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**“Preparation of a concept note and a road map
for the setup of an independent energy regulator,
towards the development of the country's energy market”**

**“Workshop on perspectives, concerns and overall planning for the
setup of an independent energy regulator
in Azerbaijan”**

9 March 2016, Baku, Azerbaijan

AGENDA

Wednesday, 9 March 2016, 9:30 am
Venue: Holiday Inn, Baku, Azerbaijan

09:30 – 10:00	Registration
	Welcome address
10:00 - 10:15	Ministry of Energy, (TBD) EU Delegation in Baku, (TBD) INOGATE Technical Secretariat
10:15 – 10:45	Current conditions and commercial interrelations regarding operation of the energy sector of Azerbaijan. Mr. Vagif Nasibov, INOGATE Technical Secretariat.
10:45 – 11:15	Government plans and programmes for development of the electricity and natural gas sectors and envisaged reforms of the sectors towards their restructuring and liberalisation Mr. Iftikhar Huseynov, Ministry of Energy
11.15 - 11:30	Coffee break
11:30 - 12:15	Experience of EU / EnC member states on the establishment of independent energy regulatory authorities, including analysis of regulator functions and duties with respect to current practices in Azerbaijan. Mr. Vidmantas Jankauskas, INOGATE Technical Secretariat Ms. Sophia Nikolakaki, INOGATE Technical Secretariat
12:15 - 12:45	Considerations on the elements of the “Concept note” and road map for the energy market legislative and structural reforms required in the view of setting up an independent energy regulator Mr. Alexis Pramagioulis, INOGATE Technical Secretariat
12:45 - 13:00	Comments and Questions
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch Break - Coffee
	Round Table Discussion
14:00 - 15:30	Perspectives, concerns and overall planning for the setup of an independent energy regulator in Azerbaijan Moderator: Mr. Alexis Pramagioulis, INOGATE Technical Secretariat
15:30 – 15.40	Conclusions of the Workshop Mr. Alexis Pramagioulis, INOGATE Technical Secretariat