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## TRANSACTIONS

LNG, OIL &amp; GAS - GLOBAL

### The IMO and the Price of Gas or The Impact of the International Maritime Organisation's Sulphur 2020 Limit for Marine Fuel Oil on the Price of Gas

*Merrick White and Zoë Bromage*

The IMO's new requirement that vessels use fuel oils with a lower sulphur content will result in reduced consumption of high sulphur fuel oil. This has the potential to result in piped gas becoming more competitive with LNG. [More »](#)

## FERC

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Energy Forum - Focus on Africa

This half-day forum will bring together legal, commercial, compliance, disputes and market fundamentals professionals for a collaborative conversation on key issues that impact investments, risk management and international dispute resolution in emerging and established African oil and gas markets

When: November 14, 2019

## After Seven-Year Battle, FERC Authorizes ANR Storage Company to Charge Market-Based Rates for Natural Gas Storage Services

*Jim Bowe and William Rice*

FERC's acceptance of the D.C. Circuit's analysis confirms that all natural gas storage providers operating in a relevant market, whether independent or pipeline-owned, are subject to the same market power criteria when seeking market-based rate authorizations. [More »](#)

### CONSTRUCTION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE, PROJECT DEVELOPMENT & FINANCE

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## Proposed changes to U.S. Customs' Jones Act Interpretations Could Affect Certain Offshore Oil and Gas Construction and Repair Activities

*Marcella Burke, Andrew Stakelum, and Scott Greer*

New interpretations of old Jones Act administrative rulings could result in operators and contractors having greater leeway in the Gulf of Mexico to use foreign crane barges during construction, repair, and decommissioning activities. [More »](#)

### ENVIRONMENTAL, REGULATORY

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## EPA Repeals WOTUS Rule

*Adam G. Sowatzka, Ilana Saltzbar, Lewis B. Jones and John L. Fortuna*

The EPA and Army Corps of Engineers recently published a final rule repealing the Obama Administration's 2015 "WOTUS" rule, which set new and more expansive standards for determining which waters are subject to the federal Clean Water Act. [More »](#)

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Where: Hotel Alessandra, Houston, Texas

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Peter Hsiao to Speak at ALI CLE 2019 Environmental Litigation Course

When: November 14, 2019

Where: Office of Dentons, Washington, D.C.

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### IN THE NEWS

Oil & Gas Investor Names Susan Berry to its "Forty Under 40" List [More »](#)

Legal 500 Names Vera De Brito de Gyarfas to its 2019 Private Practice Powerlist: US-Mexico [More »](#)

K&S advises InstarAGF Asset Management on its acquisition of Oilfield Water Logistics [More »](#)



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