



## **HKN Energy Appoints Matthew Zais as VP of Government Affairs**



HKN Energy announces the appointment of Matthew Zais to the role of Vice President of Government Affairs. Zais is a military veteran who brings more than 20 years of experience to the company having previously served as Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of International Affairs for the U.S. Department of Energy and as the Director for Iraq and Kurdish Affairs on the National Security Council at the White House.

As HKN Energy's VP of Government Affairs, Zais will oversee the company's relationships with elected officials and its public policy interests.

"Matt's industry expertise and influence with international partners and world leaders will be a tremendous asset to our company," said Mark Rollins, President of HKN Energy. "We are thrilled to welcome him to the team."

HKN Energy is a privately held oil and gas operator and producer focused on the Kurdistan Region of Iraq.