

## Standard & Poor's affirms Enagas' rating

- Credit rating agency Standard & Poor's affirms the *long-term rating* for the company, "AA-", and its stable outlook.
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Standard & Poor's Rating Agency issued a press release in which it reaffirms the long-term rating of Enagas at "AA-", the sort-term rating of the Company at "A-1+" as well as the stable outlook.

This decision by Standard & Poor's comes in response to the Company's updated 2007-2012 Strategic Plan presented by Enagas on 7th May, in which the Company announced that it would raise investment for the period from 4,000 to 5,000 million euros, a 25% increase on the plan announced in April 2007.

Standard & Poor's has considered the stability of Enagás' regulated revenues and its robust liquidity position, in order to guarantee the development of the investment' plan announced by the Company.

Furthermore, S&P valued the key role played by Enagas' activity in the Spanish economy and the low-risk profile of the Company's business, thanks to a strategy based on the regulated activity of natural gas transport in Spain.

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