

## CASAM BREAKS GROUND IN AZERBAIJAN

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## AZERBAIJAN DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY APPROVES WORK

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On July 9, 2003, the Department of Ecology granted a license to Caspian American Butane Technologies (CASAM BUT TEX) to begin a pilot project with butane technology for environmental remediation. Located in Azerbaijan, the pilot project is being conducted under the oversight of the Ministry of Ecology. The project will utilize 6 monitoring wells. Five monitoring wells are located within the butane biotreatment zone. One monitoring well is located outside of the biotreatment zone and will serve as a control. The pilot project-related work will be conducted by the following companies; Devlet Neft Sirketi subsidiary company, Ekoloji Tedqiqatlar Laboratoriyasi, and Ekologiya ve Servetler Nazirliyi. The sampling protocol was established by the Ministry of Ecology. The final report will be prepared by Ekologiya ve Servetler Nazirliyi.