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HYDROGEN: OIL OF THE XXI CENTURY?

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Opening remarks:

- Mr. Dmitry Mariyasin, Deputy Executive Secretary, UNECE (online)
- Mr. Gumar Sergazin, Director of the Department of Atomic Energy and Industry, Ministry of Energy of the Republic of Kazakhstan



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Sustainable Hydrogen Production Pathways in Eastern Europe, the Caucasus and Central Asia

- Ms. Nadejda Khamrakulova, Economic Affairs Officer, UNECE



Discussion: Potential for Hydrogen Production, Development of Hydrogen Ecosystems and Perspectives for Regional Cooperation

Moderator: *Mr. Branko Milicevic, Economic Affairs Officer, UNECE*

Panelists:

- Mr. Fuad Hasanov, Deputy Head, Hydrogen and Green Technologies, Azerbaijan Renewable Energy Agency (AREA), Ministry of Energy of the Republic of Azerbaijan
- Mr. Azizbek Ernazarov, Chief Specialist, Department for Development of the Innovation Ecosystem at Industry Enterprises, Agency for Innovative Development of the Republic of Uzbekistan
- Dr. Dina Azhgaliyeva, Senior Research Fellow, Asian Development Bank Institute
- Mr. Nurbek Yessetov, Energy Advisor for Hydrogen Diplomacy Office, GIZ Office Kazakhstan
- Mr. Yerdaulet Abuov, Researcher, Department of Alternative Energy Hydrogen Energy Competence Centre, KMG Engineering
- Mr. Alexander Bisikalo, Deputy Regional Officer, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Group



Questions from the audience:

- All participants



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