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Mr. Shapiro has over 40 years of domestic and international experience in the areas of engineering, project development and management, construction and operations of energy and power generation plants. Mr. Shapiro started Energy Resources Group (ERG) in 1997 to provide technical and commercial project management consulting services, asset management and initiate or assist the development and acquisition of energy projects and existing power plant facilities. Since its inception, ERG has been under contract or worked in connection with Thermo Electron, Southern California Edison, General Electric/Stewart & Stevenson, AES Corporation, Reliant Energy, Gen Power/First Reserve Energy Fund, AlterNrg Westinghouse, Jacoby Energy and Gas Alternative Systems, Inc. ERG's work has included significant interface and tasking involving large electric utilities, independent power producers, engineering & construction firms, waste to energy firms, energy & environmental firms, government agencies, along with a host of financial investment and lending institutions.

Mr. Shapiro began his career at NASA's Cape Canaveral Space Center under Boeing Aerospace's prime contract for the Apollo/Saturn Moon Project. Mr. Shapiro's assignment was in connection with the structural engineering group's management of the stationary 30 story Launch Umbilical Tower. Mr. Shapiro continued for several years in the aerospace field performing structural engineering assignments with Pratt & Whitney in the design and test of advanced military gas turbine engines and then moved to energy applications engineering for industrial rotating machinery and gas process systems for the Delaval - TransAmerica Corporation.

In 1975, Mr. Shapiro used the experience and knowledge gained from working with gas turbines and process systems equipment to enter the offshore oil & gas production industry. Mr. Shapiro joined a new joint venture with the Kongsberg Companies of Norway and North American Turbine (NATCO) to set up fabrication facilities in Houston, Texas. NATCO, with strategic team partners, focused on building turnkey "single lift" gas turbine driven modules which provided power and thermal energy for offshore oil and gas production platforms. These modules were built for locations worldwide among which included Indonesia, Malaysia, Iraq, Dubai, and the North Sea.

Between approximately 1980 to 1996, Mr. Shapiro held key management and executive positions with General Motors Allison and General Electric gas turbine power distributors involving fabricating gas turbine power units and project joint ventures with a number of engineering, procurement & construction (EPC) firms. During these years, Mr. Shapiro was involved in spearheading and securing over 40 power plant projects that were built for either offshore power and heat or onshore compressor and pump pipeline stations, electric power combined cycle and cogeneration plants.

Mr. Shapiro holds a B.S. degree in Civil-Structural Engineering from the University of Florida and is a Senior Member of the Association of Energy Engineers. Mr. Shapiro has traveled extensively throughout North, Central and South America, Europe, and Asia.