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# JOHN ENERGY LIMITED DRILLING FOR SUCCESS

**J**ohn Energy Ltd. is a 28 years old Gujarat based company, founded in 1982 by Shri Mahesh Vyas with a seed capital of Rs. 5000/- which over the years has metamorphosed into No. 1 Drilling, Workover & Completion service provider in India with a turnover in excess of 600 crores and a strong employee base of 1500 plus employees. Shri Mahesh Vyas, a qualified mechanical engineer is an epitome of successful first generation gujarati entrepreneur. After gaining rich experience in various aspects of manufacturing & marketing during his stint with a couple of companies, he set up his first enterprise JVM Engineering in 1982 and forayed into the field of manufacturing of water well drilling rigs. Pioneered the development of DTH & Rotary drilling rigs upto 2000 ft. capacity and supplied the same to various government and private sector companies. The water well rigs have also been exported to various countries in Africa to 1,60T



**Mahesh Vyas  
Chairman & MD,  
John Energy Ltd.**

boom in Oil & Gas sector in India in the early '90s, successfully diversified initially into the field of Well servicing and then into Work-over operations with rigs manufactured in-house John Energy Ltd. Due to his sharp business acumen, within a span of a decade, the rig count increased to an impressive figure of 14 rigs of capacities ranging from 30

the field of Work-over operations, the company branched into provisioning of drilling rig services in 2005. Within a decade, the company with a rig fleet of 33 rigs (17 Drilling & 16 Work-over rigs) boasts of one of the biggest rig fleets owned by an Indian company & has successfully executed contracts for various national & international operators. John Energy Ltd. remains the preferred service provider for

E&P sector. Apart from Pan India presence, John Energy has successfully executed campaigns in challenging conditions in various geo markets like Uganda, Kazakhstan and Algeria and poised to enter in to the Gulf market as being the only Indian company to be pre-qualified as approved vendor with reputed Operators like Kuwait Oil Company (KOC), Tatweer Petroleum, Bahrain, British Petroleum etc. to

## VIBRANT GUJARAT SUMMIT 2017

John Energy Ltd. welcomes all dignitaries to the 8th edition of biennial "Vibrant Gujarat Investors Summit" and wishes them GOOD LUCK!

Keeping in sync with the basic tenets of Vibrant Gujarat Summit, M/s John Energy Ltd. is an epitome of the indefatigable spirit and entrepreneurial zeal of Gujarat and the Gujarati people. M/s John Energy Ltd. has done pioneering work in the Up-stream sector of E&P business in Oil & Gas industry in Gujarat and is a shining example of feat worth emulating.

The saga of John Energy Ltd. is a fitting tribute of a Gujarati enterprise to the Oil & Gas sector, which happens to be a key area of impetus under the visionary leadership of our Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi. In its journey spanning more than two decades, M/s John Energy Ltd. has successfully evolved from a fledgling start-up by a first generation entrepreneur Mr Mahesh Vyas in to the No. 1 Drilling & Work-over Rig Service provider in India. M/s John Energy Ltd. with its rig fleet of 33 rigs (and still counting) has a Pan India presence and has also increased its global footprint by successfully executing various campaigns in challenging conditions in varied geo-markets viz. Kazakhstan, Uganda and Algeria. John Energy is the only Indian Drilling Rig Service provider to be on the approved vendor list of M/s Kuwait Oil Company (KOC), Tatweer Petroleum, Bahrain, Chevron Bangladesh, British Petroleum, Tullow Oil Kenya etc.

M/s John Energy Ltd. with its strong CSR initiatives in addition to employment generation of 1500 plus jobs has contributed its bit, in tandem with the central focus on "Sustainable Economic and Social Development" in the upcoming summit.

## The 2017 Vibrant Gujarat Summit is truly global

Vibrant Gujarat Global Summit (VGGS) is getting bigger year-on-year as in the upcoming eighth edition of VGGS will have twelve countries as partners. These are USA, UK, Canada, Australia, France, Denmark, Japan, The Netherlands, Poland, Singapore, Sweden and UAE. Two presidents and two Prime Ministers from four different countries are attending the high-profile event.

The summit, to be inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, will host President of Kenya and Rwanda and Prime Ministers of Portugal and Serbia. Along with them, representatives from other countries such as Poland, France, Japan, Sweden, Denmark, Canada, Lithuania, UAE, Singapore, The Netherlands, UK, China and USA will be attending the Vibrant Gujarat Summit 2017.

Other international dignitaries to attend the event are Piotr Gliniski, Dy. Prime Minister and Minister of Culture and National Heritage, Poland, Jean-Marc Ayrault, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Development, France, Hiroshige Seko, Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan, Anna Ekstrom, Minister for Upper Secondary School and Adult Education and Training, Sweden, Ministerial Delegation, Lithuania, Hiroshige Seko, Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan, Ministerial Delegation from UK and USA.

A Nobel Prize Series Exhibition - wherein nine Nobel-winning scientists will interact with students, scientists, industry leaders and policy makers - is being seen as one of the high points of the summit that has, so far, been projected as a platform for meeting of business minds. The PM will hold a dialogue with heads of 35 international and 23 Indian companies at the global CEO roundtable on 'Transforming India' at Mahatma Mandir in Gandhinagar on the inaugural day.

The round table aims to dig and brainstorm industry's expectations to make India an ideal investment destination. John Chambers, chairperson of global technology giant Cisco; Bertrand-Marc Allen, president of Boeing International; and Jean-Bernard Levy, CEO of French electricity giant EDF, have already confirmed their participation in a special meeting with PM Modi.