

Camisea Project, Peru

Repsol has held a 10% interest in the Camisea Consortium since 2005. It is not the block operator. The Consortium, comprising six partners, has followed all the steps required by the government in order to obtain its environmental permits.

In November 2012, the Consortium's operator presented an environmental impact assessment (EIA) to the Peruvian Ministry for Energy and Mining for the project for expanding the exploration and development program at Lot 88. **Aware of the sensitivities in this location, an early action process was put in place with the stakeholders which was executed by the operating partner.**

Moreover, there is an **Anthropological Contingency Plan** in place, which has been designed to preserve the current ways of life and culture of the affected populations. This plan outlines a series of preventative measures intended to prevent unwanted contact with the populations living in voluntary isolation and provides information on what to do in the event of unwanted contact with these indigenous peoples. The Anthropological Contingency Plan is part of the aforementioned EIA and was approved by the Deputy Minister of Multiculturalism of the Ministry of Culture.

Repsol is in permanent contact with the operating partner in its capacity as non-block operator and minority partner in the Consortium. It has also shared its corporate responsibility standards as part of its due diligence efforts.

To Repsol's best knowledge, **no indigenous organization has begun legal processes to oppose the oil and gas activity.**

Repsol is committed to respecting and observing the rights of indigenous peoples, as reflected in our [Policy on Relations with Indigenous Communities](#) and the associated Regulation for Action in Relations with Indigenous Communities. In the case of block 88, as non-operated asset, Repsol has made available to its partners its standards, knowledge and techniques for implementation whereas in such operations has no management control.

About block 88:

- Lot 88 is located in the Lower Urubamba Basin in the district of Echarate, in the province of La Convención, Cusco, Peru.
- The area was declared a Regional Reserve in 1990 and a decree passed in 2003 enhanced its legal protection. Oil and gas operations pre-dating this declaration are still permitted, albeit subject to special local community protection measures. The Peruvian Ministry for Culture is the institution tasked with ensuring and inspecting compliance with these measures.

- The Camisea Consortium is the mining rights holder but the operations are performed by one of the partners.
- The Peruvian Ministry for Energy and Mining approved the EIA when it issued Executive Resolution 035- 2014 on January 27, 2014.

Links:

- Ms. Patricia Balbuena's Interview, Deputy Minister of Multiculturalism
http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=eoo4J2OxpRU&list=UUciXxO0CzyTW96UHb7XU_UA
- Mr. Oseas Barbarán's interview, President of Confederación de Nacionalidades Amazónicas del Perú (CONAP)
http://servicios.noticiasperu.com/web_/GUI/GUITelevision/FrmVerPauta.php?idPauta=1567009&bool=0