



# Iraq Ministerial Roundtable

*Investment and reform for economic renewal*

23 July 2020

15:00 - 16:20 CEST (Paris)

16:00 - 17:20 AST (Baghdad)

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Thursday, 23 July 2020	
15:00 – 15:05	<p><b>Welcome remarks</b></p> <p>Dr. Fatih Birol, Executive Director, <b>International Energy Agency</b></p>
15:05 - 15:10	<p><b>Keynote: Introducing Iraq’s vision for economic reform</b></p> <p>H.E. Mr. Ali Allawi, Minister of Finance, <b>Iraq</b></p>
15:10 - 15:20	<p><b>Scene-setting remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The natural gas and oil sectors: H.E. Mr. Ihsan Ismaeel, Minister of Oil, <b>Iraq</b></li> <li>• The electricity sector: H.E. Mr. Majid Hantoush, Minister of Electricity, <b>Iraq</b></li> <li>• Finding a new investment model: Ms. Suha Najjar, Adviser to the Prime Minister, <b>Iraq</b></li> </ul>
15:20 - 15:30	<p><b>Partner country reactions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H.E. Dan Brouillette, Secretary of Energy, <b>United States</b></li> <li>• Rt. Hon. Kwasi Kwarteng, Minister of State for Business, Energy and Clean Growth, <b>United Kingdom</b></li> <li>• Amb. François Delattre, Secretary General, Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs, <b>France</b></li> <li>• Amb. Eric Strating, Ambassador, Embassy of the <b>Netherlands</b> in Iraq</li> <li>• Mr. Shu Nakagawa, Chargé d'affaires, Embassy of <b>Japan</b> in Iraq</li> </ul>
15:30 - 15:55	<p><b>The view from industry</b></p> <p>Moderated roundtable calling on industry players to share their experiences in Iraq, and how they envision their future operations in the country</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patrick Pouyanné, CEO, <b>Total</b></li> <li>• Claudio Descalzi, CEO, <b>Eni</b></li> <li>• Majid Jafar, CEO, <b>Crescent Petroleum</b></li> <li>• Stephen Willis, President MENA, <b>BP</b></li> <li>• Stuart Jones, President, <b>Bechtel</b></li> <li>• Christian Bruch, CEO, <b>Siemens Energy</b></li> <li>• Scott Strazik, CEO, <b>GE Gas Power</b></li> </ul>
15:55 - 16:10	<p><b>Financing the recovery</b></p> <p>Moderated virtual roundtable calling on members of the international financial institutions and export credit agencies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Saroj Kumar Jha, Director for Mashreq, <b>World Bank</b></li> <li>• Dalia Wahba, Iraq manager, <b>International Finance Corporation</b></li> <li>• Allison Minor, <b>Development Finance Corporation</b></li> </ul>



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**Closing remarks and conclusions**

- H.E. Mr. Ali Allawi, Minister of Finance, **Iraq**
- Dr. Fatih Birol, Executive Director, **International Energy Agency**