Institute, Republic of Korea), Tadashi Maeda (Representative Director and Senior Managing Director, Japan Bank for International Cooperation), Melody Meyer (President, Chevron Asia Pacific Exploration and Production Company, Singapore), and Susilo Siswoutomo (Vice Minister of Energy and Mineral Resources, Indonesia), among others. Senior policymakers and thought leaders will gather in Seoul for the two-day summit to assess the current global energy and environmental security landscape and the goal of achieving a cleaner, more secure, and more abundant energy future.

WHO: 2014 Summit Featured Speakers

- **Dennis Blair**, Board of Sasakawa Peace Foundation; The National Bureau of Asian Research Board of Directors, *United States*
- **Luvsanvandan Bold**, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, *Mongolia*
- **Cho Tae-Yul**, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, *Republic of Korea*
- **Hahn Dohee**, Korea Atomic Energy Research Institute, *Republic of Korea*
- **Mikkal E. Herberg**, The National Bureau of Asian Research, *United States*
- **Anthony Jude**, Asian Development Bank, *Philippines*
- **Ken Koyama**, Institute of Energy Economics, Japan, *Japan*
- **Thein Lwin**, Natural Resources and Environmental Conservation Committee, *Myanmar*
- **Tadashi Maeda**, Japan Bank for International Cooperation, *Japan*
- **Melody Meyer**, Chevron Asia Pacific Exploration and Production Company, *Singapore*
- **Tatianan Mitrova**, Energy Research Institute, Russian Academy of Sciences, *Russia*
- **Susilo Siswoutomo**, Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources, *Indonesia*
- **Sonn Yang-Hoon**, Korea Energy Economics Institute, *Republic of Korea*
- **Xu Qinhua**, Renmin University of China, *People's Republic of China*

WHEN: June 30-July 1, 2014

WHERE: Seoul, Republic of Korea

WHAT: Charting the Course to a Secure and Cleaner Energy Future

WHY: 2014 Summit discussion topics include:

- Policy, Markets, and Innovations for Secure, Cleaner Energy
- North American Energy to Asia: Challenges and Opportunities
- Southeast Asia: Shifting Strategies for Energy and Environmental Security
- Russian Growth in the Asian Energy Marketplace
- Scaling Up (and Down) on Nuclear Energy: Where Will We Land?
- Changing the Rules of the Game: Promoting Breakthrough Technologies
- Building Healthy Energy Systems for Economic Development

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About the Pacific Energy Summit:

The Pacific Energy Summit aims to foster economic and energy security in the Asia-Pacific by developing practical solutions to the twin challenges of rising energy demand and global climate change. The Summit convenes policymakers, industry leaders, and experts to articulate regional energy needs and explore market and policy solutions for deepening North America-Asia energy ties and environmental cooperation.

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