

TransGas in the Media – Transcription of TV News Programme
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[News Anchor] In one year, the construction of a fertilizer factory in the state of Santa Catarina shall commence, with an investment of US\$ 2.7 billion. The announcement was made yesterday (10 June, 2014) in Brasilia, where representatives of the multinational company TransGas were received by representatives of the Federal Government. Let's watch.

[Narrator Christiano Vasconcellos] The executives of TransGas were received by three Ministers: Mines and Energy, Agriculture and Science and Technology. The project of the fertilizer facility that uses coal waste was presented along with a request that there are no environmental-related barriers as the project employs a non-polluting technology.

[Vice-Governor of Santa Catarina Mr Eduardo Pinho Moreira] Simply, they want the environmental issues dealt with accordingly with no restrictions since the project employs a non-polluting and extremely modern technology that is used in all continents of the world, with the exception of Latin America. That is why there is the necessity that we invest here.

[Narrator Christiano Vasconcellos] The expectation is that the facility starts being built within one year. The project will be ready in 39 months and will generate five thousand jobs in this installation phase. Other 1,200 jobs will be created during the functioning of the industry. It is still to be defined in which city the facility is to be located; an area of 100 ha will be required. The project will consume 120 thousand tons of coal per month, with a daily production of six thousand tons of fertilizers. [END]