STATUS OF CBM/CMM OWNERSHIP ISSUES IN MONGOLIA

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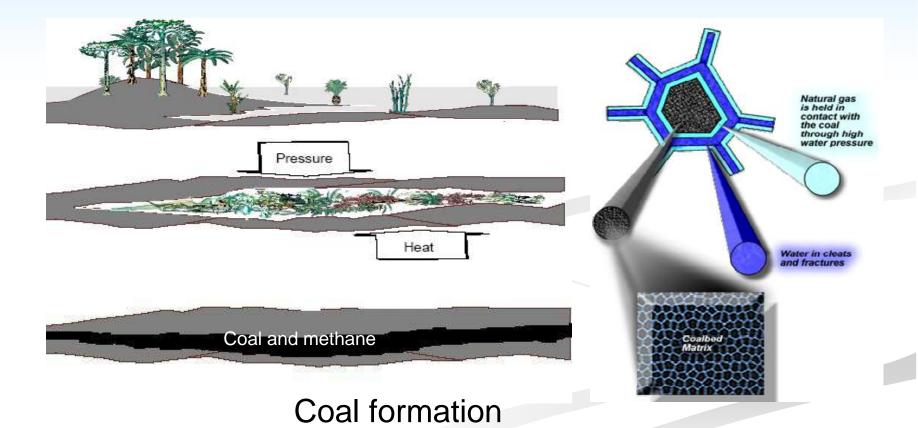
#### **LEGAL CONDITION FOR CBM/CMM**

# **Terms of Coal Bed Methane**

•CBM (Coal Bed Methane)
•CMM (Coal Mine Methane)
•CBM/CMM are a clean-burning energy source.
•Methane is the major component of natural gas.

•Methane is greenhouse gas.

### **CBM** (Coal Bed Methane) Methane gas extracted from coal seam



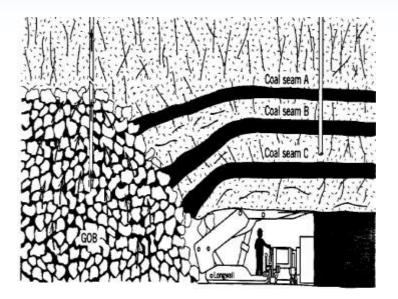
**Present legalization** 

#### **CONSTITUTION OF MONGOLIA**

Article 6

"Bowels of the earth and mineral resources in Mongolia, are owned by the state"

#### CMM (Coal Mine Methane) Methane collected at the process of coal mining





#### underground coal mine

open-cast coal mine

## **Present legalization**

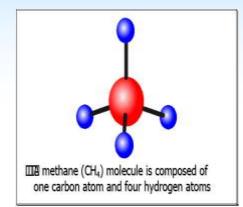
-Coal Exploration and Mining activity by Law of Mineral resource. /2006/

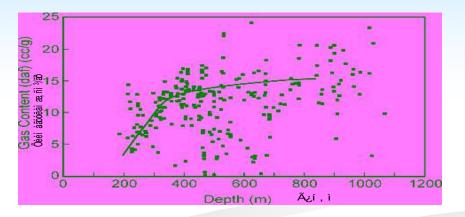
-Royalty of coal for domestic users have 2.5 percents and for other 5%

-Article 3.1: This law doesn't regulate any natural gas and gas activity

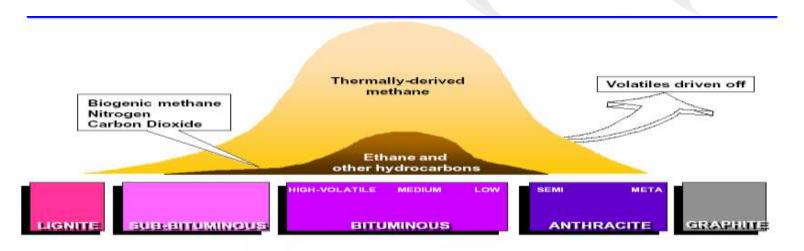
Ownership of carbon-based mineral rights is often divided between oil and mineral resource.

#### Methane degree of coal mine – coal mine safety





#### Composition chance with coal rank and coal depth



## **Present legalization**

-Gas exploration and gas activity have regulate by Law of Oil, that must be a Production Sharing Agreement

**-The tax act** - Non customs tax of gaseous fuel and gas equipment . Utilization projects with approved gas distributions receive preferential state policies on the VAT.

### CBM/CMM are a clean-burning energy source.

#### Coalbed Natural Gas



*Can use for: Heating boiler Power plant Car fuel* 



Cooking and house heating Feedstock chemical For heavy industry

Methane is the major component of natural gas.

CBM/CMM can be use engineering system of natural gas. Pipeline, CNG, LNG

### Acts for development clean energy

-To develop gas production and gas utilization.

-To change coal burning sources into clean sources.

-To develop clean energy

- Program of Mongolian Government 2008-2012
- Ikh Khural Parliament Resolution #46, 2007, for reduce air pollution
- Ikh Khural Parliament Resolution # 36, 2010, for new development
- Resolution #218 of the Government of MGL, 2007, for reduce air pollution
- Resolution of the Government of MGL, 2010, for new industrialization

Project of gas industry and clean energy sector can be develop by **concession**.

# Methane is greenhouse gas. Environment acts:

-**"The law of payment for air"**, 2010 -**"**The law of air" 2010 Coal mine must be pay 1-2 tugrug per each ton coal

> In Mongolia established CDM bureau

# **Future plans**

- To increase investment and expedite exploration and evaluation works in coal basins
- Within year 2009-2012 to start the evaluation and appraisal exploration of coal bed methane gas, establish rough estimates of the reserves, and define new CBM blocks in Mongolia

# **Future plans**

- To improve the legal environment of the petroleum and coal sector through possible amendment to the relevant laws and regulations
- To develop gas sector
- To support green projects, such as CMM projects

# Thank you for attention