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Dear IGU Colleagues

INVITATION TO IGU'S 6TH PGC-C MEETING – PORT-OF-SPAIN, TRINIDAD

On behalf of The National Gas Company of Trinidad and Tobago Limited (NGC), I wish to invite you to the 6th PGC Committee Meeting for the Triennium 2006 – 2009, which will be held in the capital city of Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, 2009 March 03 – 05.

Trinidad is the larger of two islands that make up the twin-island nation of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago. For those of you visiting our country for the first time, you might be surprised to find that Trinidad, though equally beautiful, is not your typical “sun, sand and sea” Caribbean Island. Rather, it is a bee-hive of industry and commerce. As the southernmost island in the Caribbean, it has been called the Gateway to the Americas. With its protected harbours and easy access to the Americas and Europe, Trinidad has long been a major transshipment point and the site of some the world’s biggest industries since its discovery by Columbus in 1498. Despite its relatively tiny size, Trinidad is a giant in terms of its petrochemical industry, ranking among the world’s top 10 for ammonia, methanol and LNG production, and its natural gas pipeline network.

This time we have arranged for guests to stay at the recently refurbished Hilton, Trinidad Hotel and Conference Centre, known as the world’s only upside down hotel. Nestled on the hillside, the Hilton Trinidad offers panoramic views of the host city of Port-of-Spain.

We will also be arranging for visa clearance for persons in need of them, details of which will be forwarded upon registration. The IGU Secretariat will have all the relevant registration forms and practical information available on their website www.igu.org.

We look forward to welcoming you to Trinidad and Tobago next year.

With our best regards

Frank Look Kin
President