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## **CO<sub>2</sub> CAPTURE PROJECT RECEIVES CSLF RECOGNITION**

**30<sup>th</sup> September 2011:** The CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project (CCP) has received Carbon Sequestration Leadership Forum (CSLF) project recognition for its contribution to the advancement of CO<sub>2</sub> Capture and Storage (CCS). At its ministerial meeting in Beijing the CSLF recognised the CCP's third phase (CCP3) – working to advance CCS technologies and operational approaches to reduce the costs and accelerate the deployment of CCS.

The CCP, a partnership of seven major energy companies, is dedicated to sharing the oil and gas industry's knowledge to ensure that CCS plays an important role in reducing emissions from power plants and industrial processes such as oil and gas operations, refining, gas processing and cement manufacture.

CCP3 (2009-2013) will culminate in at least two field demonstrations of capture technologies and a series of monitoring field trials which will provide a clear understanding of how best to monitor CO<sub>2</sub> in the subsurface. Also, landmark studies into economics and legislation will lead to a robust understanding of broader aspects of CCS. This work will take CCS closer to being operationally available for the oil and gas and power industries. The CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project received a CSLF Recognition Award for the second phase of its project (CCP2), which was completed in 2009.

Brian Williams, CCP Chairman said: "It is a great honour for the CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project to receive CSLF recognition for our work in phase three. We are committed to working with industry, government and NGOs to share our unique experiences. We want to see CCS develop into a commercial reality, so that it will play a significant part in mitigating climate change."



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The Carbon Sequestration Leadership Forum (CSLF) is a Ministerial-level international climate change initiative that is focused on development of improved cost-effective technologies for the separation and capture of carbon dioxide for its transport and long-term safe storage. The purpose of the CSLF is to make these technologies broadly available internationally and to identify and address wider issues relating to carbon capture and storage.

#### **Notes to editor:**

##### About the CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project

The CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project (CCP) is an award-winning partnership of several major energy companies, working to advance the technologies that will underpin the deployment of industrial-scale CO<sub>2</sub> capture and storage.

Since its formation in 2000, the CCP has undertaken more than 150 projects to increase understanding of the science, economics and engineering applications of CCS. The group has been working closely with government organizations — including the US Department of Energy, the European Commission and more than 60 academic bodies and global research institutes.

Phase Three (CCP3) members are BP, Chevron, Eni, Petrobras, Shell, Suncor and ConocoPhillips. EPRI is an associate member. For further information on the work of the CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Project please visit [www.co2captureproject.com](http://www.co2captureproject.com)

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