

IF ENERGY SECURITY IS THE QUESTION...

EUROPE TALKS OF DIVERSIFYING ENERGY SUPPLIES FROM RUSSIA BY BUILDING A SET OF PIPELINES FROM THE SHORES OF AZERBAIJAN'S CASPIAN SEA TO ITALY.



THE SOUTHERN GAS CORRIDOR INCLUDES:

- South Caucasus Pipeline extension (SCPx)
- TransAnatolian Pipeline (TANAP)
- Trans-Adriatic Pipeline (TAP)

20 BILLION M³ GAS ANNUALLY*¹

63 BILLION M³ GAS ANNUALLY

USD 45-48 BILLION*²

EUR 15.5 BILLION*³

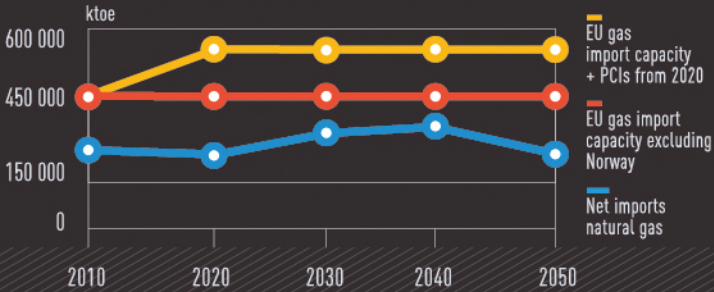
* Some EU countries though are still committed to Russia's

SOUTH STREAM (OR THE ALTERNATIVE TURKISH STREAM)



DOES EUROPE NEED ALL THAT GAS? THE COMMISSION SAYS NO.

EU ENERGY ROADMAP 2050 LOW NUCLEAR SCENARIO



ADDITIONAL GAS MEANS

- increasing the glut between now and 2050
- wasting public money
- diverting attention from the EU's decarbonisation agenda

THE EURO-CASPIAN MEGA PIPELINE IS NOT THE ANSWER!



HOW IS AZERBAIJAN
A MORE STABLE PARTNER
THAN RUSSIA?

(10 years ago
Russia was a key part
of the EU's energy strategy)

THE EU'S DEPENDENCY ON AZERBAIJAN
FOR FOSSIL ENERGY FUELS REPRESSION AND FEEDS
THE AUTHORITARIAN ALIYEV REGIME.

SINCE THE ALIYEV FAMILY TOOK CHARGE IN 1993,
AZERBAIJAN HAS NOT HAD A SINGLE ELECTION
DEEMED "FREE AND FAIR".*4



AZERBAIJAN HOSTS NEARLY
100 POLITICAL PRISONERS,
TWICE AS MANY AS RUSSIA
AND BELARUS COMBINED.*5

AZERBAIJAN IS WHITEWASHING ITS POOR RECORD
ON HUMAN RIGHTS BY BUYING INTERNATIONAL POPULARITY
THROUGH SPORTS AND EVENTS.



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"TORTURE AND ILL-TREATMENT PERSISTS WITH IMPUNITY.
AZERBAIJAN'S INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS FAILED TO FULLY
REALIZE THE POTENTIAL OF THEIR RELATIONSHIPS WITH
THE GOVERNMENT TO PRESS FOR RIGHTS IMPROVEMENTS."*6

THE EU MUST NOT INVEST PUBLIC MONEY VIA THE EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK AND THE
EUROPEAN BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE EURO-CASPIAN MEGA PIPELINE!

*1 http://www.bp.com/en_az/caspian/operationsprojects/pipelines/SCP.html

*2 <http://www.tap-ag.com/the-pipeline/the-big-picture/southern-gas-corridor>

*3 <http://www.gazprom.com/about/production/projects/pipelines/south-stream/>

*4 <http://www.democracyweb.org/node/27>

*5 <https://freedomhouse.org/article/open-letter-regarding-human-rights-situation-azerbaijan#.VTDAv4vDVM>

*6 <http://www.hrw.org/world-report/2014/country-chapters/azerbaijan>

