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Shale Gas and Our Energy Challenges Presentation at the Labour Party Conference

CNG Services Ltd MD John Baldwin gave a presentation at a Labour Party conference fringe meeting in Manchester today. The meeting discussed the development of shale gas and its vital role in helping the UK reach its 2020 renewable energy targets.

John's key point was: ***"the UK needs to reduce its reliance on expensive gas imports and develop its shale gas resources in order to fund insulation and the move to renewables such as anaerobic digestion and wind"***

By 2025 it is estimated that the UK will have to pay an additional £40 billion a year on oil imports. *"So, we must invest in insulation to reduce gas demand for heating and to provide gas to switch to running trucks on natural gas, saving 20 per cent CO₂. If that gas is produced in Lancashire we keep all the money circulating in our economy, have a better environmental outcome and create thousands of jobs in renewables and insulation businesses"*

John explained that to back up wind generation, gas-fired generation is needed and it is much better for the UK economy and the planet if that gas is produced in UK due to the expense of imported gas and the very high CO₂ emissions associated with LNG imports.

The presentation is available to download via the following link:
www.cngservices.co.uk/presentations-2

About CNG Services Ltd

CNG Services Ltd ("CSL") supports the development of Compressed Natural gas (CNG) in the UK including:

- Creation of a national network of CNG stations on the high pressure grid
- Injection of biomethane into the gas grid
- Use of Green gas Certificates/biomethane as a vehicle fuel

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