



THE WORLD ENERGY DAY PROCLAMATION

On October 22, 2012, the world leaders gathered at the Opening Day of World Energy Forum 2012, in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, which is being held under the patronage of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President and Prime Minister of the United Arab Emirates and Ruler of Dubai, and hosted by the Supreme Council of Energy of the Government of Dubai, signed this document in support of World Energy Forum's Proclamation that October 22 every year be commemorated globally as the World Energy Day.

Energy is essential to all life; without energy, there would be no life, and energy means life of all human societies. Like air and water, every human and every human society on this planet earth must have sufficient energy to live and flourish. In addition, the ways in which we generate and use energy are fundamental factors affecting the health of the earth's natural environment upon which the destiny of the human race depends. Therefore, we are called upon to create a world where every human on this planet will have plentiful energy that is harmonious with nature. Working towards this end, World Energy Forum has proclaimed October 22 of every year to be commemorated globally as the World Energy Day. The World Energy Day shall serve to stimulate worldwide awareness of energy issues and the political will and passion to support the Smart Energy Movement that is aimed at bringing about a New Energy Civilization of Accessible and Sustainable Resources for All.

This first historic World Energy Day is being celebrated on October 22, 2012 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, with the Heads of States of the United Nations Member States who have come together at World Energy Forum 2012 in order to discuss humanity's sustainable future, with a message, "safe, accessible, and sustainable energy for all," and that message is truly embodied in the marking of the first World Energy Day in Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

The World Energy Day is to be observed annually by all nations and peoples of the world at community, national, and international levels by holding educational, scientific, and artistic programs everywhere, including media and at the campuses of schools, colleges, and universities throughout the world, stimulating energy discussions, inspiring imaginations to innovate, and discover new ways. World Energy Forum is to internationally coordinate the World Energy Day observations.

Dubai, United Arab Emirates, October 22, 2012

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