## APSCL awards Tecnicas Reunidas the first turn-key project in Bangladesh for the combined cycle at Ashuganj North

Ashuganj Power Station Company Ltd (APSCL) has chosen TR to lead a consortium together with TSK, as main contractor for the engineering, procurement of equipment and materials, construction and start-up of a new Power Plant in Ashuganj, Bangladesh. The contract was awarded as a turn-key Project for an approximate value of 300 million dollars.

The purpose of the project is the construction of a new natural gas combined cycle plant for the production of electricity, which shall be exported via the local distribution network. The combined cycle includes a gas turbine, a recovery boiler and a steam turbine in addition to all the auxiliary systems. The plant will generate 380 MW .

APSCL has nearly $1,000 \mathrm{MW}$ already installed to which the power from the Asjuganj North plant shall be added in approximately 30 months. The tender for the award of this Project was initiated by the state-owned company, ASPCL, in mid-2012 and more than 15 other companies or consortiums participated.

The project is financed by the Asian Development Bank.
Ashuganj Power Station Company Ltd. is $99 \%$ state-owned by the Bangladesh Power Development Board, belonging to the Bangladesh Ministry for Generation, Energy and Mineral Resources. The company started their operations on 1st June 2003 and is today responsible for the generation of electrical energy in the Ashuganj region, 100 km northeast of the capital, Daca.

Técnicas Reunidas is one of the leading international engineering and construction companies for oil and gas production, refining and petrochemicals and power generation projects for a broad spectrum of customers throughout the world. Since 1959, TR has designed and built more than 1000 industrial plants worldwide in more than 50 countries.

TR has broad experience in the power generation sector, having designed and installed power plants totaling more than 40 GW .

