

## **Dow Jones Index: Grupo Energía Bogotá is leader in the emerging markets category and is second in the world in the gas sector**

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**Bogotá, D.C., September 14, 2018.** Grupo Energía Bogotá leads the Dow Jones Sustainability Index in emerging markets (Western Europe, India, China, South Africa, Central America, South America, among others) as the company with the highest performance in the gas sector and is second in the world after Naturgy Energy of Spain.

The Group surpasses companies such as Osaka Gas Co Ltd of Japan, Italgas SpA of Italia, GAIL Ltd of India, Infraestructura Energética Nova of Mexico, among others.

For seventh consecutive year, GEB is highly ranked in the index, ratifying its commitment to build shared value and positioning as one of the companies of the sector with the best performance in corporate sustainability in the world.

According to the evaluation of results, GEB excels for its world-class good practices in development of its human capital, safety and health at work, recruitment and retention of human talent, relationships with stakeholders, as well as operational eco-efficiency.

The Group reached a rating, that places it among the 6% of the companies in the sector with the best performance in corporate sustainability of the total companies included in this index at a global level.

For the President of Grupo Energía Bogotá, Astrid Álvarez, *"this is an accomplishment that is added to the good financial results of the Group that in the first semester of 2018 grew 7.7% in income. Also, for us, to continue being leaders in this index highlights our integrity in our business and the good practices in sustainability that we have implemented to continue to grow"*.

The Dow Jones is the most recognized sustainability index at an international level and analyzes the performance of companies that are leaders in social, environmental and economic aspects. It was created in 1999 in order to recognize the companies with the highest standards in the issues mentioned, which is why it is a great recognition to be a part of it. There are nine Colombian companies that, in 2018, were listed as members of the index in its different categories.